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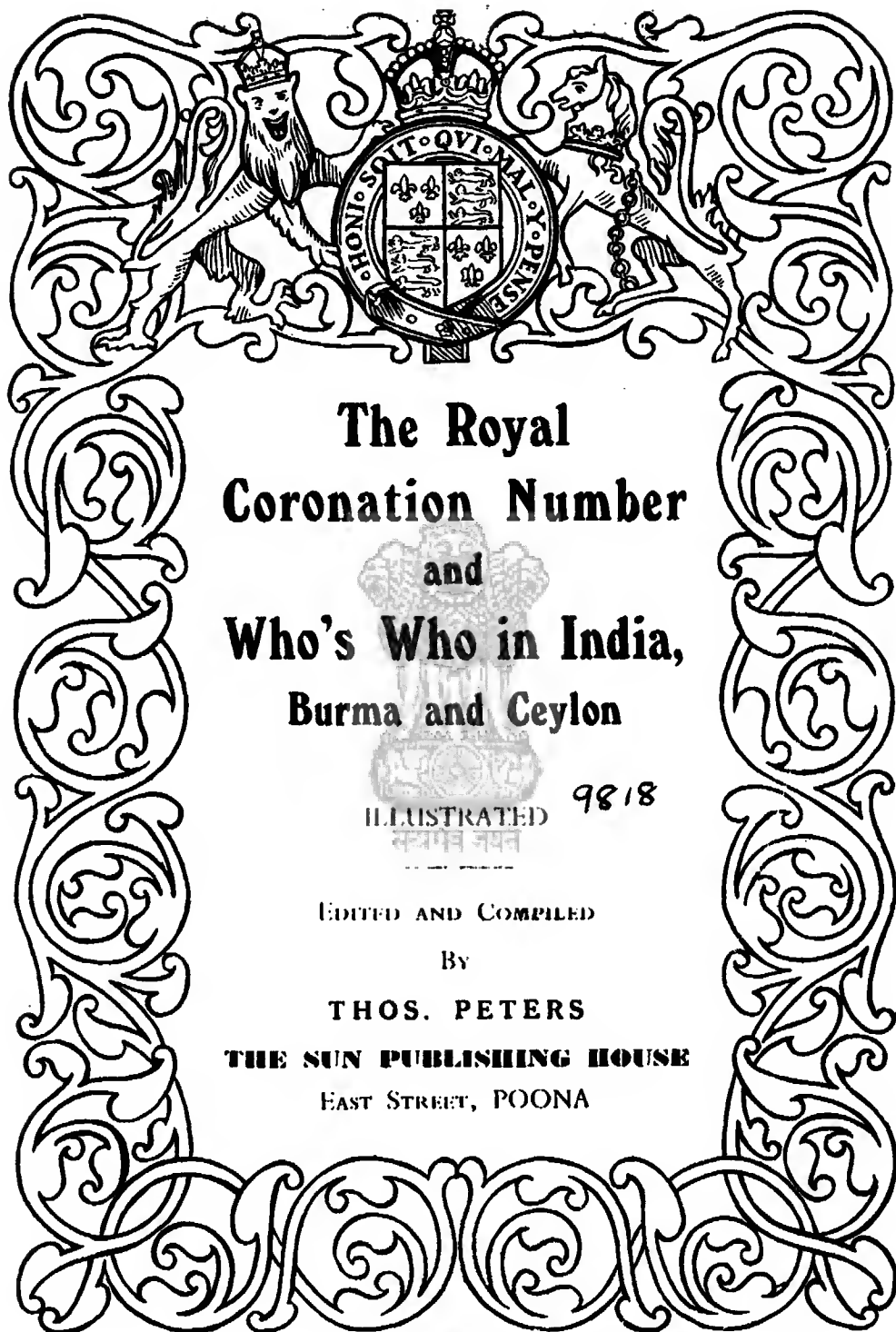
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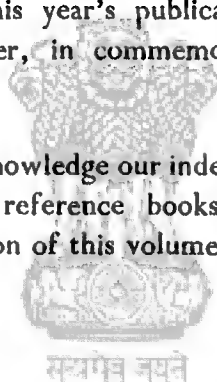
PREFACE

IN bringing out THE ROYAL CORONATION NUMBER AND WHO'S WHO IN INDIA, BURMA & CEYLON, we have, at the outset, to express our feelings of gratitude and thankfulness for the cordial welcome that has been extended to our publication, "Who's Who in India," 1936 Edition.

Our attempt, this time, to make the volume an all India, Burma and Ceylon one, representing all interests, has enhanced the usefulness of this publication as a standard book of reference.

A special feature of this year's publication is the addition of the Royal Coronation Number, in commemoration of Their Majesties' Coronation.

We desire also to acknowledge our indebtedness to the Authors and Publishers of some of the reference books and periodicals which we have used in the compilation of this volume.



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Like his father and his great-uncle, the young Prince was destined for the Navy. In 1909, he went to Osborne and remained there for two years' training at Dartmouth. In 1913, he went for his first cruise in H.M.S. "Cumberland," which took him to Canada and West Indies;



His Majesty with his Brothers.

and he was the first among his brothers to see the Americas. On his return, he was gazetted a midshipman, and joined H.M.S. "Collingwood" in Sept. 1913. On the outbreak of war, he proceeded on active service with the Grand Fleet, but in September, 1914, he was found to be suffering from appendicitis. After a successful operation, he joined duty with the fleet in 1916, at the time of the battle of Jutland. His services as sub-Lieutenant, the rank which he held then, were mentioned in Admiral Jellicoe's dispatch. He was promoted to acting



Lieutenant in September, 1916, but his health would not permit him to continue a sea career, and, he was subsequently appointed to the "Victory," on the staff of the Commander-in-Chief at Portsmouth. He was made Knight of the Garter on 14th December, 1916, on the occasion of his twenty-first birthday. In November, 1917, he was appointed to the Royal Naval Air Force at Cranwell, and in April, 1918, he was transferred to the R.A.F. He became Squadron-Leader in 1919; Wing-Commander, in 1920; Group Captain, 1921; Air Vice-Marshal, 1932; Air Ministry, January 1, 1936; Air Chief Marshal, June 23, 1936, and Marshal of the Royal Air Force, December 11, 1936.

The War being over, his energies were turned to the problems of Peace. In October, 1919, he went up to Cambridge with his brother, Prince Henry, as an undergraduate at the Trinity College. He worked hard, took a course in Civics, of which history and economics are the principal ingredients, though it touches on such matters as capital and labour, the functions of government, and the meaning and quality of citizenship. In 1920, he was created Baron Killarney, Earl of Inverness, and Duke of York. Took his seat in the House of Lords. Became the President of the Industrial Welfare Society whose aim is to bring about a revival of the spirit of industrial comradeship.

In 1923, King George and Queen Mary announced their approval of the engagement of their second son to Lady Elizabeth Angela Marguerite Bowes-Lyon, daughter of the 14th Earl of Strathmore and Kinghorne. The marriage took place in Westminster Abbey on 26th April, 1923, with great national rejoicing.

The Royal couple lived at White Lodge, Richmond, a prelude to taking up residence at 145 Piccadilly, but towards the end of 1924, the Duke, accompanied by the Duchess, left for an African tour, and after visiting Kenya Colony, Uganda, and the Sudan, arrived home in April, 1925. On arrival in England, the Duke became busy with



His Imperial Majesty King George VI

His Majesty King George VI.—Prince Albert Arthur Frederick George, second son of His late Majesty King



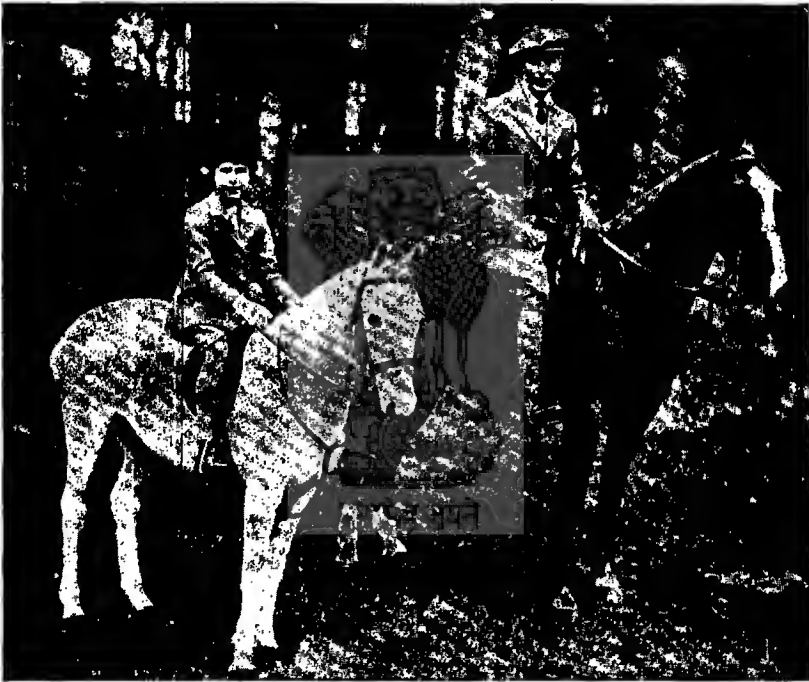
George V and Queen Mary, was born on 14th December, 1895, at York Cottage, Sandringham. At the time of his birth, his great-grandmother, Queen Victoria, was still on the throne, while his grandfather, afterwards Edward VII, was Prince of Wales. His parents were merely Duke and Duchess of York. Prince Albert received his early education at the hands of able tutors like Mr. Hansell.



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the British Empire Exhibition at Wembley, of which he was the President. In 1926 their first child was born,—Princess Elizabeth Alexandra Mary, who now stands next in succession to the British Throne. A much longer journey was undertaken when King George deputed his second son to perform the opening ceremony of the Federal Parliament House in the Federal city of Canberra. Everywhere their



H. M. the King and Princess Elizabeth.

reception was overwhelmingly enthusiastic, and everywhere their days were crowded. They returned to London in 1927.

In August, 1930, Princess Margaret Rose was born at Glamis Castle. The Duke has been busy, constantly visiting Industrial Areas. He was appointed Chairman of the Advisory Council of King George's Jubilee Trust, and after the death of his father, became High Steward of the Borough of Windsor. In July, 1935, the Duke, accompanied by



the Duchess, flew to Brussels to visit the International Exhibition, and in September of the same year he flew to Belgium to represent King George at the funeral of Queen Astrid. When King George's life was drawing to its close, he returned to London with Ex-King Edward to shoulder the burdens of State as Heir Presumptive to the Throne, which he became on the death of his father.

When King Edward succeeded to the Throne, the Duke was compelled to accept a number of Presidencies of hospitals which King Edward was holding as Prince of Wales.

The reign of King Edward VIII came to an end at 1:52 P.M., Friday, the 11th December, 1936, when he announced his abdication to both Houses of Parliament and executed the Instrument of Abdication. Simultaneously the Duke of York succeeded his brother as King and took the title of King George VI. On his accession to the Throne, His Majesty King George VI made the following declaration to his Privy Council:—

“Now that the duties of sovereignty have fallen to me I declare to you my adherence to the strict principles of constitutional government and my resolve to work before all else for the welfare of the British Commonwealth of Nations.

With my wife as helpmeet by my side, I take up the heavy task which lies before me. In it I look for the support of all my peoples.

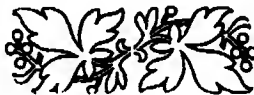
Furthermore, my first act on succeeding my brother will be to confer on him a dukedom; and he will henceforth be known as His Royal Highness the Duke of Windsor.”

The Proclamation of our only lawful and rightful liege Lord, George the VI, was made throughout India on Monday, 14th December, 1936. The solemn function was



attended by the Viceroy at Delhi and at Provincial capitals by the Governors of the respective provinces. It was read out as follows :—

“Whereas by an Instrument of Abdication, dated the tenth day of December, nineteen hundred and thirty-six, His Former Majesty King Edward the Eighth did declare his irrevocable determination to renounce the Throne for himself and his descendants, and the said Instrument of Abdication has now taken effect whereby the Imperial Crown of Great Britain, Ireland, and all other of His Former Majesty's dominions is solely and rightfully come to the high and mighty Prince Albert Frederick Arthur George ; we the Governor-General of India and the Members of the Governor-General's Council therefore do now hereby with one voice and consent of tongue and heart publish and proclaim that the high and mighty Prince Albert Frederick Arthur George is now become our only lawful and rightful liege Lord George the Sixth, by the Grace of God, of Great Britain, Ireland, and British Dominions beyond the Seas, King, Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India : to whom we do acknowledge all faith and constant obedience with all heart and humble affection ; beseeching God, by whom kings and queens do reign, to bless the Royal Prince George the Sixth with long and happy years to reign over us. God save the King.”





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His Imperial Majesty King George VI



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Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth

Lady Elizabeth Angela Marguerite Bowes-Lyon,
youngest daughter of the 14th Earl of Strathmore, was



born at her father's English home, St. Paul's, Waldenbury, Hertfordshire, on 4th August, 1900. When she was four years old, her father succeeded as 14th Earl of Strathmore and Kintzhorne, becoming the head of one of the oldest of Scotland's noble families.

Her childhood was spent chiefly at Waldenbury, and she was educated at home under the supervision of her mother,



whose literary taste she inherited. As a young girl she was a Girl Guide and she personally trained the Glamis Troop. During the Great War she did whatever a girl of fourteen could do to help her mother and sisters in ministering to the soldiers' and sailors' families.



The Court Circular on January 16, 1923, announced the engagement of the Duke of York to Lady Elizabeth Bowes-Lyon, adding, "to which the King has gladly given his consent." The public equally and gladly also gave its consent. From the moment of her engagement, she came



under the critical eye of the public and she passed the test with flying colours, so that when the marriage took place on April 26, 1923, it was the occasion of great national rejoicing, heartfelt and sincere.

After the honeymoon the Royal couple lived at White Lodge, Richmond Park, afterwards moving to 145 Piccadilly.

In the autumn of 1923 the Duke and Duchess paid their first foreign State visit to Serbia and received an uproarious welcome. Their next voyage was to East Africa, and then to Australia where they have gained the admiration and deep affection of all.

The Duchess became the mother of a daughter on 21st April, 1926, on the birth of Princess Elizabeth, a most winning and attractive child. Since then the Duchess has stood for all that British motherhood demands, yet never for a moment allowing the claims of the home to encroach on her public duties. Her second daughter, Princess Margaret Rose, was born on 21st August, 1930, at Glamis Castle, and the choice of the name Margaret delighted all the Scottish people.

The Duchess has received honorary degrees at Oxford, Glasgow, Belfast, St. Andrews, Brisbane, Melbourne, and Adelaide universities. As Duchess of York she was Colonel-in-Chief of the King's own Yorkshire Light Infantry, and Honorary Colonel of the London Scottish (14th London Regiment). She was also a patron of the Royal Horticultural Society.

Shortly after the accession, King George VI conferred the Most Noble Order of the Garter on his so well-beloved consort, who is also a Lady of the Order of the Crown of India, a Dame Grand Cross of the Royal Victorian Order, and a Dame Grand Cross of the British Empire. The King has been pleased on the occasion of his Majesty's Coronation to confer upon the Queen the title and dignity of a Lady of the Most Ancient and Most Noble Order of the Thistle and the Royal Victorian Chain.

The Coronation of Our King and Queen



His Imperial Majesty King George VI was crowned in Westminster Abbey at 12:31 P.M. on 12th May, 1937. A few minutes afterwards, Queen Elizabeth was crowned. The great and glorious occasion for which the Empire has waited for months has come and gone. Thousands of those privileged to share the pomp, the pageantry, and the splendour of the crowning of His Most Excellent Majesty George VI, of Great Britain, Ireland, and of the British Dominions beyond the Seas, as King, Defender of the Faith, and Emperor of India, may never witness its like again.

In Westminster Abbey, transformed from the stately, hallowed resting place of other Kings of England, assembled the famous men and women of the Empire, and the potentates of foreign powers and principalities, to hear King George VI take his vows and watch him assume the Crown. They gathered in an amphitheatre of blue and gold, two colours almost indistinguishable in the light of early dawn, when the first privileged spectators made their entrance.

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First to arrive in the Royal Box were the eighty-two-year-old Earl of Strathmore and his Countess—the father and mother of the Queen. The State Coaches brought in the Princess Royal, with Princess Elizabeth on one side and little Princess Margaret on the other. The little Princesses entered and stepped to the special chairs reserved for them beside chairs of Princes of the Royal Blood. Queen Mary entered, her tiara flashing. She wore the blue Sash of the Garter. As she reached the little Princesses, Queen Mary paused for a moment. Gathering up their trains, the little girls followed her up the winding steps into the Royal Box. Queen Mary sat between the Queen of Norway and Princess Elizabeth, and with her were the Duchess of Gloucester and the Duchess of Kent and the Earl and Countess of Strathmore.

Historic Drive to the Abbey

The King and Queen in their Golden State Coach set forth from Buckingham Palace for their Coronation. The King was a magnificent figure in his crimson and gold Royal Robe of State, with its heavy trimming of ermine, with the crimson velvet Cap of State on his head, its sides turned up with ermine. The Queen, who was bareheaded, wore magnificent, drop pearl earrings, and sat on the right-hand side of the King in the great Coronation Coach drawn by eight Windsor greys.

As the band began to play, the King's four Indian orderly officers, to whom fell the honour of leading their Sovereign to the Abbey, wheeled out from the Inner Quadrangle of the Palace, magnificent figures in their many-coloured turbans and silken uniforms, each proudly bearing the gold aiguillette of his office on his tunic. The eight Windsor greys, their manes covered with crimson trappings, their harnesses of gold and crimson gleaming in the sunshine that had now come to grace the scene, were led on either side by scarlet-clad, top-hatted grooms. Postilions in scarlet and gold were mounted on four of the horses. Sitting high up on the crimson-covered cushions of the coach, the King and Queen could be seen plainly.

As the Coronation Coach passed out of the gates of Buckingham Palace with the band of the Royal Scots Greys playing the National

Anthem, the King and Queen smilingly acknowledged the cheers that greeted them. Immediately behind the Coronation coach, rode the King's two brothers--the Duke of Gloucester and the Duke of Kent. The Duke of Gloucester was in the scarlet uniform and plumed hat of a Major-General, and the



The Duke of Gloucester



The Duke of Kent

Duke of Kent was in naval uniform. Both the Dukes wore the Order of the Garter. Then came a host of famous figures.

The State Coach took fifteen minutes to pass along Whitehall. As the procession wended its majestic way, the bands fell silent while passing the Cenotaph, and the happy smile faded from the King's face and he looked grave. The Royal Coach stopped in front of the Abbey Annex, the King and Queen remained seated for a minute or two, waving and smiling in acknowledgment of their welcome to a crowd estimated at more than 30,000. The King dismounted first, the Queen followed, and together they entered the Abbey.



The Royal Coach on the way to the Abbey.

Before the High Altar had been spread the spacious golden, purple-fringed carpet of the Coronation Theatre, and raised on a dais of five golden-carpeted steps stood the crimson Throne of the King. Two golden steps lower, to the left hand of the King, was the Throne of Queen Elizabeth. Before the Thrones in the centre of the Sanctuary rested King Edward's Chair, in which, since the reign of Edward the Confessor, the Kings of England have been anointed and crowned.

The Service in the Abbey

As the King and Queen entered at the West Door of the church, they were received with an anthem sung by the choir of Westminster. Four noble Knights of the Garter, in mantles of azure, who had been chosen to hold the canopy over the King at his Anointing, walked side by side. The Keeper of the Crown Jewels carried a cushion with two ruby rings, and in front of the Speaker of the House of Commons the Great Mace was borne.

The first of the Royal processions was that of the Queen, headed by three Heralds in their tabards. Her Majesty's Regalia, the Crown, Sceptre, and Ivory Rod, were borne before Her Majesty by three Peers. Amid a hush and impressive silence the King entered, his heavy train of velvet and ermine being carried by nine youthful pages.

As the King passed down the Nave the voices of the Westminster boys were raised in the cry, "Vivat Georgius Rex! Vivat! Vivat!" When the King reached the Coronation Theatre the Queen was standing by her red and gold Chair of State. She followed the King into the Sanctuary where they both knelt before their Chairs of Estate in silent prayer.

The Archbishop, with a loud voice, now "showed" the new King to his people, and in the quaint phrase of antiquity invited their recognition and acclamation of him.



"Sirs," cried the Archbishop in resonant voice, "I here present unto you King George (at this point he bowed slightly towards the King) your undoubted King; wherefore, all you who are come this day to do your homage and service, are you willing to do the same?"

The Archbishop The great congregation shouted again and again with acclamation: "God save King George! God save King George! Long may he reign!" To the other corners of the theatre,—south, west, and north,—the King and the Primate moved, and at each the great cry of recognition and devotion rose as the King was shown to his people.



The Coronation Chair

After the Coronation Oath the King moved to King Edward's Chair.

The Dean of Westminster, taking the long golden anointing spoon, poured into it a little of the Holy Oil from the Ampulla. Into this the Archbishop dipped the tips of his fingers, and the King turned upwards the palms of his hands. "Be thy hands anointed with Holy Oil," said the Archbishop, thereupon anointing both hands with the sign of the Cross.

The King's mantle was drawn aside and his breast was anointed. Finally the Archbishop made the sign of the Cross with the Holy Oil on the crown of the King's head. Other symbolic ceremonies followed.

The Crowning

Standing before the Altar, the Archbishop took the Crown of St. Edward in his hands and prayed that the King should be crowned with all princely virtues. Poised over the bowed head of King George a thousand jewels of the Diadem flashed and blazed in a cascade of loveliness that dazzled the senses. Gently, slowly, reverently, the Archbishop lowered the Crown. Stillness fell on the supreme moment. The hands of the Archbishop moved away from the Crown, and then, in one surging wave of jubilation, the feeling of the great assemblage burst in a stupendous shout of acclamation, which



St. Edward's Crown

swept through the stately Abbey door, to be taken up by the crowd far and wide outside.

It was perhaps the greatest cry of spontaneous patriotism and devotion to the Throne of England that has ever rung in the ears of a newly-crowned king. "God save the King! God save King George!" they cried amid a thousand echoings. Silver trumpets blared a triumphal serenade, and outside a wild tumult of cheering rose and crashed, and rose again. Guns at the Tower, waiting long for the sign that the King was crowned, boomed their salutation, and the bells of Westminster pealed. The Peers and Kings of Arms then put on their coronets.

A Bible was now placed for a moment in the King's hands, and the Archbishop pronounced the benediction. For the first time then the King mounted the steps to the Throne, and Bishops and Peers and Great Officers gathered about him for the enthronization, when the King is ushered by them to the Throne.

There he sat, a velvet cushion at his feet, to which the nobles of the land were to come to pay him homage. But first the Archbishop, with his Bishops around him, knelt in homage on the steps of the Throne. The Archbishop kissed the King's left cheek; and as he rose, the Duke of Gloucester, first of the Princes of the Royal Blood, stepped forward from his crimson chair. As he stood in front of the King, he raised his coronet and placed it in the hands of a little page, who waited to hold it. Then the Duke bowed and knelt on the crimson cushion

at his brother's feet. He laid his hands in the hands of the King, as Knights of the Noble Brotherhood laid their hands in those of King Arthur of legendary fame. The Duke rose, kissed the left cheek of the King and said in words of homage: "I do become your liege man of life and limb, and of earthly worship, and faith and truth I will bear unto you, to live and die, against all manner of folk." Down



The Archbishop of Canterbury placing the Crown of St. Edward on the King's head.

the steps of the Throne he bowed himself, and the Duke of Kent went forward to kiss the King's cheek, and to proclaim his earthly worship and allegiance.

After the Princes of the Blood Royal had paid homage, the Peers knelt and did homage, the first of each order kneeling before His Majesty, and the others kneeling in their places.

When the homage was ended the drums beat and the trumpets sounded, and all the people shouted with a great voice: "God save King George! Long live King George! May the King live forever!"

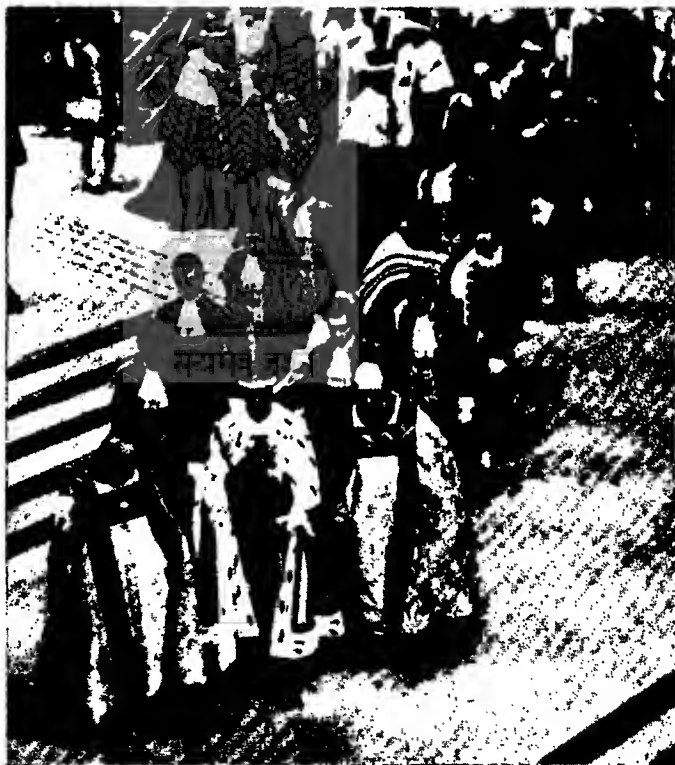
The King's crowning over, the Queen stepped forward amid the fanfare of trumpets, her stately maids of honour and bearers of her

train with her. At the steps of the Altar she knelt with her bishops beside her, and the voice of the Archbishop could be heard offering the Prayer of Consecration. Four Duchesses held the Queen's canopy of cloth of gold over her as she knelt on the purple faldstool with head bowed. On the crown of her head the Archbishop poured the holy Oil of Anointing.

Her Majesty lifted her right hand, and upon the fourth finger was placed the Queen's Ring. "Receive this ring, the seal of a sincere faith," cried the Archbishop. From the Altar was brought the Queen's Crown, and, as the Archbishop set it gently on her head, the Peeresses, as the Peers had done at the King's crowning, raised simultaneously their own coronets and put them on. In the Queen's right hand was placed the Sceptre, and in her left, the ivory Rod with the Dove.

Anointed and crowned, Her Majesty stepped with queenly grace through the Coronation Theatre, past the Royal Box, (where her little

daughters were watching every movement with spell-bound eyes) to her crimson Throne where the King awaited her. The Archbishop now celebrated the Communion office at the High Altar. The King and Queen descended from their Thrones and moved to the Altar, where they gave up their Sceptres and took off their Crowns, and remained bare-headed while they partook of the Sacrament. Again putting on their Crowns, they took up their Sceptres and returned to their Thrones. The Com-

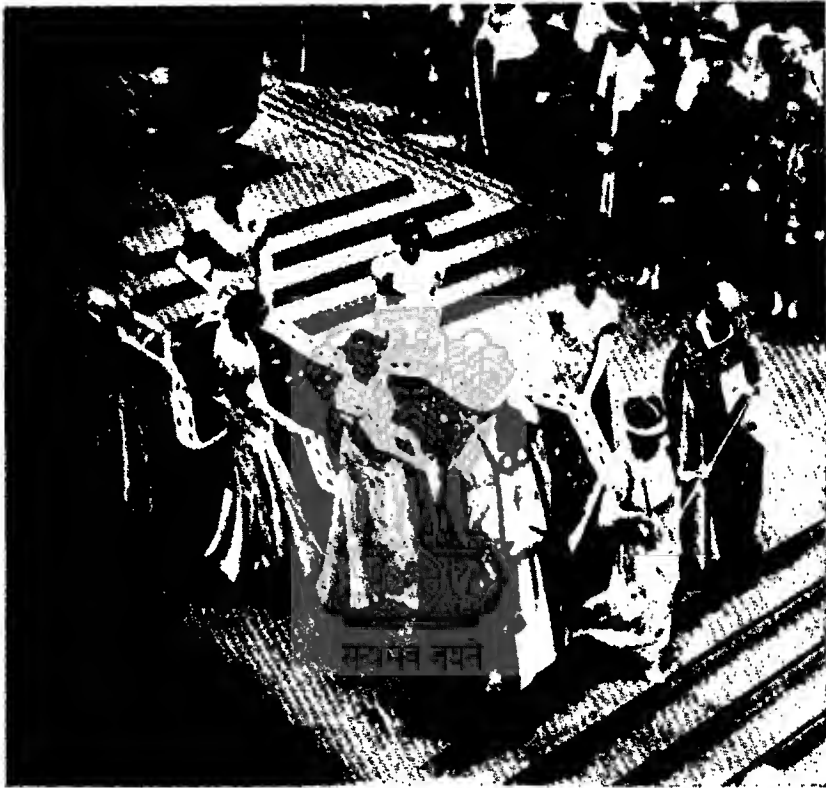


The King leaving the Abbey after the Coronation Ceremony.

monwealth of England and Wales, by the laws of God and of man, do hereby solemnly promise and swear to govern the said Kingdom of England with the advice and consent of the Archbishops, Bishops, Justices of the Peace, and the good men of the said Kingdom, to maintain the same in the true laws, liberties, customs, franchises, and free-
 doms, and to preserve the same inviolable and unshaken, to the honour of God, the unity of the Church, and the peace of the said Kingdom.

munion Service was finished, the "Gloria" was sung, and the Archbishop gave the blessing.

The ceremony being over, the King, with the four Swords carried before him, descended from his Throne and passed into St. Edward's Chapel, behind the Altar, where he was joined by the Queen, who had



The Queen leaving the Abbey.

entered the Chapel through the North Door. Here his Majesty was relieved of his Royal Robe of State, and was arrayed in a robe of velvet, while upon his head was set the Imperial Crown. In his right hand he carried the Sceptre with the Cross, and in his left the Orb.

All the Peers and Peeresses were wearing their coronets, and through the glittering throng their Majesties passed down the Nave to the West Door. Eight thousand guests rose to their feet, while from the organ came "God Save the King," and every voice joined in the triumphant anthem.

While the closing stages of the Abbey ceremonial were taking place, the head of the procession moved forward in readiness to lead the King and Queen back to Buckingham Palace. It was such a long procession that the head of it passed along Piccadilly long before the King and Queen had left the Abbey.

Shortly after their arrival at Buckingham Palace, the King, wearing the Crown, together with the Queen, came out on the balcony, where they stood, with the Royal pages and the Queen's attendants around them. Then the two little Princesses, wearing their coronets, came on the balcony. Princess Elizabeth moved across to the side of her mother and waved to the crowd. The King put his hand out to his younger daughter's shoulder, and drew her into the group. Queen Mary also joined the party. She wore the blue Sash of the Garter. The immense crowd which had assembled in front of the Palace cheered continuously for several minutes.

God Save our King and Queen





The King and Queen on the Palace Balcony with Queen Mary, Princess Elizabeth, and Princess Margaret Rose, listening to the cheers.

The Broadcast Message to the Empire

BY HIS MAJESTY KING GEORGE VI

The King's broadcast was given from Buckingham Palace, shortly after 8 P. M. The Queen and other members of the Royal Family sat in other apartments to listen to the King's voice. The King said:—

“It is with a very full heart that I speak to you to night. Never before has a newly crowned King been able to talk to all his peoples in their own homes on the day of his Coronation. Never has the



His Majesty the King Broadcasting from Buckingham Palace.

ceremony itself had so wide a significance, for the Dominions are now free and equal partners with this ancient Kingdom; and I felt this morning that the whole Empire was in very truth gathered within the walls of Westminster Abbey.

I rejoice that I can now speak to you all wherever you may be, greeting old friends in distant lands and, as I hope, new friends in those parts where it has not yet been my good fortune to go.

In this personal way the Queen and I wish health and happiness to you all; and we do not forget at this time of celebration those who are living under the shadow of sickness or distress. Their example

of courage and good citizenship is always before us, and to them I would send a special message of sympathy and good cheer.

I cannot find words with which to thank you for your love and loyalty to the Queen and myself. Your goodwill in the streets today and your countless messages from overseas and from every quarter of these islands have filled our hearts to overflowing.

I will only say this: If in the coming years I can show my gratitude in service to you, that is the way above all others that I should choose.

To many millions the Crown is a symbol of unity. By the grace of God and by will of the free peoples of the British Commonwealth I have assumed that Crown.

In me as your King is vested for a time the duties of maintaining its honour and integrity.

This is indeed a grave and constant responsibility, but it gave me confidence to see your representatives around me in the Abbey, and to know that you all were enabled to join that infinitely beautiful ceremonial.

Its outward forms come down from distant times, but its inner meaning and message are always new; for the highest of distinctions is the service of others, and to the Ministry of Kingship I have in your hearing dedicated myself, with the Queen at my side, in words of the deepest solemnity.

We will, God helping us, faithfully discharge our trust.

Those of you who are children now will, I hope, retain memories of a day of carefree happiness such as I still have of the day of my grandfather's coronation.

Some of you in the coming years will travel from one part of the Commonwealth to another, and moving thus within the family circle will meet others whose thoughts are coloured by the same memories, whose hearts unite in devotion to our common heritage.

You will learn, I hope, how much our free association means to us, how much our friendship with each other and with all the nations upon earth can help the cause of peace and progress.

The Queen and I will always keep in our hearts the inspiration of this day. May we ever be worthy of the goodwill which, I am proud to think, surrounds us at the outset of my reign.

I thank you from my heart, and may God bless you all."

The Prime Minister's Message

Mr. Stanley Baldwin, (now Earl Baldwin,) the Prime Minister of Britain, paying homage, said: "This has been a day of profound emotion and I am now sitting quietly with two or three friends in the Cabinet Room of No. 10 Downing Street in the heart of London, a room which has been occupied by the Prime Ministers of this country for 200 years. This morning I was in the Abbey. Early in the afternoon I was privileged to drive in the procession through miles of London streets. In the Abbey I saw a young King and his Queen dedicating their lives to the service of their people, and as I said only the other night in the House of Commons, a service that can only be ended by death.

And as I drove through the streets of London and saw the faces of the crowds eager to see and greet their newly-crowned King and Queen, and listened to their ringing cheers, the cheers of the warmest and kindest people of the world, I thought there was only one way in which we could almost make permanent that deep impression of what we have seen and heard this day.

Let us dedicate, let us dedicate afresh if need be, ourselves to the service of our fellows, a service in widening circles, a service to the home, to our country, to the Empire, and to the world. No mere service of our lips, service of our lives, as we know, will be the service of our King and Queen. God bless them."

Viceroy's Broadcast Message

His Excellency the Viceroy of India (Lord Linlithgow) in a message broadcast on the occasion of the Coronation of His Majesty King George VI, said:

"India acclaims the King-Emperor and the Queen-Empress crowned today, and proudly affirms her devoted and unswerving allegiance to the throne and person of the Sovereign. From every quarter of her wide territories the prayers of the people go up that strength and guidance may be vouchsafed to those whose lives are henceforth dedicated to the service of their subjects.

In no part of the world is the virtue of kingship, in its profound spiritual significance, and with its deep and moving appeal to the heart of man, more widely or more sincerely appreciated than in this ancient land of India.

On this auspicious day, sustained by the glorious memories of trials and triumphs shared together and with high confidence in the years to come, the Princes and people of India join with every part of the British Empire in pledging once again their loyal fealty to the Imperial Crown."

Queen Mary

Queen Mary, daughter of the Duke and Duchess of Teck, was born on 26th May, 1867, at Kensington Palace, and was christened Victoria Mary Augusta Louise Olga Pauline Claudine Agnes. Became engaged



in 1892 to H. R. H. the Duke of Clarence, who died in 1892. Married to the Duke of York (late King George V) in 1893. Queen Mary has travelled round the world, and has won affectionate regard everywhere. On 3rd June, 1910, King George conferred upon her the title and dignity of a Lady of the Most Noble Order of the Garter. In July, 1933, the Hon. Degree of Doctor of Music was conferred on the Queen by the Royal College of Music. The Queen christened

the new Cunarder, "Queen Mary," in September, 1934. She played an active part in making the celebrations of the Silver Jubilee such a success. How affectionate and kind the Queen has been, is proved by the deep-felt sympathy shown to her on the death of her beloved husband, King George V. She has been a mother, not to her children alone, but to all her subjects both at home and abroad.

H. R. H. The Duke of Windsor (Ex-King Edward VIII)

H. R. H. The Duke of Windsor, eldest son of King George V and Queen Mary, was born on 23rd June, 1894. Received naval training at Osborne and Dartmouth. Invested as Prince of Wales at Carnarvon, 1911. Made K. G. in June, 1911. Received the Legion of Honour, July, 1912, and the Croix de Guerre in October, 1915. Promoted Lieutenant in March, 1913. Went through an under-graduate course at Magdalen College, Oxford. Went to the front in November, 1914, attached to Sir J. French's staff, and served with zeal and ability. Was the bearer of the historic despatch from Sir J. French respecting the battle of Neuve Chapelle. Appointed as Staff-Captain on the Staff of the General Officer Commanding the Mediterranean Expeditionary Force and arrived in Egypt, March, 1916. Became D. A. Q. M. G. in May and was appointed Hon. Col. of a battalion of the Cheshire Regiment, July, 1917. Appointed Grand Master of the Order of S. S. Michael and George. Visited Italian Front during Austria's attack, November, 1917. Took his seat in the House of Lords, February, 1918. Appointed Colonel-in-Chief of the Cadet Corps in United Kingdom, March, 1919. Made G.C.S.I. and G.C.I.E. on the eve of voyage to India in October, 1921. Created a Knight of the Thistle on his birthday in 1922. Was President of the British Association at Oxford in August, 1926. Received the Knighthood of the Order of St. Patrick, June, 1927. Was appointed a Privy Councillor for Canada on his visit to Canada. Assumed the title of Master of the Merchant Navy and Fishing Fleets, February, 1928. Promoted from Captain to Vice-Admiral, from Colonel to Lieut.-General, and from Group Captain R.A.F. to Air-Marshal, 1930. Promoted Admiral, General, and Air Chief Marshal, January 1935. Succeeded to the British Throne on the death of his father, King George V, on 20th January, 1936. King Edward, after a brief reign of nearly ten months, abdicated on the 11th December, 1936. He renounced the Throne for himself and his descendants on 10th Dec., 1936, and was confirmed by the Declaration of Abdication Act at 1:52 P. M. on the following day. Created Duke of Windsor after the abdication. Married on 3rd June, 1937, Mrs. Wallis Warfield. •



WHO'S WHO IN THE BRITISH CABINET

Chamberlain, Rt. Hon. (Arthur)

Neville, P. C. 1922; Prime Minister since 1937. Born on 18th March, 1869; son of late Rt. Hon. Joseph Chamberlain and Florence. Educated at Rugby and Mason College, Birmingham; Hon. LL.D. Birmingham, Cambridge, and Bristol; Hon. D.C.L.



Oxford. Married in 1911, Annie Venn, daughter of late Major W. U. Cole, and has one son and one daughter. Member, Birmingham City Council and Chairman of its Town Planning Committee, 1911; Alderman, 1914; Member, Central Control Board (Liquor Traffic), 1915; Lord Mayor of Birmingham, 1915-16; Director-General of National Service, 1916-17; Postmaster-General and Paymaster-General, 1922-23; M.P. (U) Ladywood Division of Birmingham, 1918-29; Edgbaston Division since 1929; Minister of Health, 1923, 1924-29, and in 1931; Chancellor of the Exchequer, 1923-24; Chairman of the Unionist Party, 1930-31; Chancellor of the Exchequer, 1931-37.

Address—10 Downing Street, S. W. 1, London.

Simon, Rt. Hon. Sir John (Allsebrook), P.C. 1912; G.C.S.I. 1930; K.C.V.O. 1911;

Kt., 1910; Chancellor of the Exchequer since 1937. Born on 28th February 1873; son of late Rev. Edwin Simon. Educated at Fettes College, Edinburgh and Wadham College, Oxford; Fellow of All-Soul's College, Oxford;



Hon. D.C.L., Oxford; Hon. LL.D., Edinburgh, Cambridge, Manchester, Leeds, McGill, Toronto, and Columbia Universities; President, Oxford Union Societies, 1896; Barstow Law Scholar, 1898; called to Bar, 1899; K.C., 1908; married in 1899 (first marriage), Ethel Mary Vonnables (died 1902) and has one son and two daughters; second marriage in 1917 with Kathleen Manning, D.B.E. 1933, daughter of Francis Eugene Harvey, Wexford. Appointed Junior Counsel for British Government in Alaska Boundary Arbitration in 1903; Chairman, Departmental Committee on Street Trading, 1909; Member,

Royal Commission on Justices of the Peace, 1910; M.P. Elected (Lib.) Walthamstow Division, Essex, 1906-18; Spens Valley Division of Yorks, 1922-31, (L. Nat.) since 1931; Benchor, Inner Temple, 1910; Solicitor-General, 1910-13; Attorney-General with seat in Cabinet, 1913-15; Secretary of State for Home Affairs, 1915-16; Major in Royal Air Force serving in France, 1917-18; Leader of the Liberal National Party, Chairman of Indian Statutory Commission, 1927-30, and of R. 101 Inquiry, 1931; Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, 1931-35; Secretary of State for Home Affairs and Deputy Leader of House of Commons, 1935-37.

Recreations: Golf, skating, chess.

Clubs: Reform, Garrick, National Liberal, Royal Automobile.

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Halifax, 3rd Viscount (1866). Edward Frederick Lindley Wood.

K. G. 1931; P. C. 1922; G. C. S. I., G. C. I. E., 1926; first Baron Irwin of Kirby Underdale (1925); Lord Privy Seal and Leader of the House of Lords since 1935. Born on 16th April, 1881; son of second Viscount;



succeeded father in 1934. Educated at Eton, Christ Church and All Souls, Oxford. Married in 1909, Lady Dorothy Evelyn Augusta Onslow, C.I. (1926) and has three sons and one daughter. M. P. (U) Ripon Division, West Riding, Yorks, 1910-25; Parliamentary Under-Secretary for the Colonies, 1921-22; President, Board of Education, 1922-24; Minister of Agriculture, 1924-25; Viceroy of India, 1926-1931; President, Board of Education, 1932-35; Chancellor of University of Oxford since 1933; Secretary of State for War, 1935. Publications: "John Koble," in "Leaders of the Church" series; "The Great Opportunity" (with Lord Lloyd); "Indian Problems," 1932. Clubs: Carlton, Brooks; Yorkshire, York.

Address—88, Eaton Square, S.W.1, London.

Hoare, The Rt. Hon. Sir Samuel John, Home Secretary.

(See life sketch vide page 25.)

Zetland, The Rt. Hon. The Marquess of, Secretary of State for India.

(See life sketch vide page 26.)

Eden, Rt. Hon. (Robert) Anthony,
P.C. 1934; M.C.; J.P.; Secretary of State for



Foreign Affairs since 1935. Born on 12th June, 1897; son of late Sir William Eden 7th and 5th Bart. Educated at Eton, and Christ Church, Oxford; B. A. 1st Class Honours (Oriental Languages), 1922. Married in 1928 Beatrice Helen, daughter of Hon. Sir George Beckett,

1st Bart., and has two sons. Served the Great War, 1915-19, with his regiment and as C.S.O. and as Brigade Major; Contested Spennymoor Division of Durham, 1922; M.P. (C) Warwick and Leamington since 1923; attended Imperial Press Conference, Melbourne, 1925; Parliamentary Private Secretary to Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, 1926-29; Parliamentary Under-Secretary, Foreign Office, 1931-33; Lord Privy Seal, 1934-35; Minister without Portfolio for League of Nations Affairs, 1935; Trustee of the National Gallery since 1935. Publication: "Places in the Sun."

Address—17 Lower Berkeley Street, W. 1, London.

Stanley, Rt. Hon. Oliver Frederick George, P.C. 1934; M.P. (C) Westminster



since 1924; President of the Board of Trade since 1937. Born in 1896; son of 17th Earl of Derby. Educated at Eton and Oxford; married Lady Maureen Stewart and has one son and one daughter.

Called to Bar in 1919; served European War (M.C., Croix de Guerre, despatches); contested (C) Edgohill Division of Liverpool, 1923; Parliamentary Under-Secretary, Home Office, 1931-33; Minister of Transport, 1933-34; Minister of Labour, 1934-35; President of Board of Education, 1935-37.

Address—58 Remney Street, Westminster, S.W. 1, London.

Cooper, Rt. Hon. Alfred Duff, P.C. 1935; D.S.O. 1919; First Lord of the Admiralty



since 1937; M.P. (C) St. George's Division of Westminster since 1931. Born in 1890; son of late Sir Alfred Cooper, F.R.C.S. Educated at Eton and New College, Oxford. Married in 1919, Lady Diana Manners,

daughter of 8th Duke of Rutland, and has one son. Served European War 1914-19; (D.S.O., despatches); M.P. (C) Oldham, 1924-29; Financial Secretary, War Office, 1928-29 and 1931-34; Financial Secretary to the Treasury, 1934-35; Secretary of State for War, 1935-37.

Publications:—"Talleyrand," 1932; "House of Lords or Senate?" (with Lt. Col. M. Headlam), 1932; "Haig," 1935, Vol. II, 1936.

Address—90 Gower Street, W.C. 1, London.

Ormsby-Gore, Rt. Hon. William George Arthur, P.C. 1927; M.P. (U); Secretary of State for the Colonies since



1936. Born on 11th April, 1885; eldest son of 3rd Baron Harlech. Educated at Eton, and New College, Oxford. Married in 1913 Lady Beatrice Cecil,

daughter of 4th Marquess of Salisbury and has two sons and three daughters. Became Parliamentary Private Secretary to Viscount Milner, and Assistant Secretary, War Cabinet, 1917-18; Assistant Political Officer in Palestine, 1918; Under-Secretary of State for the Colonies, 1922-24; and again from 1924-29; Member of the British Delegation to the Ponce Conference, 1919; Member of the Colonial Office Mission to the British West Indies, 1921-22; Principal representative of the Crown Colonies and Protectorates on the Imperial Economic Conference, 1923; Chairman West African Parliamentary Commission, 1924; visited British West African Colonies, 1926; Malaya and Ceylon, 1928; President, Geographical Association, and Geographical Section of the British Association, 1926; Postmaster-General, 1931; First Commissioner of Works, 1931-36; Member of the Advisory Council of the Victoria and Albert Museum, 1933.

Publications:—"Florentine Sculptors of the Fifteenth Century," 1930; "Guide to the Mantegna Cartoons at Hampton Court," 1935.

Address—5 Mansfield Street, Cavendish Square, W. 1.

Stanhope, 7th Earl (1718) James Richard Stanhope;



Viscount Stanhope of Mahon and Baron Stanhope (Great Britain 1717); P.C., 1929; K. G., 1934; D. S. O., 1917; M.C., 1916; D.L.; J.P., Kent; President of the Board of Education since 1937. Born on 11th November, 1880; eldest son of 6th

Earl; succeeded father in 1905. Educated at Eton and Magdalen College, Oxford. Married in 1921, Lady Wilson Brown, daughter of 6th Marquess of Sligo. Served South African War, 1902; European War, 1914-18; Parliamentary Secretary to War Office, 1918; Chairman, Joint Substitution Board, 1923-24; Civil Lord of the Admiralty, 1924-29; Trustee of National Portrait Gallery since 1930; Parliamentary and Financial Secretary to the Admiralty, 1931; Under-Secretary of State for War, 1931-34; Parliamentary Under-Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, 1934-36; First Commissioner of Works, 1936-37.

Address—111 Eaton Square, S. W. 1.

Worlds Economic Conference, 1933; Secretary of State for War, 1931-35; President, M. C. O., 1933.

Publications: Editor of the Hailsham edition of "Halsbury's Laws of England."

Address—17 Bryanston Square, W. 1.

Macdonald, Rt. Hon. Malcolm, P. C.



1935; M.P. (Nat. Govt.) Ross and Cromarty since 1936; Secretary of State for the Dominions since 1935. Born in 1901; son of J. Ramsay MacDonald. Educated at Bedales School, Petersfield and Queen's College, Oxford. M. P. (Lab.) Bassettlaw

Division of Notts, 1920-31; (Nat. Lab.) 1931-35; Parliamentary Under-Secretary, Dominions Office, 1931-35; Secretary of State for Colonies, 1935.

Address—Upper Frogual Lodge, N. W. 3.

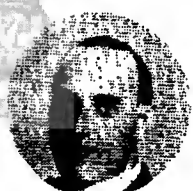
Hailsham of Hailsham, First Viscount (1929); Baron (1928); Douglas McArthur Hogg



P. C., 1922; Kt., 1922; K. C., 1917; D. C. L., Oxford; J. P., Sussex, 1923; Lord Chancellor since 1935. Born in 1872; son of John Quintin Hogg. Educated at Eton; LL. D., Birmingham. Married in 1905 (first marriage)

Elizabeth (died 1925); second marriage in 1929 with Mildred, daughter of Rev. Edward Parker Dew, and has two sons from the first marriage. Studied sugar-growing in West Indies and British Guiana and was with Messrs. Hogg, Ourlis Campbell and Company, for eight years; served South African War with 15th Lethian and Berwick Yeomanry (medal and four clasps); called to Bar 1902; Benchers Lincoln's Inn, 1920; Director, Legal and General Insurance Co., 1920-22 and 1929-31; Attorney-General to Prince of Wales, 1920-22; Attorney-General, 1922-24 and again from 1924-28; Lord Chancellor, 1928-29; Acting Prime Minister, August-September, 1928; Member of Council of State, 1928-29; M.P. (C) St. Marylebone, 1922-28; Leader of the Opposition in the House of Lords, 1930-31; British delegate to the Ottawa Conference, 1932; British delegate to the

Swinton, 1st Viscount (1935), of Masham; Philip Cunliffe-Lister, P.C.,



1922; G.B.E., 1929; K.B.E., 1920; M. C., Secretary of State for Air since 1935. Born on 1st May 1884; son of late Col. V. G. Lloyd-Greame. Educated at Winchester and University College Oxford; called to

Bar, 1908; married in 1912, Mary Constance, daughter of late Rev. Ingram Boynton and has two sons; served European War 1914-17; Joint Secretary of Ministry of National Service, 1917-18; M. P. (U) London Division of Middlesex, 1918-35; Parliamentary Secretary to Board of Trade, 1920-21; Secretary of Overseas Trade Department, 1921-22; President, Board of Trade, 1922-23, 1924, and again in 1931; assumed name of Cunliffe-Lister, 1924; Secretary of State for the Colonies, 1931-35.

Recreations: golf, shooting. Clubs: Carlton, Yorkshire.

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Wood, Rt. Hon. Sir Kingsley, P. C. 1928; Kt. 1918; Minister of Health since 1935.



Born in 1881; son of late Rev. Arthur Wood. Married Agnes, daughter of Henry Fawcett. M. P. (C) Woolwich West since 1918; Parliamentary Private Secretary to the Minister of Health, 1919-22;

Introduced Early Closing Bill, 1920, Summer Time Bill and Allotments Bill, 1924; Parliamentary Secretary, Ministry of Health, 1924-29; Chairman, Executive Committee of National Conservative and Unionist Association, 1930-32; Parliamentary Secretary, Board of Education, 1931; Postmaster-General, 1931-35; senior partner of Kingsley Wood, Williams & Co., Solicitors, of Wallbrook, E. C. 6 and Foster Square, N. A.

Publications:—(joint) "Law of National Insurance," "Law and Practice Relating to Housing in England and Wales," 1924; "Daily Mail Rent Act Guide," "Dental Registration—Law and Practice," "National Health Insurance Manual," "Relief for the Ratepayer."

Address—Broomhill Bank, Elmbridge Works.

Burgin, Edward Leslie, L.L.D.; Minister of Transport since 1937. Born on 13th July, 1887; son of Edward Lambert Burgin, solicitor. Educated at Christ's College, Finchley; Lausanne and Paris; first in first class Honours L.L.B., with University Scholarship, 1908; first in first class Honours Solicitors' Final of the Law Society; with Clement Inn Daniel Beardon Prizes, 1909. Married in 1912, Dorothy Theresa, daughter of Charles H. Cooper, and has one son and four daughters. M. P. (L) Luton Division, 1929-31; (L. Nat.) since 1931; Charity Commissioner, 1931-32; member of General Council of League of Nations Union; member, Lord Chancellor's Committee on Delegated Legislation; Chairman, Commercial Arbitration Committee of International Chamber of Commerce; British delegate to the League of Nations, 1935. Publications: "Administration of Foreign Estates," "The Students' Conflict of Laws."

Address—3, Gray's Inn Place, W. C.

De La Warr, 9th Earl (1761), Herbrand Edward Dundonald Brasser Sackville, P. C. 1936; Baron De La Warr, 1209 and 1572; Baron West, 1342; Viscount Caidnapo, 1761; Baron Buckhurst (U. K.), 1864; J. P., East Sussex, Lord Privy Seal, since 1937. Born on 20th June 1900; son of 8th Earl and Hon.

Muriel Agnes Bressoy. Succeeded his father in 1915. Educated at Eton. Married in 1920, Diana, daughter of late Gerard Leigh, and has two sons and one daughter. Served as a sailor during the War; Parliamentary Under-Secretary, War Office, 1929-30; Parliamentary Secretary, Ministry of Agriculture and Deputy Minister of Fisheries, 1930-31 and 1931-35; Parliamentary Secretary Board of Education, 1935-36; Lord-in-Waiting to His Majesty, 1921 and 1929-31; Mayor of Bexhill, 1932-35; Parliamentary Under-Secretary of State for the Colonies, 1936-37.

Addresses—Fishers' Gate, Withyham, Sussex; and 1 Buckingham Mews, Stafford Place, S. W. 1.

Brown, Rt. Hon. Ernest, P. C. 1935; M. C., Minister of Labour since 1935. Born



on 27th August, 1881; Educated at Torquay, Baptist lay preacher, Brotherhood worker and political lecturer. Married Isabel Eva, daughter of R. B. Narraolt, Torquay.

Parliamentary Secretary, Ministry of Health, 1931-32; Chairman, Select Committee on Procedure, House of 1931-32; Commons Secretary to Mines Department, 1932-35.

Address—1, Braumton Mansions, E. C. 1.

Morrison, Rt. Hon. William Shepherd, M.C.; K.C. 1934; Minister of Agriculture since



1937. Educated at George Watson's College and Edinburgh University (M. A.). Married Katherine Allison, daughter of late Rev. William Swan, and has three sons. Served European War, 1914-18; (wounded, M.C., dispatches thrice

1914 Star); President Edinburgh University Union and Senior President Students' Representative Council, 1920; Called to Bar (Inner Temple), 1923; Private Secretary to Solicitor-General, 1922-23, 1924-27, and to Attorney-General, 1927-29; Member Medical Research Council and Industrial Health Research Board, 1931-36; M. P. (C) Gloucester and Tewkesbury Division of Gloucestershire since 1929; Parliamentary Private Secretary to Attorney-General, 1931-35; Recorder of Walsall, 1935-36; Financial Secretary to the Treasury, 1935-37. Publications: Miscellaneous articles and reviews.

Address—6, King's Bench Walk, Temple, E. C. 4.

Hore-Belisha, Rt. Hon. Leslie, P.C., 1935; Secretary of State for War since 1937.



Educated at Clifton College; Paris; Heidelberg and St John's College, Oxford (M.A.); Bar-at-law. President, Oxford Union Society, 1919; served European war; M. P., (L. Nat.) Devonport since 1923; Parlia-

mentary Secretary to the Board of Trade, 1931-32; Financial Secretary to the Treasury, 1932-34; Minister of Transport, 1931-37.

Inskip, Rt. Hon. Sir Thomas (Walker Hobart), P.C., 1931; Kt. 1922; C.B.E. 1920;



K. C. 1914; Hon. LL. D., Bristol University; Minister for the Co-ordination of Defence since 1936. Born on 5th March, 1876; son of late James Inskip. Educated at Clifton and King's College, Cambridge; M. A.,

Classical Tripos, 1897; called to Bar, 1899. Married Lady Augusta Orr Ewing, eldest daughter of 7th Earl of Glasgow, and has one son. Head of Naval Law Branch Admiralty, 1918; Admiralty Representative on War Crimes Committee, 1918-19; Benchet Inner Temple; J. P. Wigtownshire; Chancellor of

Truro Diocese, 1920-22; M. P. (U) Central Bristol, 1918-29; M. P. (U) Farham Division of Hants since 1931; Solicitor-General, 1922-24, 1924-28 and again from 1931-32; Attorney-General, 1928-29 and 1932-36.

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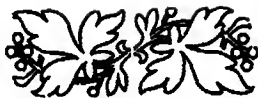
Elliot, Rt. Hon. Walter Elliot, P. C., 1932; P. R. S., 1935; Secretary for Scot-



land since 1937. Educated at Glasgow Academy and University; Hon. LL. D. Aberdeen, 1929. Married in 1919 (first marriage) Helen (died 1919); second marriage in 1934 with Katharine Tennant, daughter of late Sir

Charles Tennant. Served European War, 1914-18 (M. C. and bar); M. P. (U) Lanark, 1918-23; Kelvingrove Division for Glasgow since 1924; Parliamentary Under-Secretary for Health, Scotland, 1923-24 and again from 1924-26; Parliamentary Under-Secretary of State for Scotland, 1926-29; Financial Secretary to the Treasury, 1931-32; Rector of Aberdeen University since 1933; Minister of Agriculture and Fisheries, 1932-37. Publication "Toryism and the Twentieth Century," 1927.

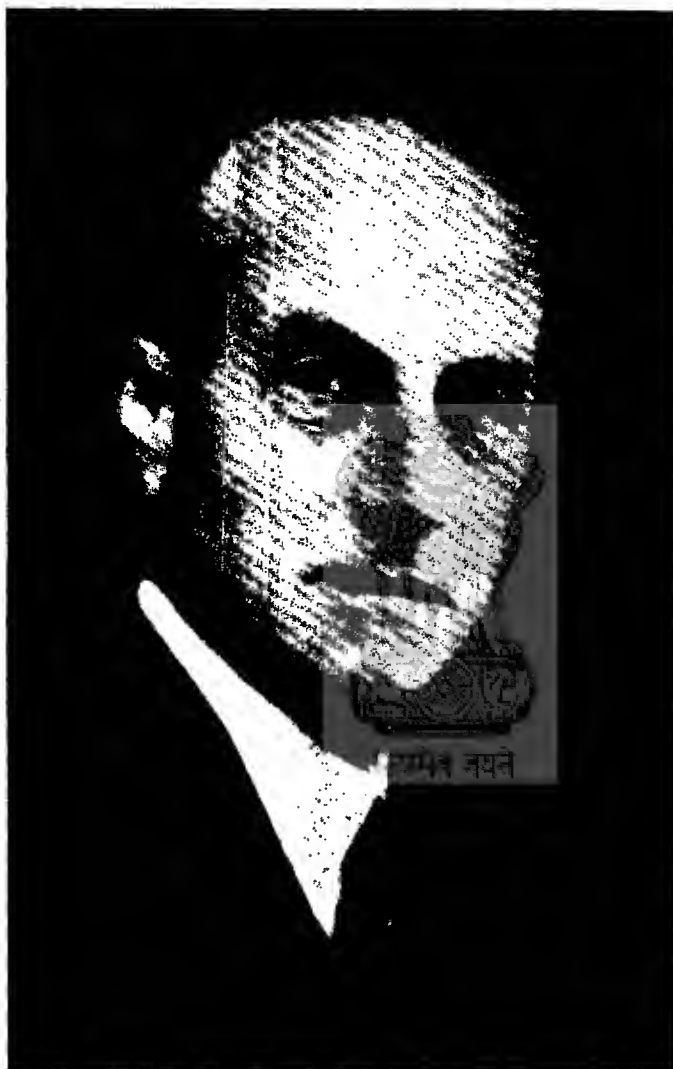
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The Rt. Hon'ble Sir Samuel John Gurney Hoare, 2nd Bt. (1899); P.C. 1922, G.C.S.I. 1931; G.B.E. 1927; C.M.G. 1917; I.L.D. Cambridge; Hon. Air Commodore; D.L., J.P.



Home Secretary, since 1937. Born on 24th February, 1880, oldest son of 1st Bt. and Katharine Louisa Hart. Educated at Harrow and New Colleges, Oxford. Succeeded his father in 1915. Married in 1909 Lady Maud Lygon, D.B.E. (1927), daughter of 6th Earl Beauchamp. Heir: Oliver Vaughan Gurney. Assistant Private Secretary to Rt. Hon. A. Lyttelton, Colonial Secretary, 1905; M.P. (C) Chelsea since 1910; Secretary of State for Air, 1922-24 and 1924-29; Deputy High Commissioner of the League of Nations for care of Russian Refugees, 1921; Secretary of State for India, 1931-35; Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, 1935; First Lord of Admiralty, 1936; Member of Royal Commission on Civil Service; Member of Royal Commission on Honours; Member of Ulsterwater Conference on Electoral Reform, and Indian R.P.C.; Lt. Col. G. S. O.I., 1917; Commander of Orders of St. Anne and St. Stanislaus; Officer of the Order of St. Maurice and Lazarus; Czechoslovak

Croix de Guerre, Grand Cross, North Star, White Lion, and L'annobrog; Despatches twice.

Publications: "A Flying Visit to the Middle East India by Air" 1927; "The Fourth Seal", 1930.

Address—Templewood, Northrepps, Cromer.

Secretary of State for India.

The Rt. Hon'ble the Marquess of Zetland, 2nd Marquess (1892), Lawrence John Lumley Dundas, P.C. 1922; G.C.S.I. 1922; G.C.I.E. 1917; F.B.A.; Bt. 1762; Baron Dundas, 1794; Earl of Zetland, 1838; Earl of Ronaldshay (U.K.) 1892; Secretary of State for India since 1935. Born on 11th June 1876; eldest son of the First Marquess of Zetland. Succeeded his father in March 1929. Educated at Harrow, and Trinity College, Cambridge. Married in 1907 Cicely, second daughter of Col. Mervyn Archdale, late 12th Lancers, and has two sons and three daughters (Heir: Earl of Ronaldshay). Travelled over many unbeaten tracks in Persia, Asia, Siberia, China and India from 1898-1907; A.D.C. Viceroy's Staff, India, 1900; Capt. 1st N. Riding of Yorkshire Volunteer Artillery; M.P. (U) Hornsey Division Middlesex, 1907-16; Member, Royal Commission on the Public Services in India, 1912-14; Governor of Bengal, 1917-22; President, Royal Geographical Society, 1922-25, and now a Trustee of the same; President of the Indian Society; President, Royal Asiatic Society, 1928-31; Member, Indian Round Table Conference, 1930-31; Member, Parliamentary Joint Select Committee on India 1933; A Steward of the Jockey Club, 1928-31; Provincial Grand Master of the Freemasons of the North and East Ridings of Yorkshire; a Governor of Harrow School; Hon. LL.D., Cambridge; Hon. D. Litt. Leeds; Hon. LL.D., Glasgow; a Fellow of the British Academy.

Publications: "Sports and Politics under an Eastern Sky," 1902; "On the Outskirts of Empire in Asia," 1904; "A Wandering Student in the Far East," 1908; "An Eastern Miscellany," 1911; "Lands of the Thunderbolt;" "Sikhim, Chumbi and Bhutan," 1923; "India, a Bird's Eye View," 1924; "The Heart of Aryavarta," (awarded Gold Medal of the Royal Empire Society) 1925; "The Life of Lord Curzon" (the Authorised Biography of Marquess of Curzon) 1928; "The Letters of Disraeli to Lady Bradford and Lady Chesterfield," 1929; "The Life of Lord Cromer" (the authorised Biography of Evelyn Baring, 1st Earl of Cromer), 1932; "Steps Towards Indian Home Rule," 1935.

Clubs: Carlton, Turf, Boodle's; Jockey, New Market.

Address: India Office, Whitehall, and Aske, Richmond,
Yorkshire.



The Rt. Hon'ble The Marquess of Zetland,
Secretary of State for India.

His Excellency, the Most Hon'ble the Marquess of Linlithgow, Victor Alexander John Hope, K.T. 1928; P.C.

1935; G.M.S.I.; G.M.F.; G.C.S.I. 1936; G.C.J.F. 1929; D.L.; T.D.; Viceroy and Governor-General of India since 1936; Earl of Hopetoun, 1703; Viscount Aithrie, Baron Hope, 1703; Baron Hopetoun (U.K.) 1809; Baron Niddry (U.K.) 1814; Lord Lieutenant of West Lothian; Chairman of Market Supply Committee, 1933-36; Late Chairman, Mont Advisory Committee, Board of Trade; Chairman of Medical Research Council, 1934-36; Chairman, Governing Body, Imperial College of Science and Technology, 1934-36; Late Director of the Bank of Scotland; Scottish Widows' Fund and Life Assurance Society, J. & P. Coutts, Ltd.; Scottish Agricultural Industries, Ltd.; British Assets Trust, Ltd.; Second British Assets Trust, Ltd.; Fellow of the Royal Society of Edinburgh.

Born on 24th September 1887; Eldest son of First Marquess and Hon'ble Hersey de Moleyns, third daughter of 4th Lord Ventry. Succeeded to the title in 1908 on attainment of his majority. Educated at Eton. Married in 1911, Doreen Maud O.L. (1936), second daughter of Rt. Hon. Sir F. Milner, 7th Bt. Has two sons and three daughters. The sons, Charles William Frederick, Earl of Hopetoun, and Lord John Adrian are twins born in 1912. Served European War, 1914-18, and was mentioned in despatches for his gallantry; Commanded 1st Lothians and Border Armoured Car Coy, 1920-26; Civil Lord of the Admiralty 1922-24; Deputy Chairman of the Unionist Party Organisation, 1924-26; President of Navy League, 1924-31; Chairman, Departmental Committee on distribution and Prizes of Agricultural Produce, 1923; Chairman of Edinburgh and East of Scotland College of Agriculture, 1924-33; Chairman, Royal Commission on Indian Agriculture, 1926-28; Chairman, Joint Select Committee on Indian Constitutional Reform, 1933. Assumed charge as Viceroy and Governor-General of India from April, 1936.

Recreation:—Golf, Shooting.

Clubs:—Carlton; New Edinburgh.

Address:—Viceroy's House, New Delhi; or Viceregal Lodge, Simla.

Lawrence Roger Lumley, M.P. (U) York Governor-Designate of Bombay. Born on 27th



July, 1896; second and only surviving son of the late Brigadier-General Hon. Osbert Lumley, C.M.G., and late Constance Eleanor, O.B.E., eldest daughter of Captain Gustave John Wilson-Pattison, 1st Life Guards, and Emily Constantia, daughter of Rev. Lord John Thynne. Nephew and heir of 10th Earl of Scarborough. Mr. Lumley was educated at Eton; R.M.C., Sandhurst and Magdalene College, Oxford; B.A. (Oxford), 1921. Married in 1922 Katharine Isabel, daughter of late R.F. McEwen of Marchmont, Berwickshire, and Bardrochat, Ayrshire, and has one son, born on 5th December, 1932, and four daughters. He first entered Parliament as a Conservative Member for Kingston-upon-Hull, East from 1922-29; re-elected to the House for the constituency of York, since 1931. Served in the European War from 1916 to 18, with the 11th Hussars, and was wounded in France. His official connection with the Government started in 1923 when he was made Parliamentary Private Secretary to the Rt. Hon. W. Ormsby-Gore; Under Secretary of State for the Colonies, and later on under Sir Auston Chamberlain from 1924 to 26; Parliamentary Private Secretary to Major Walter Elliott, Financial Secretary to the Treasury, 1931-32; to the Rt. Hon. Sir John Gilmour, 1932-35, and latterly to the Rt. Hon. Mr. Anthony Eden, Publications: "History of the Eleventh Hussars," 1936. Clubs: Cavalry, Carlton.

Address:—39, Eaton Square, S.W. 1.



**The Most Hon'ble The Marquess of Linlithgow,
Viceroy and Governor-General of India.**

His Excellency the Right Hon'ble Lord Brabourne, Fifth Baron (cr. 1880), **Michael Herbert Rudolph Knatchbull**, G. C. I. E. 1933; M. C., Governor of Bombay, since 1933, is one of the youngest Governors in India. Born on 8th May, 1895. Son of the Fourth Baron, whom he succeeded in February, 1933. Educated at Wellington College and the Royal Military Academy, Woolwich. Commissioned in the Royal Horse and Field Artillery in 1914. Served Overseas during the Great War from 1915 to 18 in the Royal Artillery and Royal Flying Corps. Transferred to the Royal Air Force in 1918, and retired in 1920. Awarded the Military Cross and mentioned three times in despatches. Entered Parliament as Conservative Member for the Ashford Division of Kent in 1931. Was Parliamentary Private Secretary to Sir Samuel Hoare, Secretary of State for India, 1932-33. Lord Brabourne married in 1919 Lady Doreen Geraldine Browne, youngest daughter of the Sixth Marquess of Sligo, and sister of the present Marquess. They have two sons, the Hon. Norton Cecil Michael Knatchbull (heir) born on the 11th February, 1922, and the Hon. John Ulrick Knatchbull, born 9th November, 1924.

Lord Brabourne is a Knight of Grace of St. John of Jerusalem (1933). He is the representative today of the Knatchbull family which has been known and honoured in Kent for centuries, and the owner of a famous house, Marsham Le Hatch, three miles from Ashford.

Though the present Lord Brabourne is only the fifth Baron of that title, he is the fourteenth Baronet, for the first of that line, Sir Norton Knatchbull, was created a Baronet in 1641. Long before that distinction came into the family the Knatchbills had been known in Kent. They originally lived at Lynpne where, according to the records, they were flourishing as early as the reign of Edward III. Many of the family entered Parliament, the best known of them being the first Lord Brabourne, who was raised to the peerage in 1880. He had been for many years Member for Sandwich, and was in succession a Lord of the Treasury, Under-Secretary for the Home Department, and Under-Secretary for the Colonies. It was he who, on coming into the Hugessen property, added the name Hugessen to Knatchbull, in 1847, a name which was dropped by the present Lord Brabourne in 1919.

Lord Brabourne, Governor of Bombay, has been appointed Governor of Bengal in succession to Sir John Anderson.

The official announcement states: "His Imperial Majesty the King-Emperor has been pleased to approve of the appointment of the Rt. Honourable Lord Brabourne to succeed the Rt. Honourable Sir John Anderson as Governor of Bengal with effect from November 25 next, up to which date the tenure of the appointment of Sir John Anderson has been extended."

Address—Government House, Bombay or Poona.

His Excellency Maurice Garnier Hallett, C.S.I. (1934); C.I.E. (1930); B.A.



(Oxon); I.C.S.; Governor of Bihar since 1937. Born on 28th October, 1883; son of late Rev. J.T. Hallett. Educated at Winchester College and New College, Oxford. Married Gladys, daughter of the late H.C. Veasey, and has two sons. Entered I.C.S., in 1907, and was Magistrate and Collector, 1916; Secretary, Local Self-Government Department, Government of Bihar and Orissa, 1920-24; Magistrate and Collector, 1925-29; Off. Commissioner, 1929-30; Chief Secretary to the Government of Bihar and Orissa, 1930-32; Secretary to Government of India, Home Department, 1932-36.

Recreations—Tennis, polo, and shooting. Clubs—East India United Service.

Address—Governors Camp, Bihar.



H. E. The Right Hon'ble Lord Brabourne,
Governor of Bombay.

H. E. The Governor of Madras

His Excellency The Rt. Hon. Lord John Francis Ashley Erskine, G.C.L.E.

1931); Governor of Madras; Lieut. R. of O. Scots Guards; late Lieut. Scots Guards; M. P.

(U) Weston-super-

Mare Division of

Somerset, 1922-23,

and 1924-34. Born

on 26th April, 1895;

eldest son of 12th

Earl of Mar and

Kellie. Educated at

Eton and Christ

Church, Oxford.

Married in 1919

Lady Marjorie

Harvey, eldest

daughter of Fourth

Marquess of Bristol,

q. v., and has four

sons. Was Assist-

ant Private Secre-

tary, (unpaid) to

Rt. Hon. Walter

Long, (1st Lord of

Admiralty), 1920-

21; Parliamentary

Private Secretary

(unpaid) to the Post

Master-General,

(Sir W. Joynson

Hicks), 1923; Prin-

cipal Private Secretary (unpaid) to Home Secretary, 1921; Assistant Government Whip in National Government, 1932. Assumed charge as Governor of Madras on 15th November, 1934. Heir: Master of Erskine (Hon. John Francis Harvey Erskine, born on 15th February 1921.)

Address—Government House, Madras.



H. E. the Governor of Bengal

His Excellency, The Right Hon'ble Sir John Anderson, P.C., G.C.I.E. (1932); G.C.B. (1923); K.C.B. (1919); C.B. (1918); Commander of the Legion of Honour; Order of St. Anne; Commander of



the Crown of Italy, Governor of Bengal. Born on 8th July, 1882. Married Christina (d. 1920), 3rd daughter of the late Andrew Mackenzie of Edinburgh. Has one son and one daughter. Educated at George Watson's College, Edinburgh, and Edinburgh and Leipzig Universities. Entered the Colonial Office in 1905. Secretary of the Northern Nigeria Lands Committee, 1909; Secretary of the West African Currency Committee, 1911; Principal Clerk in the office of Insurance Commissioners, 1912; Secretary to Insurance Commissioners, 1913;

Secretary, Ministry of Shipping, 1917-19; Additional Secretary to the Local Government Board, April, 1919; Second Secretary, Ministry of Health 1919; Chairman of the Board of Inland Revenue, 1919-22; Joint Under-Secretary to the Lord Lieutenant of Ireland, 1920; Permanent Under-Secretary of State at the Home Office, 1922-32. Assumed charge as Governor of Bengal in 1932.

Address—Government House Calcutta.

H. E. the Governor of Sind

His Excellency, Sir Lancelot Graham, K.C.S.I. (1936); K.C.I.E. (1930); C.I.E. (1924)
M.A. (Oxon); Barrister-at-Law; I.C.S.; First Governor of Sind since 1936. Born on 18th April;

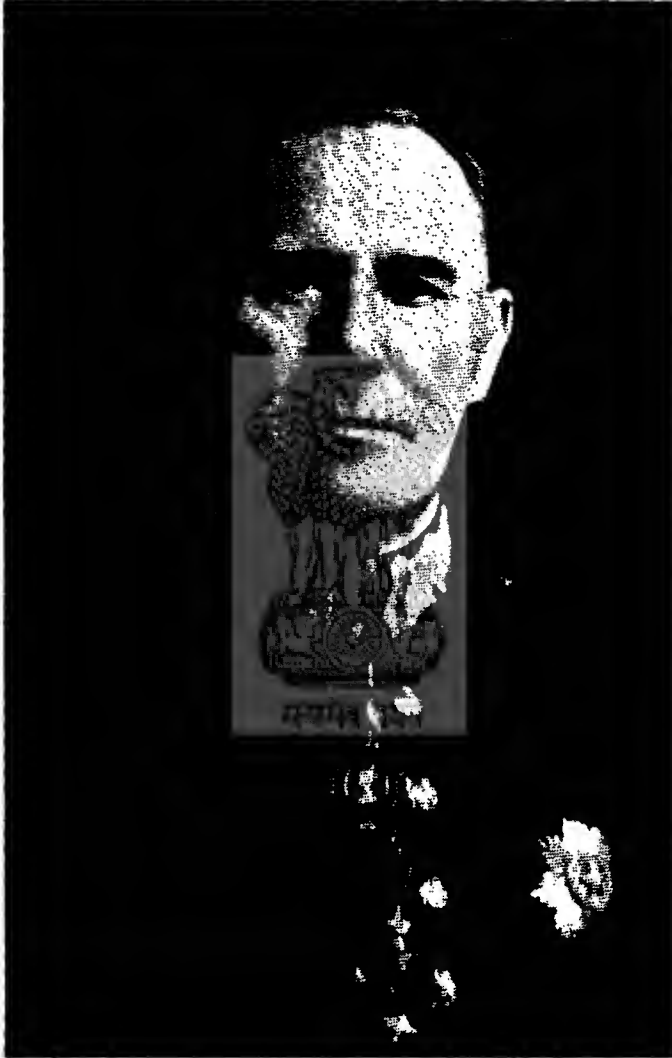


1890; son of late William Edgar Graham. Educated at St. Paul's School, London, and Balliol College, Oxford. Married in 1910, Olive, daughter of late Major-General Sir J. F. Maurice, K.C.B., and has one son and one daughter. Entered Indian Civil Service in 1904, and was posted as assistant Collector in the same year; Assistant Judge, 1908; Assistant Legal Remembrancer, Bombay, 1911; Judicial Assistant, Kathiawar, 1913; Joint Secretary, Legislative Department, Government of India, 1921-36. Clubs: Athenaeum, East India United Service, United University.

Address: Government House, Karachi.

H. E. the Governor of the Punjab

His Excellency Sir Herbert William Emerson, G.C.I.E., (1937); K. C. S. I. (1933); C.S.I. (1931); C.I.E. (1926) C.I.E. (1923); Governor of the Punjab. Born on 1st June 1881. Edu-



ated at Cadday Grange Grammar School and Magdalene College, Cambridge. Entered Indian Civil Service in 1905. Manager Bashahr State, 1911-14; Superintendent and Settlement Officer, Mandi State, 1915; Assistant Commissioner and Settlement Officer, Punjab, 1917; Deputy Commissioner, 1922; Secretary to Government Finance Department, 1926; Chief Secretary to the Punjab Government, 1927-28; Secretary to Government of India, Home Department, 1930-33. Assumed charge as Governor of the Punjab in 1933.

Address—Government House, Lahore.

H. E. the Governor of the United Provinces

His Excellency, Sir Harry Graham Haig, K.C.S.I. (1933); C.S.I. (1930); C.I.E. (1923) I.C.S., Governor of the United Provinces. Born on 18th April, 1881. Married Violet May,



daughter of J. Deas, I.C.S. (retired), and has three sons. Educated at Winchester and New Colleges, Oxford. Entered I.C.S. in 1905; Under-Secretary to U.P. Government, 1910-12; Indian Army Reserve of Officers, 1915-19; Deputy Secretary to Government of India, Finance Department, 1920; Secretary, Fiscal Commission, 1921-22; Attached to Lee Commission, 1923-24; Private Secretary to H. E. the Viceroy, 1925; Secretary to Government of India, Home Department, 1926-1930; Home-Member, Government of India, 1930-34. Assumed charge as Governor of the United Provinces on 6th December, 1934.

Address—Governor's Camp, U. P.

H. E. the Governor of the French Settlements in India

His Excellency, Solomiac Leon, Governor of the French Settlements in India.—Officer de la Légion d'Honneur. Born on the 20th July, 1884 at Cajac (Lot).—France.



Military Services from 11th November, 1902, to 19th September, 1903, and from 21st April, 1904, to 23rd September, 1905.—

"Commiss des Affaires indigènes," 20th December, 1906, "Adjoint des Affaires indigènes," 1st January, 1910.

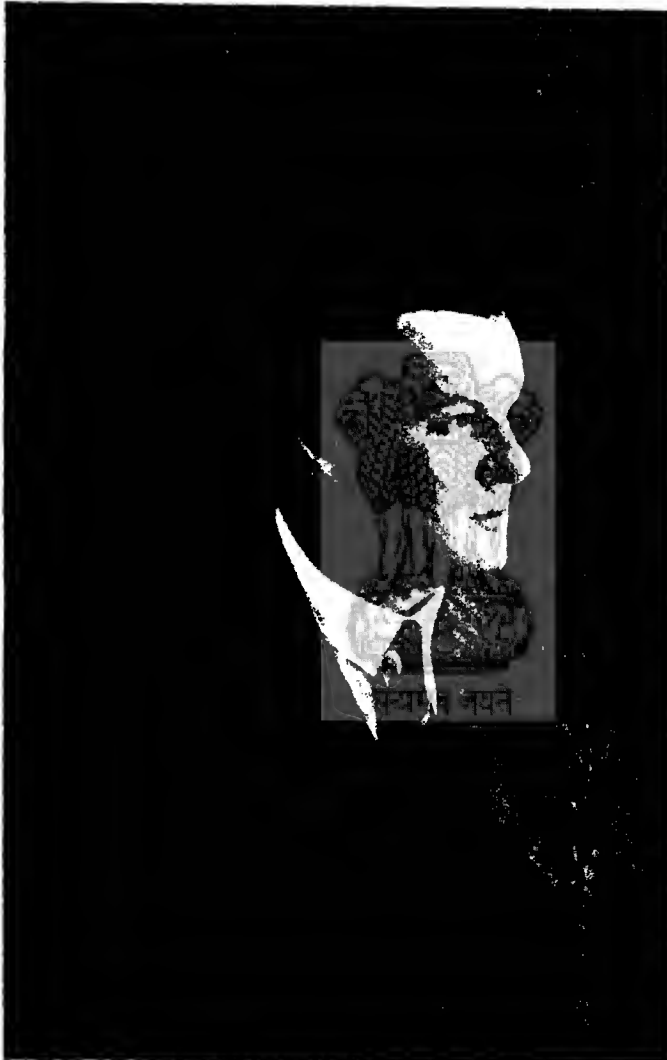
Deputy Administrator of Colonies, 30th December, 1915. Administrator of Colonies, 1st January, 1922. Chief Administrator of Colonies, 1st July, 1925. Chevalier de la Légion d'Honneur, 22nd July, 1925. Placed at the disposal of the High

Commissioner of French Republic in Syria; Governor of Colonies, 30th October 1930. Governor of the Comoros Islands, 26th January, 1933. Acting Governor of Sudan, 22nd May, 1933. On mission to act as Labour Inspector of the French Western Africa Government General, 22nd January, 1934. Appointed as Governor of French India, from 7th April, 1934.

Address—Pondichery.

H. E. the Governor of Central Provinces

His Excellency Sir Hyde Clarendon Gowan, K.C.S.I., (1933); C.S.I., (1932); C.I.E., (1928); J.P., I.C.S., Governor of Central Provinces. Born on 4th July, 1878. Married Edna



(Gowan (nee. Brown) in 1905, and has three sons. Educated at Elstie School, Rugby School, New College, Oxford, and University College, London (1901-02). Entered I.C.S. and was Under-Secretary to C.P. Government, 1904-1908; Officiated as Under-Secretary of Commerce and Industries Department, Government of India, July to November, 1908; Settlement Officer, Hoshangabad District, 1918-18; Financial Secretary to Government C. P., 1918-21;

Deputy Commissioner, Nagpur, 1923-25; Financial Secretary to Government, 1925 and 1927 Chief Secretary, March, 1927; Revenue and Finance Member, C.P. Government, July, 1932 Assumed charge as Governor of Central Provinces in September, 1933.

Address —Government House, Nagpur.

ASSAM

His Excellency Sir Robert Niel Reid,
K.C.I.E. (1936); C.S.I. (1934); C.I.E. (1930);



Kaiser-i-Hind Gold Medal, 1924; Governor of Assam since 1937. Born on 15th July 1883; J. S. of David Reid, Sevenoaks, Kent. Educated at Malvern and Brasenose College, Oxford. Married in 1909, Amy Helen, daughter of G. W. Disney, Muzaffarpur, India, and has three sons and one daughter. Entered I.C.S. in 1906 and was posted as Assistant Magistrate in Bengal, 1907; Under Secretary, 1911-14; I.A.B.O., 1916-19; Magistrate and Collector, 1920-27; Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Agriculture and Industries Department, 1927-28; Commissioner, Rajshahi Division, 1930; Offg. Chief Secretary, 1930-31; Commissioner, Chittagong Division, 1931; Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal, 1932-33; Acting member of Executive Council, Bengal, 1932; Member of Executive Council, Bengal, 1933-37.

Recreation—Polo, pigsticking, golf.

Club—East India United Service.

Address—Government House, Shillong, Assam.

N. W. F. Province

His Excellency Sir George Cunningham,
K.C.I.E. (1935); C.S.I. (1931); C.I.E.



(1925); O. B. E. (1920); B.A. (Oxon); I.C.S., Governor of North-West Frontier Province since 1937. Born on 23rd March 1888. Son of late James Cunningham, J.L.D., St Andrews. Educated at Fettes College, Edinburgh, and Magdalene College, Oxford. Married in 1929, Kathleen Mary Adair, Tullow, Co. Carlow. Entered I. C. S. in 1911, and joined the Political Department in 1914. Served on N. W. Frontier, 1914-25 as Assistant to the Chief Commissioner, and as Political Agent, North Waziristan; Counsellor, British Legation, Kabul, 1925-26; Private Secretary to H. E. the Viceroy, 1926-31; Member of the Executive Council N.W.F. Province, 1932-36.

Recreation—Shooting, fishing, golf.

Clubs—Caledonian; New Edinburgh; Royal and Ancient Golf, St. Andrews.

Address—Government House, Peshawar.

ORISSA

His Excellency Sir John Austen Hubback, K. C. S. I. (1936); C. S. I. (1933);



I.C.S., M.A. (Cambr.); Governor of Orissa since 1st April, 1936. Born on 27th February 1878. Educated at Winchester and King's College, Cambridge. Married Bridget Allington Roys. Entered I.C.S. in 1902 and was posted as Assistant Magistrate and Collector and Settlement

Officer in Bengal; Settlement Officer, 1909; Joint Magistrate and Deputy Collector, 1910; Transferred to Bihar and Orissa, 1912; Secretary to the Board of Revenue, 1913; Temporarily employed by Revenue and Statistics Department, India Office, 1915; Magistrate and Collector, 1916; Served under Government of India, Army Department, 1918; Secretary to the Government of Bihar and Orissa, Revenue Department, 1919; Director of Land Record, 1923; Offg. Commissioner, 1925; Confirmed, 1928; Offg. Member, Board of Revenue, 1932; Member Governor's Executive Council, Bihar and Orissa, 1935. Assumed charge as first Governor of Orissa on 1st April 1936.

Address—Government House, Puri.

BURMA

His Excellency The Hon. Commander Sir Archibald Douglas Cochrane, K. C. S. I. (1936) D.S.O. (1915);



Governor of Burma since 1936. Born on 8th January 1885; second son of Lord Cochrane of Cultra, and great grandson of the distinguished seaman, Lord Cochrane, tenth Earl of Dundonald, who as a Junior captain led the attack on Napoleon's ships in 1809,

and was awarded with the Knighthood of the Bath. Married in 1926, Julia Dorothy, daughter of 1st Baron Cornwallis, and has one

son and one daughter. Entered R. N. in 1901; served in European War, 1914-18; (despatches thrice, D. S. O. and bar); retired list, 1922; Unionist M. P. East Effe, 1924-29; Elected for Dunbartonshire at a by-election, 1932-36.

Address—Government House, Rangoon.

CEYLON

His Excellency Sir (Reginald) Edward Stubbs, G.C.M.G. (1928); K.C.M.G.



(1919); C.M.G. (1914); F.Z.S.; First Class Japanese Order of the Rising Sun, 1921; Governor and Commander-in-Chief of Ceylon since 1933. Born on 18th October, 1876, son of late Rt. Rev. William Stubbs, D.D., Bishop of Oxford. Educated at Radley and Corpus Christi College, Oxford; First Class Classical Moderations, 1897; First Litt. Hum., 1899; B.A., 1899; M.A., 1920; Hon. Fellow Corpus Christi College, 1926; Hon. LL.D., Hong Kong, 1926; Second Class Clerk, Colonial Office, 1900; Acting First Class Clerk, 1907; First Class Clerk, 1910; sent on special mission to Malaya Peninsula and Hong Kong, 1910-11; Member of West African Lands Committee, 1912; Colonial Secretary of Ceylon, 1913-19; Administered Government of Ceylon on several occasions; Governor of Hong Kong, 1919-25; Captain-General and Governor-in-Chief of Jamaica, 1926-32; Governor and Commander-in-Chief of Cyprus, 1932-33. Publication: *Tuam's Historical Geography*, Vol. 1; second edition, 1906. Club. Athenaeum.

Address—Queen's House, Colombo, Ceylon.

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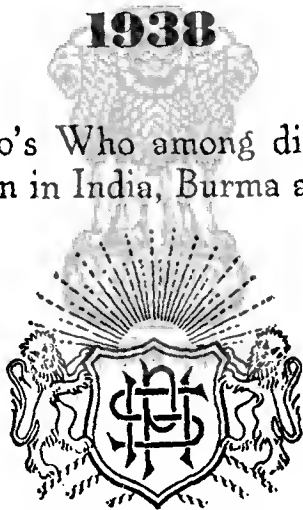
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Agakhan, Aga Sultan Mahomed Shah, (C.C.I.E., (1902); G.C.S.I., (1911); G.C.V.O. (1923); K.C.I.E., (1898); LL.D., Hon. Camb. Brilliant Star of Zanzibar (1900), 1st Class; Head



of Ismail Mohammedans. Born in 1875, he has all through his life worked, and is still working untiringly for the uplift of the entire Moslem World and is the greatest living Moslem in the Islamic World. He is the Patron of the Western Islamic Association, an association which has built Mosques all over England, and is also connected with the London Mosque Fund and the Indigent Moslem Burial Fund in England. He represented the Moslems on the Moragague Chelmsford Reforms and zealously fought for Moslem political rights as the head of the Moslem delegation at the Round Table Conference. He has been granted the rank and status of a first class Chief, with a salute of eleven guns, in recognition of his loyal services during the European War. He is a great sport and owns a remarkably good string of thorough-bred horses, which has won for him a number of trophies in England and in India. He has his own Stud in England and he is the first Indian to win the Derby. He is a vigorous writer to the press and is also the author of various publications including "India in Transition."

His Highness in the course of a cordial interview said, "From my young days, I had a terrific curiosity and everything interested me; so everything I saw or heard of, I wanted to probe its origin. Of course politics were a necessary consequence of my position and I have nearly spent my whole time in politics. My last four years were really the most interesting to me of my life, because we had on one side of the Round Table Conference Indian Delegations,

and on the other side, British Delegates. And for two years, I was at the same time at Geneva in connection with the Disarmament Conference. Then there was the meeting of the League of Nations and the China-Japanese Conference. So these were really of great interest to me."

"Whatever anybody may say of anything, we have got India one step nearer to our objective of full Dominion Status", His Highness observed. Concluding he said, "Since I was a boy of thirteen the debates of Gladstone, Chamberlain, Lord Rosebury and Salisbury interested and turned me towards politics. Men like late Justice Telang, late Justice Ramdas and late Sir Pherozshah Mehta reproduced on a small scale in India the debates and the work of English orators. On one side, I read of political battles of Europe and on the other side, I saw and heard debates in Bombay and Poona. Since then I have become a politician."

Address—Aga Hall, Bombay.

Aly Khan, The Prince Aly Shah.

Born 13th June 1911. Eldest son and Heir Apparent of H. H. the Aga Khan. Q. V. an Imam of the Shia Ismailia sect of Muhammadans. Was secretary to the British Indian Delegation at the second Round Table Conference.

Publication—The Life of Aga Khan.

Recreation—Racing, Flying, Riding, Shooting, Hunting, Motoring.

Clubs—Athloneum, Marlborough.

Address—Yerowda Palace, Poona, India.

Ajaigarh, Bundelkhand, H. H. Sawai Maharaja Bhopal Singh Sahib Bahadur.

Born on 13th November 1866 (son of Sawai Maharaja Sir Ranjore Singh Bahadur, K.C.I.E.). Married and has one son; Educated at Rajkumar College, Nowgong, Bundelkhand.

Area of the State—807 square miles.

Population—85,895.

Salute—11 guns.

Recreations—Agriculture and sporting.

Address—Ajaigarh, Central India.

Ali-Rajpur, H. H. Raja Sir Pratap Singhji, K. C. I. E. (1933); C.I.E. (1915)

Raja of—Born in 1881. Succeeded to the Gadi in 1891.

Area of the State—836 sq. miles.

Population—89,864.

Son and Heir Apparent—Maharajkumar Fatehsinhji.

The Raja receives a hereditary salute—11 guns.

Address—Ali-Rajpur, (Via Dohad, B.B. and C.T.) Southern States, Central India.

Ambaliara, Thakore Shree, Keshri-sinhji, Thakore Sahib of.

He is 50 years of age. Has three sons.

Area of the State—is approximately 67 sq. miles.

Population—nearly 11,000.

Revenue—Approximately Rs. 96,000.

Address—Ambaliara.

Athmalik, Raja Shri Kishore Chandra Dev Ruling Chief of.

Born on 10th November 1904. Succeeded to the Gadi on the 3rd November 1918 and was invested with full ruling powers on the 4th December 1925. Educated at the Rajkumar College, Raipur, C. P. Married in 1923 Shrimati Laxmi Priya Devi the daughter of the chief of Keonjhar (Orissa) and on her death in 1917 married a second time in 1929 Shrimati Shrimuta Manjeri Devi a princess belonging to the illustrious Bhanja House of Mayurbhanj (Orissa).

Area of the State—711 square miles.

Population—64,274.

Revenue—Rs. 210,000.

Address—Athmalik State, Orissa.

Dungarpur, H.H. Rai-Rayan, Mahi-Mahendra, Maharajadhiraj Mahairawal Shri Lakshman Singhji Bahadur, Ruler of.

Born in 1908. Ascended the Gadi 1918. Educated at the Mayo College, Ajmer. Married in 1920 to the daughter of the late Raja of Bhinga in U.P. and a second time in 1928 to a Princess of Kishongarh. the second daughter of His late Highness Maharaja Madan Singhji Bahadur of Kishongarh. Heir—Maharaja Kumar Shri Mahipal Singhji Bahadur.

Area of the State—1,460 sq. miles.

Population—2,27,000.

Revenue—Rs. 8,85,000.

Salute—15 guns.

Address—Dungarpur.

Jath, Sub-Lt. Shrimant Vijayasinh-rao Ramrao alias Babasaheb Dagle, R. I. N. Ruler of.

Born 21st July 1909. Ascended the Gadi on 12th January 1929. Married in 1929 Shrimanti Liliavati Raju, the oldest daughter of the late Rajesahab of Akalkot. Visited England in 1932 to attend the 3rd R.T.C. on the invitation of the Secretary of State for India. Appointed Sub-Lt. in the Royal Indian Navy and has already undergone the requisite course of Naval Training. He is an all round sportsman and a good cricketer. Takes keen interest in Scouting.

Area of the State—981 Sq. miles.

Revenue Rs. 3,53,499.

Population—91,099.

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1922 ...	2,60,000	24,000	3,75,000	7,17,000
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Nawab Azimjah, umdatul Umra, Sirajul umra, Amirul Umra Madarul mulk, Umdatul-Mulk, Azimad Dowla, Asadul Dowlathul Ingliz, His Highness Sir Ghulam Mahammad Ali Khan Bahadur, G.C.I.E., Zulfigar Jung, Sipah Salar, Amor-i- Arcot, or Prince of Arcot. The present Prince of Arcot is the 35th in lineal descent from Hazrath Caliph Omar, the second successor of the great Prophet Muhammad. He is the direct male descendant and representative of the Sovereign Ruler of the Carnatic. His late Highness Nawab Wallajah. His Excellency Nawab Anwaruddin Khan, father of the said H. H. The Nawab Wallajah, held a position of great trust and responsibility under H. H. The Nawab Nizamulmulk, Asafjah Bahadur, the founder of the present Hyderabad Dynasty. He started his governing career of ever increasing responsibilities and gravest concerns in the Carnatic, and eventually developed the dominion of his rule and founded the "House of Arcot." Some of his ancestors were Kings of Kabul and several of them belonged to Abbasid Dynasty who ruled Persia with conspicuous ability. After their advent in India they occupied high position in the Courts of the Moghul Emperors Shahjahan and Aurangzeb. The title of Nawab Begam Sahiba was conferred on His Highness' Mother Dowager, Princess of Arcot.

His Highness received his preliminary education under Mr. J. Creighton, and thereafter educated at Newington, Court of Wards Institution, Madras, under Mr. G. Morrison, M.A. Has two daughters unmarried. Received the title of Khan Bahadur when he was in his teens in 1897; was created K.C.I.E., in 1909; G.C.I.E., in 1917, and conferred the title of "Highness" in 1935. His Highness celebrated his Silver Jubilee in 1928 with great *ecelat*. His public activities have been many and manifold. In 1901-1906, was member of the Madras Legislative Council, and in 1910 was an elected member of the Imperial Legislative Council. Later again he was a member of the Madras Legislative Council by nomination in 1916. He was present at the Allahabad Hindu-Muslim Conference of 1910. Held the most responsible

position of the President of the Madras Muslim League with great credit, and presided over the All India Muslim League in 1910 at Delhi on the invitation of His Highness The Aga Khan. He is a member of the Gymkhana Club, Madras, and life member of the Lawley Institute at Ootacamund, as also of the South Indian Athletic Association, Madras, and as well as the Patron of the Madras Cosmopolitan Club. He has travelled over most of the places in India. His great and conscientious labours in the service of King and Country will ever be remembered both by the Muslims and the Hindus alike. He has rendered great and most distinguished services during the Great War, which were suitably acknowledged by the then Viceroy of India and by the Local Government. His Highness was a State Guest at the last Coronation Durbar held at Delhi in 1911. His Highness has a decent income from his own property besides the state allowance that he gets from Government for the upkeep of his position and also has his ancestral endowments in Trichinopoly, etc.

He enjoys in India the unique honour of holding the English title of Prince of Arcot, and of being the Premier nobleman and the recognised head of the Muslim Community in South India. He enjoys the privilege of an annual exchange of official visits with the Governor of Madras. He is exempt from attendance in Civil Courts of Law. He possesses three cannons to fire salutes on important occasions. He is allowed to maintain an Infantry Guard. The present residence of His Highness the Prince of Arcot is the building called "Amir Mahal Palace" having its own charm of grandeur, which belongs to the Government of Madras and has been provided for the use of His Highness and for his successors in the title; from the time of His late Highness Sir Zaherud Dowlah Bahadur, G. C. S. I., the second Prince of Arcot, the Government up keeps the Palace building.

Address - Amir Mahal Palace, Royapetah,
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Shrimant Bhavanrao Shiriniwasrao, alias Babasaheb Pant Pratidinidhi, the Rajasahab of Amudh, is a graduate of the Bombay University and a Treaty Chief. His age is 66 and he is married to Shrinatti Sanbhagyawati Ramdat Shah *alias* Maisahab from the Red family of Poona.

Hear-apparent—Shrimant Bhagwantro *alias* Bapusahab is 15 years of age.

Shrimant Putsahab is alive to the rapid progress going on in the civilized world. A Legislative Assembly was established in the State in 1924. Its strength consists of thirty-nine members with a predominating popular element. The notable feature of the Assembly is that it includes two female members. The Assembly is competent to discuss any subject and pass resolutions without restrictions, while the Annual Budget is passed item by item.

By the Amudh State Act passed in 1931 a Darbar has been formed to run the administration. It is a miniature executive council and consists of the Dewan of Amudh and the High Court Judge. An elected representative of the people is to be a member of the Darbar from 1935. He takes considerable interest in Rural Uplift and has been making vigorous efforts in that direction.

Shrimant Putsahab is a keen student of drawing and painting and has edited "Picture Vorn", "Pictorial Ajanta", "Pictorial Ramayana" and "Life of Shivaji" in three picture volumes. He also takes great interest in physical exercise and has written in English a book on the subject called "The Surya Namaskars."

The State possesses an independent High Court. Most of the villages have Village Panchayats.

Shrimant Vijaysinhrao Fettesinhrao Raje Bhosle, Raje Saheb of Akalkot. He was born on the 13th December 1915. He belongs to the high caste Maratha Bhosle Family and is a Treaty Raja and First Class Sardar. He has one younger brother and two sisters, the elder of whom is married to the Chief Saheb of Jath.

Married Princess Kamala Raje, daughter of the late Major General H. H. Maharaja Sir Madhavrao Scindia, Aliga Bahadur, Gwalior, on 23rd February 1934 but it is most unfortunate that she expired on 19th March 1934 at Akalkot.

Colonel E. V. Sarson, D.S.O. has been appointed by the Darbar as Guardian to Shrimant Raje Saheb from 1st of July 1934 in his administrative training at Bangalore and other places. Invested with full ruling powers on 27th February 1936.

Area of State—498 square miles.

Population—92,605.

Revenue—6,80575.

Address—Akalkot, G. I. P. Railway.

Lieutenant-Colonel His Highness Sikander Saulat Iftikharul-Mulk Nawab Sir Mohammad Hamidullah Khan, Bahadur, G.C.S.I., G.C.I.E., G.V.O., Ruler of Bhopal, was born in 1894 and succeeded to the throne in 1926. His Highness married in 1905 Maimuna Sultan Shaha Bano Begum Sahiba, a grand-daughter of Shahzada Jehangir of Kabul and Peshawar and has three daughters.

His Highness was created a G.C.S.I. in 1912, a G.C.I.E. in 1920, and a G.V.O. as a third son of the late Ruler, in 1922. He was made an Honorary Lieutenant Colonel in the British Army in 1928. His Highness was educated at the Mohammedan Anglo-Oriental College, Aligarh (now Aligarh Muslim University) and after taking his B.A. degree in 1915 from the Allahabad University, he put in a further year to study law, and then returned to Bhopal, where, after undergoing a period of thorough practical training in almost every branch of the State administration, he was appointed Chief Secretary to His Highness the Nawab-Begum. Since his succession to the throne he has introduced a large number of reforms in the State administration. The Government of Bhopal is conducted under the personal direction of His Highness the Ruler, assisted by an Executive Council and a Legislative Council. His Highness has completely separated the Judiciary from the Executive and has established a High Court and a Judicial Council. As the land revenue system of the State, known as Mustajiri, under which each village was leased for the period of settlement to a contractor, often operated harshly on the tenants, the Ryotwari system has been introduced.

His Highness was a member of the Standing Committee of the Chamber of Princes from 1926-31, Chancellor of the Chamber of Princes, 1931-32. As a member of and Standing Committee, Chamber of Princes, he represented the State before the Indian States Enquiry Committee. He was a delegate to the first and second Round Table Conferences, held in London in 1930 and 1931. He was Chancellor of the Aligarh Muslim University from 1930-35.

His Highness is a renowned sportsman, being a first class polo player and rifle shot. He is also a keen yachtsman and cricketer. He visited England and Europe in 1911, 1925, 1928, 1930, 1931, 1932, and 1934.

Address—Bhopal.

BARODA

His Highness Farzand-i-khas-i-Dowlat-i-Englishia Maharaja Sir Sayaji Rao Gaekwar Sena Khas Khel Samsher Bahadur, G.C.S.I., G.C.I.E., J.L.D., Maharaja to



Baroda. Born in 1863. Ascended the Gadi 1875. Invested with full powers in 1881. Gifted by Nature with a remarkable power of brain and a very strong will; deprived by circumstances of education of any kind up to his twelfth year; lifted, entirely beyond expectation, from the life of a peasant boy to a throne and great riches; thereafter subjected to a course of intensive culture which would have given most boys a profound distaste for study, but which left him with a

sense of his deficiencies and a determination to make them good; invested with full powers, within the limits imposed by his position as a *native* ruler in India, at the age of eighteen, and called upon, without the aid of anyone on whom he might look as a friend and companion, to exercise those powers—His Highness Maharaja Sayajirao III was marked out for a human experiment of the highest interest.

Apart from the question of what his personality might effect, the odds were that the experiment would fail. Tradition was against success; the traditions of a parvenu, the traditions of Baroda. Wealth and an autocratic position, coupled with freedom from outside dangers, offered the young Prince the opportunity to pass a life of ease, extravagance and dissipation, like so many of the distant kinsmen who had preceded him on the throne of Baroda, like so many more of the Indian Rajas, his neighbours. But Sayajirao III flouted tradition. He put aside resolutely the temptation to follow the easy road, and from the beginning of his actual rule kept his steps, undeviating, to the path of duty toward his State. From this path he has never since strayed. Handicapped by attacks of illhealth and many domestic sorrows, he has fixed his eyes on the goal for fifty years, overcoming obstacles by steady persistency and ever searching for new ideas which will help him to the attainment of his desire. His illnesses, he has even turned to profit; for, compelled to look for the remedy in foreign travel he has made foreign travel the means of his own higher education. He has proved, indeed, his favourite contention that travel is the highest form of education; and characteristically he has given the opportunity to others to prove it, with a view to fitting them for the task of helping him in the administration of Baroda. He has his reward in the affection of his subjects, the admiration of educated and discerning Indians, and even some measure of appreciation from the rest of the world, not apt to give much attention to the rulers of Indian States. He has not lacked detractors; a sure sign that a man has tried to accomplish something in his life, he has passed through storms at home and abroad. But injustice has left him, if not untouched, at least unfaltering. A will like his, does not bow to accidents. He has lived down the unfair criticisms, the unwarranted interpretations, the ill-informed condemnations, and the

intentional malice, and now perhaps, after about sixty years of reign, will be permitted to enjoy the prize which he has so deserved.

An obvious comment on his achievement is that it is on a very small scale, that he is only the ruler of a territory of 8,000 square miles, of a people 2,000,000 in number, of a puppet State. How would he have done if he had a large kingdom, many millions of subjects, an absolutely independent authority? But such belittlement of what he has done would be absurd. The value of an experiment does not depend on its size. Great tests can be made even under the microscope. His Highness has taken the material which was to hand, and within its bounds has striven to prove his understanding of the duties of the governor to the governed. He has felt himself that his sphere is small; but feels also that on a larger scale his opportunities would have been greater, not less. The testimony of history is on his side.

If, however, the limits of Baroda have cramped its Maharaja's scope, they have not prevented him from setting an example worthy to be followed far beyond the frontiers of his State.

"Whatsoever the noble man does, that same the other folk do, whatever he makes his standard, that the world obeys." (Bhagavad-gita). His Highness married in 1880 Shri Chinnabai Sahob, a princess belonging to the House of Tanjore, who died in 1885. Married second time in 1885, Shri Chinnabai Sahob of the Ghatge family of the Dewas State.

Recreation:—Billiards, tennis, shooting, tiger-hunting, etc.

Publications—(1) 'From Caesar to Sultan,' (2) "Famine Notes," (3) "Speeches," (4) "Selected Letters."

Heir—Shrimant Yuvaraj Partapsinh Gaekwar.

Dewan—Sir V. T. Krishnama Chari, Kt., K.C.I.E., C.I.E.

Area of the State—8,164 square miles.

Population—2,443,007 (1931).

Revenue—Rs. 270.10 lakhs.

Salute—21 guns.

Address—Baroda, Gujarat, Western India.

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Shri Yuvaraj Pratapsinh Raje Saheb of Baroda

Shrimant Yuvaraj Pratapsinh Raje Saheb was born on the 29th June 1908. He commenced his primary education in January 1914. In the year, 1917-18, he first began to



receive training in cricket, tennis, riding, swimming, cycling, and shooting under the guidance of experts therein, whose bright expectations about him, looking to the results achieved, can be said to have proved remarkably true.

Shikar especially attracted him in 1924, and in the month of May of that year he opened his career at Songhad by shooting two panthers and one tiger. In 1925 three lions and one panther were killed in the Dhari Jungle (Kathiawar). Every year added to his progress and skill therein.

After 1924 every year he visited different parts of India like Karwar, Amboli Damoha, Coochbihar, and Haridwar on the shooting tour, and many tigers, panthers, bears, bisons, and crocodiles were victims to his powerful attack. He has an experience in elephant-shooting, too. A great elephant in the forest of Kolingod was killed by him in 1927.

In 1926 after passing his Matriculation examination he joined Baroda College and had his own special

cricket team formed, himself captaining the same. The same year the All-India Cricket Tournament held at Delhi was won under his captainship. During his captainship in the Baroda College all the tournaments known as the Randle Cup Tournament were won by him for four successive years. He took a Cricket Team to Poona in the same year, won all the matches against local gymkhana. On the 24th October 1926, against the B.R. & C.J. Rly, which he was presented by Messrs. P. Vithal, B. Kapadia, L. Ranji and Godambe, he has scored 96. Throughout these tournaments the Yuvaraj Saheb shown as a nice, cool-headed captain, sound batsman, a steady bowler and an active field.

Since 1930 he began to play in tennis and badminton tournaments. These are his usual games. He is the winner of many prizes of club tournaments.

Pole has proved his ruling passion since 1927-23. In local polo tournament his team came off successful and won all possible laurels.

When special hunting tours are arranged in honour of distinguished guests the Yuvaraja too has his active share there, and creates new life and vigour by his dash and skill in hunting. Every year he takes interest in the pigsticking with the guests and officers.

Bridge, billiards, hockey, football, are well mastered by him. Military training too was not ignored by him. He has passed Lt.'s examination very creditably.

He has an artistic taste too. He knows photography, cinema-shooting, painting, and can drive a carriage with eight horses.

Riding, and motoring are his daily past-times. Thus the term "SPORTSMAN" finds its full import in him.

Bahawalpur, Major Dr. H. H. Rukn-ud-Daula Nusrat-i-Jang Saif-ud-Daula Hafiz-ul-Mulk Mukhlis-ud-Daula Wa Muin-Ud-Daula Nawab Al-Hai Sir Sadiq Mohamed Khan Sahib Bahadur Abbasi, V., LL.D., G.C.I.E., K.C.S.I., K. C. V. O., Nawab Ruler of:—Born in 1904, succeeded to the Gadi in 1907. Educated at Aitchison Chief's College, Lahore. Married in 1921. Has visited Europe and England eight times. Has been received by the King-Emporor every time. First Prince to fly back from Cairo to Karachi. Celebrated Century Alliance of his State with British Crown in 1933. Went out to Haj Pilgrimage, 1935, and for the first time introduced into the Hedjaz a fleet of 14 British-made lorries. The only Prince to render personally every kind of assistance to the Quetta Earthquake Refugees in 1936. Invited to His Imperial Majesty's Coronation in 1937 as first Representative of the Indian Princely Order in the Punjab.

Area—22,000 square miles.

Population—10,00,000.

Revenue—12,50,00,000.

Heir—Sahibzada Mohamed Abbas Khan Sahib Abbasi.

Address—Sadiq-Garh-Palace, Bahawalpur.

Balasinor, His Highness Nawab Saheb Bahadur Babi Shri Jamiat-khanji, Ruler of:—Born on 10th November 1894. Educated at the Rajkumar College, Rajkot. Ascended the Gadi on 31st December 1915. Married a daughter of Babi Shri Sher Jummakhanji Sahob, the Heir-apparent of Junagadh State. He is a Member of the Chamber of Princes and has been granted a sanad of adoption.

Area—189 square miles.

Population—52,525.

Salute—9 guns.

Address—Balasinor.

Banganapalle, Nawab Sir Fazle Ali Khan Bahadur, Ruler of Banganapalle. Born in 1901. Ascended the Masnad on 6th of July 1922. Educated at St. George Grammar School, Hyderabad, Deccan, the Nowington Institution, Madras, and the Mayo College, Ajmer. Passed the Diploma Examination in 1920. Married the only daughter of his paternal uncle, Nawab Mir Asad Ali Khan Bahadur in 1924.

Recreation—Polo, Tennis, and Cricket.

Heir-apparent—Nawab Mir Ghulam Ali Khan Bahadur, born 12th October, 1925.

Area of the State—275 Square Miles.

Population—40,000.

Annual Revenue—Rs. 4,00,000.

Salute—9 guns.

Address—Banganapalle, S. I.

Bansda, H. H. Maharawalji Shree Indrasinhji Pratapsinhji, Ruler of:—Born on 16th February 1888. Educated at the Rajkumar College, Rajkot. Ascended the Gadi on 11th November, 1911. Married A. S. Shreemati Anandkunverba Sahiba, daughter of Raoji Shree of Mansa.

Heir—Yuvraj Shree Digvirondrasinhji Sahib, born on 1st October 1927.

Area of the State—215 Square Miles.

Population—48,807.

Revenue—Rs. 7,58,588.

Salute—9 guns.

Address—Bansda, Gujarat.

Banswara, H. H. Rayan Rai Maharajadhiraj Maharawalji Sahib Shree Sir Pirthi Singhji Bahadur, K.C.I.E. (1933) Maharawal of:—Born on 15th July 1888. Married and has two sons.

Area—Including Patta Kushalgarh, 1946 square miles.

Population—2,60,670.

Heir—Maharaj Raj Kumar Sahib Shree Chandra-Veer Singhji.

Address—Banswara, Rajputana, India.

BHAVNAGAR

His Highness Maharaja Raol Shri Krishna Kumar Sinhji. The Bhavnagar House belongs to the Gohil clan of Rajputs who claim to be descended from Shalivahan. They



came to the peninsula from Khor-gadh, on the Luni in Marwar. The district of Gohil was derives its name from them. The founder of the present Ruling House of Bhavnagar was Sojakji (grandson of Mohodas, 20th in descent from Shalivahan) who migrated into Saurashtra (Kathia-war).

On the fall of the Delhi Empire when the Mahratta power gradually rose into importance the Capital of the State was at Sihor, with Bhavsinji I as the ruler, at which time (1722-23) an encounter with the Mahratta army took place near Sihor, and resulted in the defeat of the Mahrattas. The struggle showed the weakness of the position of the capital and Bhavsinji left Sihor and took up his residence at a

small village called Vadwa situated near the mouth of the creek, a few miles to the north of Gogha. In 1723 Bhavsinji founded a new city on that spot and, naming it Bhavnagar after himself, made it his seat of government. By pursuing a farsighted and conciliatory policy with the side of Surat and subsequently with the English he considerably increased the trade

of Bhavnagar. Possessed of a happy mixture of caution and audacity, he erected the principality of Bhavnagar, out of the petty chieftdom of Sihor. He died in 1764 A. D. The next conspicuous name amongst the illustrious rulers of Bhavnagar was Wakhtashinji, popularly called Atabhai, the grandson of of Bhavsinhji, who by conquests and other measures expanded the Bhavnagar State and brought it to its present state of magnitude.

His Highness Sir Takha Sinhji, fourth in descent from Wakhtashinji, died on 29th January 1896, and was succeeded by His Highness Sir Bhavsinhji, the father of the present Maharaja Sahob. He married Princess Devkunverba, daughter of the Ruling Prince of Devgadahi Baria, in February 1893. In the severe famine of 1899-1900, His Highness spent nearly twenty-three lakhs of rupees on various relief works. In June, 1904, he was made Knight Commander of the Star of India. The Maharaja's consort having expired in 1903, he married Princess Nandkunverba, daughter of the Chief of Khilrasra, in the year 1905. She received the distinguished title of C.I. at the hands of His Majesty the King-Emperor, in Delhi in the year 1912. In 1909 the title of Maharaja was bestowed upon His Highness, as a personal distinction, which in the year 1917 was made hereditary in his family. When the intimation of the War between Great Britain and Germany was received, His Highness placed his Imperial Service Troops and all the other resources of his State at the disposal of His Majesty's Government and rendered many and notable services to the Government during the War. In 1918 the salute of Bhavnagar Ruler was raised from eleven to thirteen guns and fifteen of the Maharaja's person. At the same time, the dignity of an Hon. Lieut.-Colonel was bestowed upon him. In 1921 a local salute of 15 guns was conferred on the House permanently. Maharani Shri Nandkunverba died in 1918 after a short illness. The Maharaja did not long survive her and died on 17th July 1919. His career began with a depleted treasury and successive lean years. He was thus obliged to incur heavy debts for administrative purposes. These by the exercise of

wise economy he succeeded in clearing off without resorting to fresh sources of revenues and left to his son a flourishing State. A determined upholder of monogamy, he believed in the education of the women and the abolition of the "purdah."

His Highness Maharaja Shri Krishna Kumarsinhji, the present ruler, was born on Sunday the 19th May 1912, and succeeded to the Gadi in 1919 at the tender age of seven on the sad and premature demise of his illustrious father. His mother had died a few months before the death of his father. The ruler being then minor, the administration of the State was entrusted to a Council, consisting of Sir Prabhashankar D. Pattani, K.C.I.E., President, Colonel R. C. Burke Vice-President, and Dewan Bahadur Tribhuvandas Kulidas Trivedi, and Khan Bahadur S. A. Goghavala, M.A., J.L.B., Bar-at-law Members, which at the desire of the Maharaja, is still continuing as State Council. There are several admirable features of the work of the Bhavnagar Minority administration which deserve special notice. They set an example to other advanced states. The agriculturists' indebtedness to the state had reached sixty-five lakhs of rupees during the first year of the minority administration. This large sum has been remitted entirely and the Bhavnagar farmer is now free from the Durbar's debt. The administration made splendid efforts to remove the agriculturists from the clutches of money lenders and the measures adopted for their protection from the usurious practices of merchants are both novel and admirable in an Indian State. The Maharaja has received education in Rajkumar College at Rajkot; Brayer's School in Essex and at Harrow. The Maharaja is a good rider and won a prize in hunting at the age of nine. He is also a good shot. The Ruler holds a sanad of adoption and succession follows the rule of primogeniture.

Area of the State—2961 square miles.

Population—500,274.

The gross revenue—Rs. 1,69,24,581.

Address—Bhavnagar, Kathiawar.

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Baria, Major H. H. Maharao Shree Sir Ranjitsinhji, K.C.S.I. Ruler of.—Born on 10th July 1886. Educated at Rajkumar College, Rajkot; Imperial Cadet Corps College, Dohra Dun, and in England. Married in 1905 Shrimant Taktakunzerba Saheb, daughter, of His late Highness the Maharaja of Rajpipla. In 1918 he married Shrimant Dilkarnuverba Saheb, a niece of His late Highness the Maharaja of Rajpipla. Ascended the Gadi on 20th February 1908. Served in France and Flanders during the Great European War (1914-18) and also during the Third Afghan War (1919). Second Son; Raj Kumar Shree Heorasinhji.

Grandson, oldest son of Heir-apparent—Raj Kumar Shree Jablarsinhji.

Area of the State—813 Square Miles.

Population—159,429.

Gross Average Revenue—12 lakhs.

Salute—Permanent 9; Personal 11.

Recreation—Pig-sticking, Polo, Tiger-hunting, etc.

Address—Baria.

Barwani, His Highness Devisinghji Rana Saheb of.—Born 19 July 1922. Ascended the Gadi on 21st April 1930. His Highness is being educated at Daly College, Indore. State council appointed by Government to carry on minority administration with Diwan Bahadur H. N. Gosalia M.A., LL.B. as Diwan and President.

Area of the State—1,176 sq. miles.

Population—141,110.

Revenue—About Rs. 12 lacs.

Salute—11 guns.

Address—Barwani, C. India.

Bhor, Raja Shrimant Raghunathrao Shankarrao alias Babasaheb Pandit Pant Sachiv, Madar-ul-Maham (most faithful) Raja of Bhor.—Born 1878. Education, Collegiate. Ascended Gadi, 1922. Representative member of Princes' Chamber (7 years). Trip to England and Continent of Europe, 1930. Audiences with King-Emperor.

Heir—Shrinant, Sadashivrao alias Bhausaheb, B.A.

Area—910 sq. miles.

Population—141,540.

Revenue—Rs. 6,84,632.

Salute—9 guns Dynastic was bestowed in 1927 for excellent administration and loyal and whole-hearted co-operation with the British Government. Hereditary title "Raja" conferred upon the Ruler, June 1936. Ruler enjoys full Internal Powers.

Executive Council system started, 1925. Legislative Council established, 1928, and non-official majority and non-official Vice-President granted, 1938. Privy purse moderately fixed. An Independent High Court Scheme inaugurated, 1928. Primary Education made free, 1921. Scholarships and Freeships for higher education founded. Library and Raghunathrao High School built at Bhor, 1928 and 1937. Shrimant Rajasaheb is President of the Poona Boy Scouts' Association. Bhor Municipality reconstituted and election-right granted, 1929. Taluka Local Boards established, 1932. "Laxmibai" Bridge over Nira built, 1933. The State rendered varied and valuable help to Government in construction of the Lloyd Dam at Bhatghar.

Address—Bhor.

Bijawar, H.H. Bharat Dharam-Indu Maharaja Sawai Sir Sawant Singh Bahadur, K. C. I. E., Maharaja of.—Born 25th November, 1877. Ascended the Gadi in June, 1900. Was married first into the Bundelkhandi Ponwar family of Sonrai in Jhansi district and, secondly, in 1913 into that of Dewan Gajraj Singh.

Son—Maharaj Kumar Aman Singh.

Area of the State—973 sq. miles.

Population—115,852.

Gross Revenue—Rs. 8½ lakhs.

Salute—11 guns.

Address—Bijawar.

Bikaner, Lt. Gen. H.H. Maharajahdhiraj, Raj Rajeshwar, Narendra Shiromani Shri, Sir Gangasingh Bahadur G. C. S. I. (1911); G. C. I. E. (1907); G. C. V. O. (1919); G. B. E. (1921); K. C. V. (1918); K. C. S. I. (1904); K. C. I. E. (1901); A. D. C.; Hon. LL.D. Cambridge and Edinburgh. D. C. L. Oxford; Maharajah of.—Born 3rd October, 1880; Succeeded, 1887; Married 1897 (One son, one daughter). Educated Mayo College, Ajmer; Invested with full ruling powers 1898; Granted honorary commission of Major in the British Army 1900, and attached to 2nd Bengal Lancers; Lt. Col. 1909; Col. 1910; Major-General 1917; Lt. General 1930. Served with British Army in China in command of Bikaner Camel Corps 1901; a representative of India at Imperial War Conference, 1917-19; awarded Gold Medal of Kaiser-i-Hind for public service in India after great famine of 1899-1900; attended the coronation of King Edward the VII, 1902, and King George the V, 1911; A. D. C., to H.M. the King since 1910; one of the three representatives of India at the Imperial War Cabinet and Conference 1917; and one of the two representatives at the Imperial War Cabinet and Peace Conference; 1919; received the freedom of the cities of London, Edinburgh, Manchester and Bristol; Salute 19 guns granted 1917.

Recreations—Polo, Racquets, Tennis, Motoring, Big Game Shooting.

Clubs—Marlborough; Western India Turf; Willington Sports, Bombay, Rajputana, Abu.

Address—Bikaner, Rajputana, India.

Bikaner, Capt. Maharaj Kumar Shri Sadul Singhji Bahadur, C.V.O. 1922; the Maharaj Kumar of. Born 7th September 1902. Married in 1922. Two sons, one daughter. (Granted honorary commission of Lt. in British Army, 1918; Capt. 1921; attended the coronation of King George the V in London in 1911, and Page to H.M. at Coronation Durbar Delhi, 1911; Attached to the staff of the Prince of Wales during his Indian Tour, 1921-22. Honorary Life Member of American Museum of Natural History, New York.

Recreations—Polo, Tennis, Motoring, Pig-sticking, Big game Shooting.

Address—Lallgarh, Bikaner, Rajputana.

Bundi, H. H. Hadendra Shiromani Deo Sar Buland Rai Maharao Raja Ishwari Singh Bahadur. Ruler of.—Born on 8th March, 1893. Ascended the Gadi on 8th August 1927. Educated privately.

Hoir-Apparent—Maharaj Kumar Bahadur Singh.

Area of State—2,220 sq. miles.

Population—2,16,722.

Revenue—Rs. 12,98,000 Hali and Rs. 3,51,000 Kaldar (British Coin).

Salute—17 guns.

Address—Bundi.

Cambay, H.H. Najm-ud-Daulah Mumtaz-ul-Mulk Momin-Khan Bahadur Dilaverjung Nawab Mirza Husain Yaver Khan Bahadur, Nawab of.—Born on 16th May, 1911. Succeeded to the Gadi on 21st January 1915. Ascended 13th December, 1930. Educated at Raj Kumar College, Rajkot. Spent a year in Europe accompanied by his tutor and companion.

Area of State—392 sq. miles.

Population—87,761.

Revenue—Rs. 13 lakhs.

Salute—11 guns.

Address—Cambay.

Chamba, H. H. Raja Ram Singh. Ruler of.—Born 17th October, 1890. Ascended the Gadi in September, 1919; installed in May 1920. Educated in Chamba and in the Aitchison College, Lahore. Married the daughter of Raja Raghunath Singh of Jaswau in 1912.

Recreation—Shooting, Tennis, Cricket, Hockey, and Football.

Hoir-Apparent—Shri Tikka Lakshman, Singh, born December, 1924.

Area of State—3,216 sq. miles.

Population—1,16,870.

Revenue—Rs. 9,00,000.

Salute—11 guns.

Address—Chamba, Punjab, India.

Cochin, H. H. Sir Sri Rama Varma, (C.I.E.). Maharaja of.—Born 30th December 1861. Ascended the Musnad on 25th March 1932. Educated privately.

Hoir—His Highness Koral Varma, Elaya Raja.

Area—1,417 3-4 square miles.

Population—12,05,016.

Salute—17 guns.

Address—Cochin.

Danta, H. H. Maharaja Shri Bhawani Singhji Saheb Bahadur

Ruler of.—Born on 18th September 1890.

Educated at the Mayo College, Ajmer.

Ascended the Gadi 10th March 1926.

Area of the State—347 sq. miles.

Population—26,172.

Revenue—Rs. 1,77,075.

Salute—9 guns.

Address—Danta, Rajputana.

Datia, Major Lokendra Sir Govind

H.H. Maharaja sinh Ju Deo Bahadur,

G.C.I.E., K.C.S.I, Ruler of.—Born in 1886.

Ascended the Gadi on 5th August 1907.

Area of the State—912 square miles.

Population—158,834.

Revenue—About Rs. 18,00,000.

Address—Datia, Central India.

Dhar, His Highness Maharaja Anand Rao Puar Sahib Bahadur (Minor),

Ruler of Dhar State. Born 24th November

1920. Adopted by Her Late Highness the

Dowager Maharani Laxmi Bai Sahiba

D.B.E., on 1st August 1926. Succeeded to the

Gadi on the 1st August 1926. His Highness

the Maharaja Sahib Bahadur is receiving

education at the Daly College, Indore,

under the guidance of a European Guardian

and Tutor, Captain M. S. Harvay Jones. His

Highness passed his Diploma Examination in

April 1936 and is in Intermediate Class.

Salute—15 guns.

Area of the State—1,800.24 Square Miles.

Average Revenue of the State—Rs. 30,00,000

including revenue of the Khasgi, Thakurates, Bhumats and Jagirs, etc.

Population—243,521.

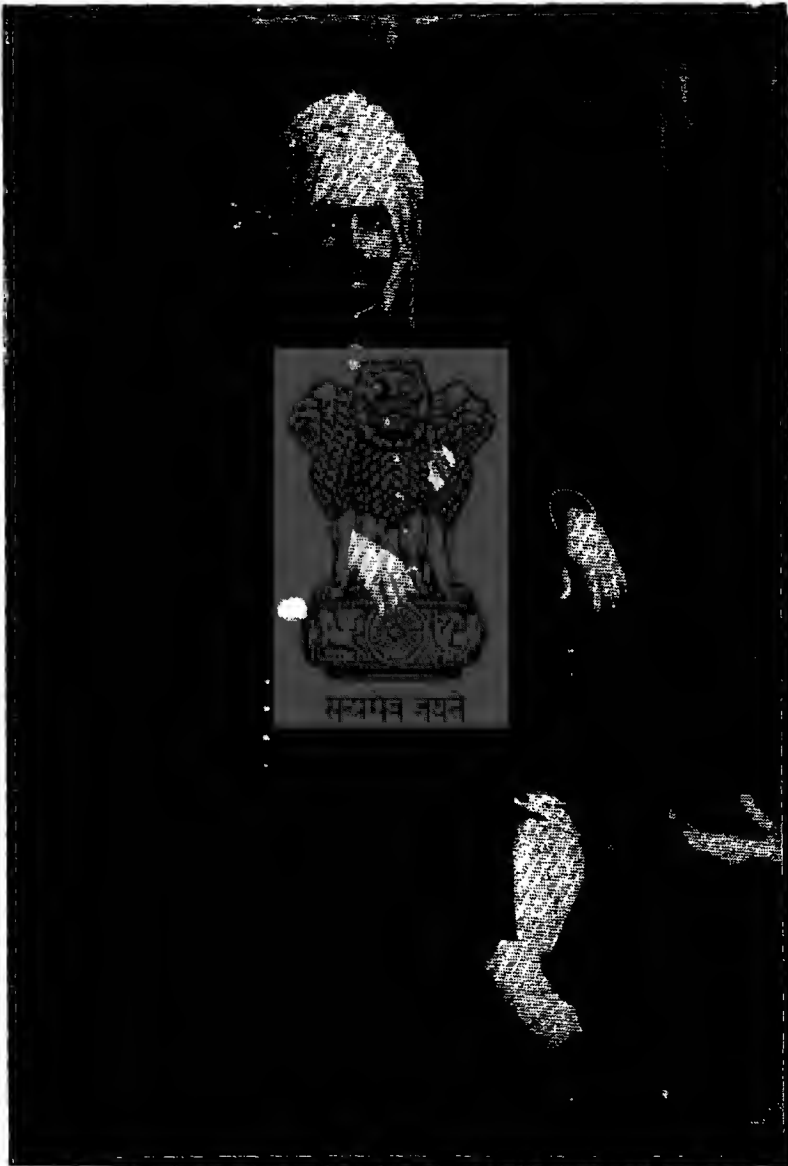
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lam—60 Miles on B.B. & C.I. Lines.

Address—Dhar, C.I.

DARBHANGA

His Highness the Hon. The Maharajadhiraja Sir Kameshwar Singh Bahadur, K.C.I.E., the present ruler of Darbhanga, is the 19th successor to the Darbhanga



Raj and belongs to the Khatriya Brahmin family of the highest class of which His Highness is a credited secular head and exercises powers, especially in matters social and religious. Darbhanga Raj is an ancient principality of long standing and is the premier Raj in Bihar

today covering an area of 2,500 square miles. It is more or less identical with Maithila. Born on 28th November 1907, His Highness succeeded to the Gadi on 14th July 1929, on the death of his father, Sir Rameshwar Singh Bahadur (G.C.I.E., K.B.E., D. Litt., etc.). His Highness the Maharajadhiraja takes very keen interest in politics. Was elected as a delegate to the first and second sessions of the Indian Round Table Conference, has been a nominated member of the Council of State and elected Pres. of the Bihar United Party, President of the All-India Landholders' Association, and the Bengal Landholders' Association, Life President of the Bihar Landholders Association; General President of the Sri Bharat Dharma Mahamandal, the Premier Association of the Orthodox Hindus in India, and life President of the Maithila Mahasabha. His Highness is also a life Fellow of the Patna University, a fellow of the Calcutta University, the Royal Society for the Encouragement of Arts, and a member of the Royal Empire Society. The public donations made so far by His Highness to various universities, temples, and colleges amount to six and half lakhs. His Highness possesses a rich library wherein there is a number of valuable old manuscripts. During the last seven years of his popular and enlightened administration, His Highness has been responsible for the introduction of various reforms. Generous concessions to his tenants and their welfare receives the constant attention of the Maharajadhiraja. The title of K.C.I.E. was conferred on His Highness in January 1933 by His Imperial Majesty the King-Emporor in appreciation of the good government and sound and liberal administration and of his public services. His Highness is a keen sportsman and is interested in polo, tennis and motoring. His polo team is considered to be the best in Bihar and has won several trophies.

Address—Darbhanga.

Dharampur, H. H. Maharana Shri Vijayadevi Mohandevji Rana Maharaja Saheb of.—Born in 1885. Ascended the Gadi in 1921. Educated at Rajkumar College, Rajkot. Married in 1906, A. S. Rasik-kunverba, daughter of His Highness Maharana Shri Gambhirsinhji, Maharaja Saheb of Rajpipla, and after her death in 1907, A. S. Maharkunverba, daughter of Kumar Shri Samantsinhji of Palitana.

Heir—Maharaj Kumar Shri Narhardovji.

Area of the State—About 800 Square miles.

Population—About 115,000.

Revenue—12½ lakhs.

Salute—11 guns, personal.

Address—Dharampur, (Dist. Surat).

Dhenkanal, Sree Shree Sree Raja Shankar Pratap Singh Deo Mahindra Bahadur, Ruler of.—Born in 1904. Educated at Rajkumar College, Raipur, and Government Ravenshaw College, Cuttack. Married the oldest daughter of the ruler of Sorakola. Succeeded to the Gadi in 1918.

Area of the State—1,463 Square miles.

Population—2,84,328.

Address—Dhenkanal.

Dholpur, Lt. Col. H. H. Rais-ud-Dauln Sipahdar-ul-Mulk Sa r a m a d Raj Hai Hind Maharajadhiraja Sri Sawai Maharaj Rana Sir Udai Bhan Singh Lokindar Bahadur, Diler Jung Jai Deo, G.C.I.E. K.C.S.I., K.C.V.O., Maharaj Rana of.—Born on 12th February 1893. Succeeded to the Gadi in March 1911, and assumed full ruling powers in 1913. Educated at the Mayo College, Ajmer, where he passed the Diploma Examination and won several prizes. Married the daughter of the Sardar of Badrukha in Jind State.

Area of the State—1,221 sq. miles.

Population—2,54,986.

Revenue—Rs. 16,78,000.

Salute—Permanent, 15 guns and personal 17 guns.

Address—Dholpur.

Dhrangadhra H. H. Maharaja Maharana Shri Sir Ghanshyamsinhji, G.C.I.E., K.C.S.I., Maharaja Raj Sahob of.—Born in 1889, and succeeded to the Gadi in 1911. Educated at the Rajkumar College, Rajkot and later in England with private tutors under guardianship of Sir Charles Olivant. Married five times. Has three sons: (1) Maharaj Yuvraj Kumar Shri Mayurdwaj-sinhji (2) Maharaj Kumar Shri Virendrasinhji, (3) Maharaj Kumar Shri Dharmendrasinhji.

Area of the State—1,167 sq. miles.

Population—88,961.

Revenue—Rs. 25,00,000.

Dynastic Salute—13 guns.

Address—Dhrangadhra, Kathiawar.

GONDAL

H. H. Shri Bhagwat Sinhi, G.C.S.I., G.C.I.E., M.D., F.R.C.P.E., M.B., C.M., M.R.C.P., D.C.I., (Oxon), LL.D. (Edin), F.R.S.E., M.R.A.S., M.R.I. (G.B.), F.C.P. & S.B., I.L.P.A.C., and



Fellow Bombay University; Maharaja Thakore Sahob of Gondal. Born in 1865, His Highness at the age of four succeeded his father the Thakore Sahob Shri Sagramji on December 14th, 1869. Educated at the Rajkumar Collogo, Rajkot and at the University of Edinburgh. His Highness assumed full powers in 1884, before he had completed his 19th year. In the year of his installation, His Highness was appointed a Fellow of the University of Bombay. Three years later he was chosen as delegate to represent the Chiefs of Kathlawar at the Jubilee Commemoration of Her Majesty Queen Victoria. He received from the Queen-Empress the Insignia of Knight Commander of the Indian Empire. In the same year he was elected an Honorary LL.D. of the University of Edinburgh.

His Highness's scholastic attainments received several striking rewards in 1892, when the University of Oxford conferred upon him the degree of D. C. L. Honoris

causa, and he took in the ordinary course the degree of M.B.C.M. at Edinburgh University, where he also passed the examination entitling him to the degree of M.R.C.P.

In the following year he was invited to attend the opening ceremony by H.I.M. Queen Victoria of the Imperial Institute, London; and in 1894 he was selected by the Royal College of Physicians (Edinburgh) to be their delegate at the Indian Medical Congress, held at Calcutta. His Highness's medical qualifications received further honour in this year when he

was elected Hon. President of an important section by the Organising Committee of the Eight International Congress of Hygiene and Demography at Budapest, and Vice-President of the Indian Medical Association. He was also elected a Fellow of the Royal Society of Edinburgh. His academic honours were further increased in 1895 by the degree of M.D. of Edinburgh University and that of F.R.C.P.

To complete the list of more notable events in the personal, as distinct from the administrative, career of His Highness, it may be mentioned that he was present in Moscow at the coronation of Tsar Nicholas II in 1896, and took part in the Diamond Jubilee of H.L.M. Queen Victoria, on which occasion Her Majesty bestowed upon him the rare honour of the insignia of G.C.L.E. at Balmoral. In 1904 the Royal Society of Edinburgh and the Royal Asiatic Society of London combined to pay him the special compliment of appointing him their delegate at the Centenary Celebrations of the Bombay Branch of the latter Society. It was in this year also that he was asked to take part in the Viceregal conference to decide the curriculum of Chiefs' Colleges.

His Highness married Shri Nandkumverba. C. I., the daughter of H. H. Maharana Shri Naran Devji of Dharampur. The Rani Sahob was the first Rajput Lady of rank to break with the Purdah system and accompany her husband in his world travels. In special recognition of her enlightened efforts for the uplift of the women of her order, she received from H. L. M. Queen Victoria the Imperial Order of the Crown of India, being the first recipient in Kathiawar of a distinction enjoyed by only few ladies in India. All their children have been educated in England or Scotland. The eldest son, Yuvraja Shri Bhojraji, was educated at Eton and Oxford, and has since been associated with the Thakore Sahob in the administration of the State.

His Highness completed fifty years of active administration of state in August 1934. It was the happiest moment in the life of the Maharaja and unique in the history of his dynasty when Providence spared him to witness the celebrations of the fifty years' jubilee of his reign which has resulted in enormous benefits to the State. Gondal enjoys the enviable reputation of being a taxless State.

His Highness is the author of "The Journal of a Visit to England" and "A Short History of Aryan Medical Science."

Salute—11 guns.

Area of the State—1,024 Sq. Miles.

Population—205,846.

Revenue—Rs. 50,00,000.

Khangri Karbhari—P. P. Buch, Esq.

Faridkot Lieutenant H. H. Farzand-i-Saadat Nishan Hazrat-i-



Kaiser-i-Hind Raja Harindar Singh Brar Bans Bahadur, Ruler of.—Born on 29th January, 1915. Succeeded to the Gadi December, 1918. Assumed full ruling powers on 17th October, 1934. Educated at the Aitchison Chiefs' College, Lahore, where he had a brilliant academic career. Married the daughter of Sardar Bahadur Bhagwant Singh Sahib of Bhareli, Ambala District in February, 1933.

Area of State—644 sq. miles.

Population—1,64,946.

Revenue—18 lakhs. Salute—11 guns.

Address—Faridkot, Punjab.

Hindol Raja Bahadur Naba Kishore Chandar Singh Mardraj Jagader, M.R.A.S., F.R.S.A., (London), Ruler of.—Born on 14th June, 1891. Succeeded to the Musnad on the 10th February, 1906, and invested with ruling powers on the 20th October, 1913. Educated at Ravenshaw Collegiate School, Cuttack, and finally passed the Diploma Examination from the Rajkumar College, Raipur (C.P.). Married in 1912 the oldest daughter of the Raja Sahob of Khariar in C.P. On the demise of the first Rani, married the only daughter of the Raja Sahob of Thuamal, Rampur.

Heir-Apparent—Shriman Pratab Chandra Singh Deo, born on the 12th October, 1917.

Area of State—312 sq. miles.

Population—48,897.

Address—P. O. Hindol (Orissa).

G W A L I O R

His Highness Maharaja Mukhtar-ul-Mulk Azim-ul-Iqtidar Rafi-ush-shan, Wala Shikoh, Mohataham-i-Dauran, Umdat-ul-Umra, Maharajadhiraja-



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stan Maharaja of
Gwalior.** The
House of Scindia
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a family of which
one branch hold the
hereditary post of
patel in a village
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head of the family
received a patent of
rank from Aurang-
zebe. The founder of
the Gwalior House
was Ranoji Scindia,
and its fortunes
were permanently
laid by Madhoji
Scindia, a great
statesman, adminis-
trator, and warrior.
The present Maha-
raja was born on
26th June, 1916, and
succeeded to the
Gadi on the 5th
June, 1925, on the
death of his father,
His Highness Maha-
raja Sir Madho Rao
Scindia. During His
Highness' minority
the administration
of the State was
conducted by a
Council of Regency
with Her Highness
the Senior Maharani

as President. The Council has been functioning for full eleven years till 2nd November, 1936, when His Highness was invested with full ruling powers. His Highness has fully equipped himself for the discharge of the very high responsibilities that devolve on him as a Ruler. By education and upbringing, by careful study and observation, and by hard training, His Highness has attained an eminence that is scarcely to be found among princes of his age. The Maharaja is remarkably popular with all classes of people and has already given abundant and unfailing evidence of his solicitude for the welfare of the masses of people entrusted by Providence to his care. Area of 26,367 sq. miles; Population 35,28,070. Revenue Rs. 2,41,79,000. Salute of 21 guns. Address—Gwalior, C.I.

MANDI

Captain, His Highness Raja Sir Joginder Sen Bahadur, K.C.S.I., the present Ruler of Mandi the premier hill state in the Punjab State Agency, is a Rajput of the Chauder-



bansi clan and it is traditionally asserted that the progenitors of the dynasty ruled in Indorpretha (Delhi) for over a thousand years. Born on 20th August 1904. Ascended the Gadi 1918. Invested with full ruling powers, 1925. Educated at Queen Mary College and Aitchison College, Lahore. Hon. Captain 3/17 Dogra Regiment. Married twice. First the only daughter of H. H. the Maharaja of Kapurthala in 1933 and the daughter of Kanwar Prithiraj

Singh of Rajpipla. Visited important countries in 1924 and 1932—Egypt, Palestine Syria, Greece, Turkey Balkans, etc., in 1927.

Recreations: Shooting, tennis, and cricket.
Hoir-Apparent: Sri Yuvraj Yashodhan Singh, born 7th December 1923.

Second. Son: Sri Rajkumar Ashokpal Singh, born 5th August 1931.

Only daughter: Shrimati Rajkumari Nirvanadevi, born on 12th December 1928.

Chief Minister: Sirdar D. K. Sen, M.A., B.C.L. (Oxon), L.L.B. (Dublin). Bar-at-Law.

Salute—11 guns.

Area of the State—1,200 square miles.

Population—207,465.

Annual Revenue—Rs. 15,16,127.

Address—Mandi State, Punjab, India.

Manipur. His Highness Maharaja Sir Chura Chand Singh, K. C. S. I., C. B. E.

Born on 15th April, 1885; succeeded to the Gadi on 18th September, 1891. Educated at the Mayo College, Ajmer, and the Imperial Cadet Corps. The Superintendence during his minority was responsible for the introduction of several reforms, such as the abolition of forced labour and payment of land revenue in kind. His Highness himself, since his accession, has been taking keen interest in the Administration and the reorganisation of the judicial and police departments, and the completion of the Hydro-electric and water-works scheme are among the reforms initiated by him.

Area—8,638 sq. miles.

Population 4,45,606.

Annual Revenue—Rs. 7,41,000.

Salute—11 guns.

Address—Manipur.

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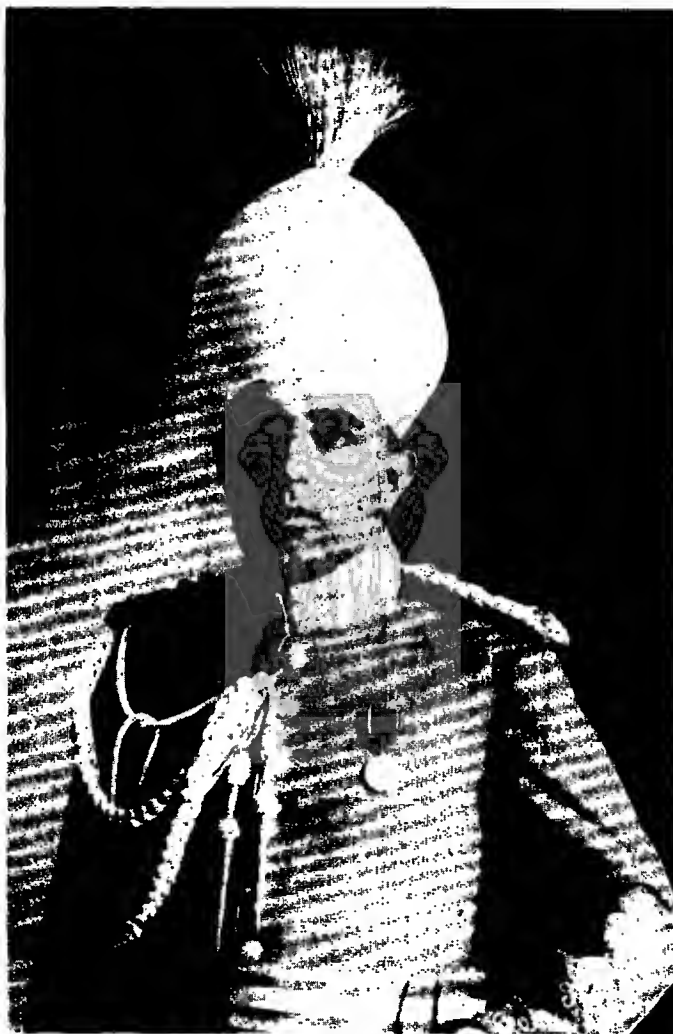
British Government, Nizamud Dowlah, Nizam Ul-Mulk Asaf Jah, G. O. S. I., G.B.E., Nizam of Hyderabad. Born in 1886. H. E. H. was educated privately by able tutors. Ascended the throne in 1911 at the age of 25. Married in 1906 Dulhan Pasha, daughter of Nawab Jahangir Jung, a nobleman, representing a collateral branch of the Nizam's family.

Hyderabad State is the wealthiest of the Indian States, having a revenue in its own currency of about eight and a half crores. It has a University with six Arts Colleges, including one for women, and Colleges for Engineering, Medicine, Law, and Teaching. It has also an Honours College affiliated to Madras University, a College for Jagirdars and a College for Physical Education.

The historic capital city of Hyderabad, which is situated on the banks of the river Musi,

with fine public buildings and broad cemented roads, is the fourth largest city in the Indian Empire with a population of 466,894. Its civic affairs are managed by the municipality.

His Exalted Highness has been assisted in administration of the State by an Executive Council consisting of seven members and is carried on by a regular system of departments on lines similar to those followed in British India. There is also a Legislative Council of twenty members, eight of whom are elected. The State possesses postal service stamps for internal purposes. H. E. H. maintains an efficient and well equipped army of his own.



H. H. Major-Gen. Walashan Prince Azam Jah Bahadur, Heir-apparent to His Exalted Highness the Nizam of Hyderabad, on whom the title of "Prince of Berar" was conferred recently at a Kartika Durbar in the Chawmella Palace, following the Government of India's retrocession of Berar to the Nizam. Prince Azam Jah is Commander-in-Chief of the Hyderabad State Forces, and is an enthusiastic military chief. He is a keen sportsman, and plays an excellent game of Polo.



H. H. PRINCESS DURRI-SHAHVAR, WIFE OF H. H. THE PRINCE OF BERAR,
AND DAUGHTER OF THE EX-SULTAN OF TURKEY

H. E. H. the Nizam, whose momentous reign stands out in the history of the State as an embodiment of progress and development in every direction, has recently opened the Nizamsagar Reservoir, which has been constructed from the waters of the river Manjra and could claim till lately to have the biggest masonry dam in the world. H. E. H. is a great patron of art and learning and is himself a keen scholar of Arabic, Persian, Hindi and Urdu. His ascetic simplicity, his devotion to work, his sense of even-handed justice, tolerance and his wide sympathy and solicitude for his people have endeared him to his subjects who look upon him as a true embodiment of ideal kingship.

Hyderabad has celebrated the Silver Jubilee of its Ruler in a way symptomatic of its present condition. No Jubilee is really worth remark unless the occasion is substantially founded on a worthy record for the period. Twenty-five years ago in spite of the efforts of former Nizams and such great Ministers as the Salar Jung family contributed, Hyderabad was still an essentially feudal autocracy. Today autocracy remains in theory and to some extent in practice, but the Nizam has willingly brood the tradition of being advised by his council.

Hyderabad's magnificent contribution to the cause of Indian Federation is too well-known to need detailed mention here; but it is noteworthy that the Nizam was the first Indian Prince to express his belief in the possibility of the State's entering the Federation with the Provinces, long before the present Federal scheme was seriously thought of. It is a matter of common knowledge how the Hyderabad Delegation carried out this policy under the able leadership of the Rt. Hon. Sir Akbar Hydari, and made their mark on the Round Table Conference. Indeed they brought the prestige of the Nizam and his Dominions to a very high level, and made the whole Empire see that the title of Faithful Ally of the British Government, a unique distinction which the Nizam values above all his other titles, was no empty formula, but a recognition of his real place in the British Empire.

The Nizam of Hyderabad's sovereignty over the territory of Berar is recognized by His Majesty the King Emperor of India in a new agreement which, "inter alia," allows the Nizam and his successors to hold the dynastic title of "His Exalted Highness the Nizam of Hyderabad and Berar." The Heir-Apparent and his successors will in future hold the title, "His Highness the Prince of Berar."

Heir, Nawab Mir Himayat Ali Khan Bahadur Azam Jah.

Area of the State—82,698 square miles.

Population—14,512,161.

Revenue—854.79 lakhs.

Salute—21 guns.



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IDAR

His Highness Maharaja Dhiraj Shree Himmat Singhji of Idar. The Idar House was founded 200 years ago by two brothers of the Maharaja of Jodhpur. His Highness



Maharaja Shree Himmat Singhji is the tenth of this illustrious line, and the grandson of the well-known soldier and statesman, His Highness Maharaja Major General Sir Pratap Singhji Sahib of Jodhpur fame. Maharaja Himmat Singh succeeded to the Gadi on the sudden death of His Highness Maharaja Sir Dowlat Singh on the 14th April, 1931. Born on 2nd September, 1889. Married in 1908 to Shree Jawahar Kunwar Sahiba, the eldest daughter of Raja of Khandela in the Jaipur State.

His Highness received his education at the Mayo College, Ajmer, where he remained for five and a half years, leaving it after a brilliant career in 1916. He attained his diploma standing first in the list of candidates from all the chief colleges in India, and was awarded His Excellency the Viceroy's Medal. He won every class prize from the fifth to the diploma, five prizes for English and eleven others for various subjects. He won prizes in each division in succession for riding, and represented the College against the Aitchison College for three years at tent pegging, and also at tennis. For several years, he was captain of one or other of the junior football or cricket eleven, and he was one of the best and keenest polo players in the college.

He upheld his family tradition as a horseman. From boyhood he was keen on hunting and pigsticking, and before he had joined the College at the age of ten, he had accounted for many panther and bear to his own rifle. His Highness is keen on racing and has had many successes. These active sports are not his only recreations for he has a good ear for music and is interested in painting and photography. On leaving the college, His Highness Maharaja Shree Himmat Singhji took an active part in the State administration, being appointed to His late Highness' Council, and later for several years was in charge of the administration under His late Highness' personal directions. He gained further practical experience from an extensive tour throughout India in 1929-30. He was therefore well qualified to take up his responsibilities as ruler of his State when he ascended the Gadi of Idar. Since his accession in 1931, many schemes of improvement have been inaugurated which concern the social welfare of his subjects, their education, industries and agriculture. His Highness has embarked on an ambitious programme of reform and advancement which it is expected his experience and keen personal interest will enable him to carry through successfully. His Highness has two sons, Maharaja Kumar Daljit Singhji and Amar Singhji. The eldest Maharaja Kumar Shree Daljit Singhji, the heir apparent, was born in 1917.

Dewan—Rai Bahadur Raj Rattan Jagannath Bhandari, M.A., I.L.B.

Salute—15 guns.

Area—1,660 miles.

Revenue—21 lakhs.

Address—Idar State, Idar.

Illol, Thakore Shree Shivsinhji Vijaysinhji Zala Makwana, the Ruling Chief of.—Born on the 31st December, 1910. Succeeded to the Gadi on the 18th October, 1927. Invested with ruling powers on the 1st April, 1935. Educated at the Scott College, Sadra, for seven years. Thereafter proceeded to England in the company of Col. Gordon, the then Political Agent of the old Mahikantha Agency for higher education.

Area—19 sq. miles.

Revenue—Rs. 55,000.

Population—4,662.

Karbhari—Mr. Harilal J. Trivedi.

Address—Illol, State.

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INDORE

His Highness Maharajadhiraj Raj Rajeshwar Sawai Shree Yeshwant Rao Holkar Bahadur, G.C.I.F., (1935), Maharaja of Indore. Indore is the premier State in Central



India in direct relationship with the Government of India. The Ruler of the State has the special privilege of appointing a Vakil at the Court of His Excellency the Viceroy.

From the point of view of revenue, the State stands seventh in the whole of India and first in Central India.

The Rulers enjoy the hereditary title of "Maharajadhiraj Raj Rajeshwar Sawai Shree" and a salute of 21 guns within their own territories and 19 outside them.

The present Ruler, His Highness Maharajadhiraj Raj Rajeshwar Sawai Shree Yeshwant Rao Holkar Bahadur G.C.I.F., was born on the 6th September, 1908. Having received his early education in Indore, he went to England for his preparatory and public school education. He remained there from 1920-23.

In February, 1924, His Highness married a daughter of the Junior Chief of Kagal (Kolhapur).

After accession to the throne His Highness again went to Europe for

his higher education in 1926, and studied at the Christ Church College, Oxford. While there he added to what he acquired at the College by touring, during vacations over almost all the countries of Europe and studying the geographical, economic, and social, as well as the political and constitutional, conditions of each country.

On return from abroad His Highness received administrative training under the direction of Mr. C. U. Wills, a retired civilian of the Central Provinces. He toured through all the

districts of the State in order to obtain first-hand intimate knowledge of the condition of his people.

His Highness assumed full ruling powers on the 9th May 1930. On that auspicious day he announced *inter alia* liberal remissions of all arrears of revenue and *tanka* to cultivators and istmurardars and also announced his intention to limit his civil list to eleven per cent of the income of the State.

Ever since the assumption of the reins of administration it has been the constant endeavour of His Highness to study and promote the welfare of all classes of his subjects. He has evinced a particularly keen personal interest in all that concerns the well-being of the peasantry. Early in 1932 a Tenancy Act—the first of its kind in the history of the State—was passed, and is designed to safeguard the interests of the cultivators. For the benefit of the very same class His Highness has inaugurated a fund to which he has some contributions have been made, Sir Hinkumchand, a wealthy banker of Indore, contributing two lakhs to it. To add to the efficiency of the services in the State, His Highness has sanctioned the institution of the Holkar State Civil Service. It ensures the recruitment of the pick of the rising generation into the State service, which will eventually prove to be of immense benefit to the State.

In matters of social reform His Highness holds very progressive views. To ameliorate the social conditions of his subjects he has introduced several reforms of far-reaching effects. An important one is the prohibition by law of marriages between minors, i.e., below eighteen years in the case of males, and below fourteen years in the case of females. Another important reform is the passing of the Indore Nukta Act and the Marriage Expenses Controlling Act which have for their object the controlling of expenditure on funeral ceremonies and marriages, etc.

His Highness has shown deep interest in the advancement of women in which he is ably assisted by her Highness the Maharani, who holds the most up-to-date and progressive views in regard to all the matters affecting the welfare of women.

The uplift of the depressed classes has also attracted the attention of His Highness, and increasing facilities are being provided in every walk of life for the betterment of their lot. Services as well as schools are open to the depressed classes.

In 1931 His Highness was invited as a delegate to the 2nd Round Table Conference in London, where he presented a scheme of Federation according to which the States could join an All-India Federation.

His Highness is the President of the Daly College Council, Indore.

His Highness has one daughter, born on the 20th October, 1933.

Area of State—9,902 sq. miles.

Population—13,25,089.

Revenue—1,35,00,000.

Jamkhandi, H. H. Shrimant Shankarao Appasaheb Patwardhan, Raja of:—Born in 1906. Invested with full ruling powers in May 1926. Educated at the Rajaram College, Kolhapur, and then privately. Married in 1924, Shrimant Sonbhagyavati Lilavatibaisaheb, Ranisaheb of Jamkhandi, daughter of Madhavrao Moroshwar, the late chief the Pant Amatya of Baida.

Area of the State—524 sq. miles.

Population—1,14,282.

Revenue—Rs. 9,92,515.

Address—Jamkhandi.

Janjira, H. H. Sidi Muhammad Khan, Nawab Sahab of:—Born on 7th March, 1914. Succeeded to the Gadi on 2nd May, 1922. Was invested with full ruling powers on 9th November, 1933. Educated at the Rajkumar College, Rajkot, where he took the Diploma with distinction in 1930. Married on the 14th November, 1933 to the Shahajadi Sahiba of the Jaora State in Central India.

Area of the State—379 sq. miles.

Population—1,10,388.

Revenue—8,85,000.

Salute—11 guns permanent, 13 guns local.

Address—Janjira.

Jaora, Lieutenant-Colonel, H. H. Fakhrud Daulah Nawab Sir Mohammad Iftikhar Ali Khan Bahadur, Saif-ul-Jang, K. C. I. E., Nawab of:—Born in 1883. Ascended the Gadi in 1895. Educated at the Daly College, Indore. Married first in 1903, second in 1905, and the third in 1921.

Heir-Apparent—Nawabzada Mohammad Nasir Ali Khan Sahib.

Area of the State—601 sq. miles.

Population—100,204.

Revenue—12,00,000.

Address—Jaora.

Jasdan, Durbar Shree Ala Khachar, the present ruler of:—Born on 4th November, 1905. Educated at the Rajkumar College, Rajkot, and has passed the diploma examination. Succeeded to the Gadi in June, 1919, and assumed the reins of State Administration on 1st December, 1924.

Heir—Yuvaraj Shree Shivraj.

Area of the State—296 sq. miles.

Population—36,632.

Revenue—6 lakhs.

Address—Jasdan, Kathiawar.

JODHPUR

Lt.-Col. H. H. Raj Rajeshwar Sarmad Rajahi Hindustan Maharaja Dhiraj Sri Sir Umaid Singhji Sahib Bahadur, G.C.I.E., K.C.S.I., K.C.V.O. Ruler of the



Jodhpur State. His Highness is the head of the Rathor Clan of Rajputs, and is the 32nd ruler from Rao Sihaji. His Highness was born on 8th July, 1903, and was educated at the Mayo College, Ajmer. He succeeded his elder brother on 3rd October, 1918, and was invested with full ruling powers on 27th January, 1923. In October of the same year he was granted the rank of honorary Captain in the British Army. He was made a knight Commander of the Royal Victorian Order in March 1921, was elevated to the rank of Honorary Major in June, 1923, and Honorary Lt. Col. in August, 1933. He was created K.C.S.I. on 3rd June, 1925, and invested with G. C.I.E. on the 1st January, 1930. His Highness married a daughter of Rao Bahadur Thakur Jeysinghji Bhati of Umednagar on 11th November 1921, and has four sons and one daughter. His Highness has one younger brother, Maharaja Sri Ajit Singhji Sahab, and two sisters, the

elder of whom is Maharani of Jaipur and the younger the Maharani of Rewa.

His Highness is deeply interested in the Government of his State and the past twelve years of his rule mark a period of successful financial stabilisation, reforms in administration, and progress in works of public utility and social service. He is greatly interested in educational, athletic, and progressive institutions of modern times, and has shown sympathy by his generous donations. His Highness has donated three lakhs for founding the Irwin Chair of Agriculture at the Benares Hindu University.

The Government is administered by a State Council consisting of four or more Ministers personally selected by and under the Presidency of His Highness, and all resolutions of the Council are subject to confirmation by His Highness.

His Highness is a keen sportsman. He is one of the foremost patrons of polo, both as a player and sponsor of the Jodhpur polo team. His favourite pastimes are pigsticking, fishing, shooting and photography. He is the first Indian Prince to qualify as an aeroplane pilot.

His Highness enjoys a salute of 19 guns within his own territories, and 17 guns elsewhere.

Hoir Apparent—Maharaj Kumar Sri Hanwant Singhji Sahib, born in 1921.

Area of the State—36,921 Sq. Miles.

Population—2,125,982.

Revenue—Rs. 1,47,00,000.

Judicial Minister—Rao Bahadur Thakur Chait Singhji, M.A., LL.B. of Poohkaran.

Home Minister—Thakur Madhe Singhji of Sankhwas.

Revenue Minister—Mr. J. B. Irwin, D.S.O., M.C., I.C.S.

P. W. Minister—Mr. S. G. Edgar, I.S.E.

Address—Jodhpur.

Jhalawar, Lt. H. H. Dharmadivakar Maharajadhiraja Maharaj Rana Shri Rajendra Singhji Dev Bahadur of.

Born 15th July 1900. Ascended the Gadi 1920. Educated at the Mayo College, Ajmer, and the School of Rural Economy, University of Oxford. Married the daughter of Thakor Sahab of Kotdasangani, Kathiawar, in 1920, and has one son. Hoir-Apparent: Maharaj Kumar Shri Virendra Singji Bahadur, born in Oxford, 27th September, 1921. Area of the state: 813 sq. miles. Population: 107,890. Revenue: Rs. 7,48,000. Permanent salute: 13 guns.

Address—Jhalawar. Kathiawar.

Jubbhal, Rana Bhagat Chand Bahadur.

C.S.I., Raja of.—Born on 12th October, 1888. Assumed full power in 1910. Educated at the Aitchison Chief's College, Lahore. Married Leilaba Sahiba, the daughter of His Highness the Maharaja Sahab of Gondal.

Hoir—Tika Digvijai Chand, born in 1918, and married to Hemant Kunwar, daughter of His Highness the late Raja Sahab of Narasingharh.

Area of the State—288 sq. miles.

Population—27,124.

Revenue—8,00,000 rupees.

Address—Jubbhal, Simla hills, and Hainault, Simla.

Junagadh, H.H. Sir Mahabatkhanji Rasulkhanji, III, G.C.I.E., K.C.S.I., Nawab

Sahab of.—His Highness is ninth in succession



and seventh in descent from His Highness Bahadurkhan in 1735 A.D. His Highness the Nawab Sahab was born on August 2, 1900, and succeeded to the *gadi* on January 22, 1911. He visited England in 1913-14, received his education at the Mayo College, Ajmer, and was invested with full powers on March 31, 1920. His Highness was awarded the insignia of K.C.S.I., in 1926, and was created G.C.I.E., in 1931.

His Highness the Nawab Sahab, as the Ruler of the Premier State in Kathiawar, ranks first among the Princes and Chiefs of Kathiawar.

Hoir-Apparent—Nawabzada Dilawar Khanji, born 28th June, 1922.

Area of the State—3,387 sq. miles.

Population—545,152.

Revenue—Rs. 87,00,000.

Salute—15 guns personal and local.

Address—Junagadh, Kathiawar.

KOLHAPUR

His Highness Colonel Shri Sir Rajaram Chhatrapati Maharaj, Maharaja of Kolhapur, G.C.I.E., G.C.S.L., eldest son of H. H. Colonel Shahu Chhatrapati Maharaj and



direct descendant of Shivaji, the founder of the Great Marhatta Empire. Born on 31st July 1897 he received his primary and secondary course of studies privately at Kolhapur, and later on went to England for further studies. Although it was the earnest desire of his father that he should specialise in agriculture so as to make the Prince fit to understand and appreciate the needs of the agricultural population of the State, the Prince had to return after three years stay in England on account of the Great War. On his return journey home he visited a number of important places in America, China, and Japan. He arrived in Kolhapur in October 1915, and when His Highness' late lamented father, Shri Shahu Maharaj, saw that his

beloved son was not able to finish the proscribed course of studies in Agriculture he sent him to Allahabad to join the Fwing Christian College and continue the same line of studies in Agriculture. Here again he was disappointed, as the rigours of Allahabad climate did not suit the young Prince who had therefore to return to Kolhapur after one year. Since then till the death of his father the young prince spent most of his time in mastering the details of administrative work with the help of the experienced officers of the State.

In 1922 on the death of his father he ascended the Gadi and has all along been following in the footsteps of his father for the progress of the State which has now reached the front rank of Indian States on this side of India.

In 1918 His Highness married his first wife, Her Highness Maharani Tarubai Sahob, granddaughter of H. H. The Maharaja Gaekwar of Baroda, and in 1925 his second wife, Her Highness Maharani Vijayamala Bai Sahob, a member of the Royal Maharatta family of Tanjore.

His Highness from the very beginning has established the closest contact between his Government and his subjects by carrying out all measures of reform and development intended to raise the State to a high standard of administrative efficiency by increasing the prosperity of his subjects. Money has been and is being freely spent for the well-being of his subjects in diverse ways, especially for purposes of education, public health, medical relief, improvement of communications and the establishment of Illatha Panchayats. One notes with pleasure that the city has been considerably improved in various ways, almost out of recognition, within the last few years—new and beautiful roads, parks, sparkling fountains and pucca buildings galore—and that a number of suburbs have also been opened. It is said of His Highness that even the smallest details of administration do not escape his attention and that there is no subject nearer to his heart than the welfare of his subjects, poor and rich alike. His Highness is very methodical in his daily life. "There is a time for everything and everything in its time," has always been the motto of his life. He is a genial host and is very much liked for his suavity of manners. He is very simple in his habits and is freely accessible to his people. As the premier Maharatta ruler, His Highness is proud of the military achievements of the race of which he is the crowned head. The title of G.C.S.I., was conferred on His Highness in January 1931 by His Majesty The King Emperor, in appreciation of the good Government and sound and liberal administration which have characterised his ten years' regime. He was made an Hon. Lt. Col. in the Indian Army in 1927.

His Highness is a keen sportsman and is fond of riding, pig-sticking, chootah hunting, and all other manly sports. He owns a good string of race horses and is very popular in the racing world. His magnificent stud of breeding, racing and riding horses will compare with any in or outside India.

Salute—19 guns.

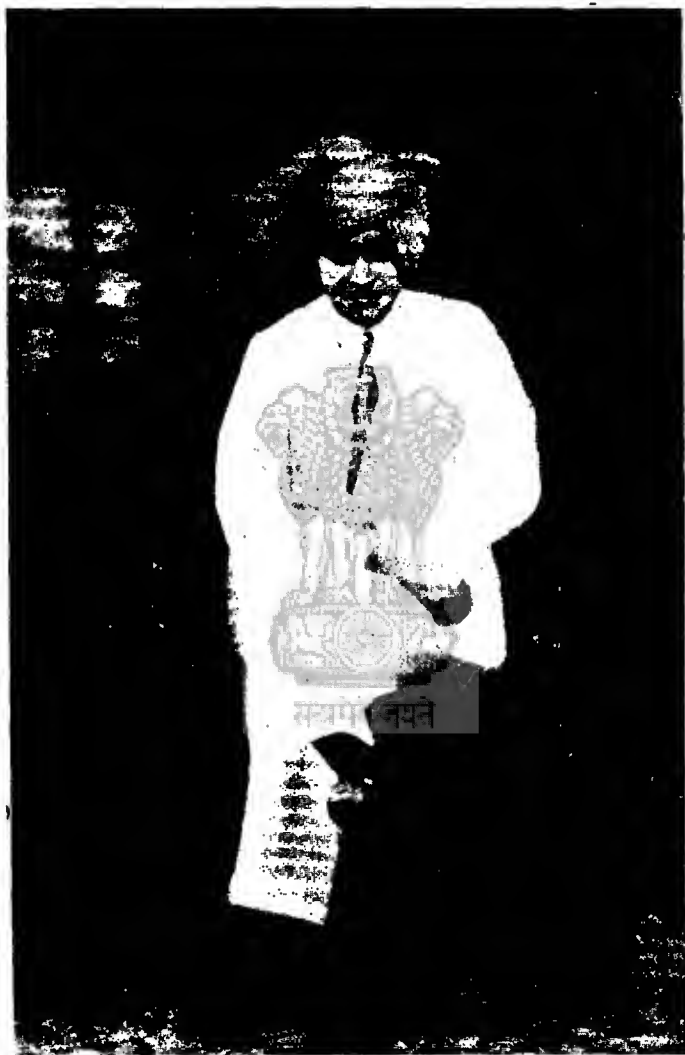
Prime Minister—Rao Bhidur D. A. Surve.

Address—Kolhapur.

The Late Prince Shivaji Maharaj

Prince Shivaji Maharaj alias Buvasaheb Maharaj the late young brother of H.H. the Maharaja of Kolhapur, was born on 15th April, 1899. Along with his elder brother, H. H. the Maharaja of Kolhapur, the late Prince Shivaji received his primary and secondary education at Kolhapur and later on was sent to England for further studies. He and his brother returned to India in October, 1915, and were sent to Allahabad to receive training in Agriculture. On the 6th June, 1917, Prince Shivaji was married to Miss Jamanabai (now known as Princess Indumati Rani Sahob), the accomplished daughter of late Mr. Shankarrao Jagtap, of Saswad in Poona Dist. Born in the noble family of the Jagtaps, she was endowed by nature with personal beauty as well as high mental culture which was improved upon by the education she had received in her parental home. The happy marriage was not to last long. A great shikari, Prince Shivaji left for shikar in the Kumbhoj hills, accompanied by other members of the royal family. After some successful pigsticking in the morning, the party halted in a mango grove near Noz. But just when they were about to sit down for a meal, a pig was seen to be running by, and the young shikari, Prince Shivajirao, could not resist the temptation of having a tilt at it before his meal. Away he rode after the little pig and just as his spear touched the animal, the horse he was riding fell on its knee and the youth was hurled on the ground head downwards. He was taken at once to Dr. Wanless at Miraj. All the skill of the doctors, however, failed, and the Prince passed away at 8:45 p.m., on 12th June 1918, leaving behind him his family and a child-widow to mourn his loss. Prince Shivaji was a spirited and bold youth whose comradeship would have been invaluable to his father, and still more, to his brother during his career as the ruler of Kolhapur. His great love of manly independence in all matters would have been a great asset to the Kolhapur people on whose affairs he would certainly have exercised large influence. The Kolhapur subjects commemorated his memory by erecting an equestrian statue of Prince Shivaji and founding Prince Shivaji Maratha Boarding and Prince Shivaji Cup for pig-sticking.

H.H. Shri Indumati Rani Sahob, was henceforth the recipient of constant care and attention from her father-in-law, the late H. H. Shahu Chhatrapati Maharaj of Kolhapur. Every arrangement was made with scrupulous care for her training and education. His Highness intended her to be as well educated as possible and to take charge of female



THE LATE PRINCE SHIVAJI, MAHARAJ OF Kolhapur

education in his state. Princess Indumati Ranisahel passed the Matriculation examination of the Bombay University in 1925, and learned French from Miss Kenderick. Princess Indumati Ranisahel by her quiet, courteous and thoughtful manner, coupled with the great fortitude she has shown in her great bereavement, has deepened her popularity with every passing year.

Kapurthala, Colonel H.H. Farzand-i-Dilband Rasikhul Itikad Daulat-i-Inglishia Raja-i-Rajagam Maharaja Jagatjit Singh Bahadur, G. C.S.I. (1911), G.C.I.E. (1919), G.B.F. (1927) Maharaja of:—Born on 24th November, 1872.

Heir-Apparent—Sri Tikka Raja Paramjit Singh.

Area of State—652 sq. miles.

Population—816,757.

Revenue—Rs. 36,00,000.

Salute—15 guns.

Address—Kapurthala State, Punjab, India.

Keonjhar, Raja Shri Balabhadra Narayan Bhunj Deo, Ruler of:—Born on 26th December, 1905. Ascended the Gadi on the 12th August, 1936. Educated at the Rajkumar College, Raipur, C.P. Married in June, 1929, Rani Sheba Srimati Manoja Manjari Devi, daughter of the Raja and Ruling Chief of the Kharsawan State.

Heir—Tikayat Shri Narusingha Narayan Bhunj Deo.

Area of the State—3,217 sq. miles.

Population—460,647.

Gross Revenue—Rs. 11,05,415.

Address—Koonjhar.

Khairpur, His Highness the late Mir Ali Nawaz Khan Talpur, died on the 25th December 1935, and was succeeded by his only son, His Highness Mir. Faiz Mohammed Khan Talpur.

His Highness was educated at Mayo College, Ajmer, and also in England.

The population of the State according to the census of 1931, is 227,143. The income of the State during the financial year 1935-36, was Rs. 24,32,776-6-10. The area of the State is 6,050 square miles. The Ruler enjoys a salute of 15 guns outside, and 17 guns inside the State.

His Highness' son who was born in England, has been named after His late Majesty, George Mir Ali Murad Khan Talpur."

Address—Khairpur.

Kutch, H.H. Maharajadhiraj Mirza Maharao Shri Khengarji Savai Bahadur, G.C.S.I., G.C.I.E., Maharao of:—Born in 1866. Succeeded to the Gadi in 1876 and was invested with full powers in 1885. Educated privately.

Heir-Apparent—Maharaj Kumar Shri Vijayarajji.

Area—8,240.5 sq. miles, excluding the Runn, which is about 9,000 sq. miles.

Revenue—About Rs. 32,00,000.

Population—514,307.

Salute—Permanent—17 guns.

Local—19 guns.

Address—Kutch.

Kuthar, Rana Krishen Chand Bahadur, Ruler of:—Born in 1905, the only son of the late Rana Jagjit Chand Bahadur. Educated at the Aitchison Chief's College, Lahore. Appointed Administrator of the State in 1927. Ascended the Gadi in 1930. He married, in 1926, the daughter of Rana Sahib of Dudhraj, Kathiawar.

Area of the State—26 sq. miles.

Population—3,000.

Revenue—Rs. 55,000.

Favorite Sports—Tennis, Cricket, and Shooting.

Address—The Palace, Krishengarh and Kuthar House, Simla.

Limbdi, Maharana Shri Sir Daulat-singhji, K.C.S.I., K.C.I.E., Thakore Sahab of:—Born on 11th July 1868. Ascended the Gadi on 14th April, 1908.

Heir:—Yuvraj Shri Digvijaysinhji.

Area of the State—343.96 sq. miles.

Population—40,088.

Revenue—Rs. 9,00,000.

Salute—9 guns.

Address—Limbdi.

Lunawada, Lieut. H.H. Maharana Shri Virbhadrasinghji, Rajaji Sahab of:—Born in 1910. Ascended the Gadi 1930. Educated at Mayo College, Ajmer. Married in 1931, Rani Sahab Shri Manharkunvorba, daughter of Capt. His Highness Maharana Raj Sahab Shri Amarsinhji, K.C.S.I., K.C.I.E., of Wankaner State.

Heir-Apparent—Maharajkumar Shri Bhimpondrasinhji, born on 14th October, 1934.

Area of State—388 sq. miles.

Population—95,162.

Revenue—Rs. 5,50,000.

Dynastic Salute—9 guns.

Address—Lunawada.

Mansa, Raolji Shree Sajjansinhji,
Ruler of:—Age 26 years. Succeeded to the
Gadi on 4th January, 1934. Educated at the
Princes' Mayo College, Ajmer.

Average Annual Income—Rs. 1,80,000.

Population—17,000.

Address—Mansa.

Mayurbhanj, Maharaja Sir Pratap

Chandra Bhanj Deo, K.C.I.E., Maharaja
of:—Born on February 1901. Succeeded to
the Gadi on the 23rd April, 1928 on the demise
of his older brother, Lieutenant Maharaja
Purna Chandra Bhanj Deo. Educated at the
Maya College, Ajmer, and Muir Central
College, Allahabad. Married on the 25th of
November, 1925, the daughter of Maharaj
Sirdar Singhji and grand-daughter of the late
Rajadhiraj Sir Nahar Singhji K. C. I. E., of
Shahpura in Rajputana.

Heir-Apparent:—Tikait Pradeep Chandra
Bhanj Deo.

Area of the State—4,243 sq. miles.

Population—889,603.

Revenue—Rs. 30,00,000.

Salute—9 guns.

Address—Baripada, Mayurbhanj State.

Miraj (Senior), Shrimant Sir Ganga- **dharrao Ganesh alias Balasaheb**

Patwardhan, K. C. I. E., Rajasaheb of:—
Born on February 1866. Educated at Rajram
High School, Kolhapur and was taken in
adoption on 6th June 1875 by the late Shri-
mant Ganesh Gangadhar alias Tatyasaheb
Patwardhan, the 3rd Ruler of the State.
Ascended the Gadi on 7th February 1887.
Married in 1884 the late Shrimant Saubhagya-
vati Unubaisahab, and has two sons and two
daughters.

Heir-Apparent—Shrimant Tatyasaheb born
on 6th September, is a keen sportsman and an
able administrator, having gained the training
under the guidance of his father, the veteran
Ruler of the State.

Area of the State—342 Sq. miles.

Population—93,957.

Revenue—Rs. 6,74,288.

Address—Miraj, S.M.C.

Miraj (Junior State), Meherban
Madhavrao Hariharrao alias Baba-
saheb Patwardhan Ruler of:—Born
in 1889. Educated at the Rajkumar College,
Rajkot. Invested with full powers on 17th
March 1909. Married to Shrinati Thakuraj-
saheb, daughter of the late Meherban Krishna-
rao Madhavrao Poshwa of Bareilly. Has three
sons and three daughters.

Heir-Apparent—Eldost son Kumar Shrimant
Chitamanrao alias Balasaheb, born on the 3rd
of December 1909.

Recreation—Daily Muscular Exercise,
Tennis and Shikar.

Area—196½ sq. miles.

Population—40,686.

Revenue—3,68,515.

Address—Budhgaon, S.M.C.

Morvi, H. H. Maharaja Shree Lukh- **dhirji Bahadur, K. C. S. I.** Maharaja of:—



Born in 1876. Ascended the Gadi in 1922.
Educated privately in India and England.

Heir—Yuvaraj Shree Mahendrasinhji.

Area of the State—822 sq. miles excluding
the area of the Aohi Mahal in the Cutch
peninsula.

Population—113,023.

Revenue—Rs. 40,00,000.

Salute—11 guns.

Address—Morvi, (Kathiawar).

MYSORE

His Highness Maharaja Sri Krishnaraja Wadiyar Bahadur, G.C.S.I., G.B.E., Maharaja of Mysore was born on 4th June 1884. At the age of 11, he was installed on the



historic Throne of Mysore. During the minority of His Highness, the State was administered by His Highness's mother, late Her Highness Maharani Sri Vani Vilasa Sannidham, C.I., as Regent.

In 1902, His Highness was invested with ruling powers. The Silver Jubilee of the reign of His Highness was celebrated in August 1927 amidst the universal rejoicing of his people.

His Highness takes the keenest interest in the administration of the State and during the thirty-three years' reign of His Highness the State has made remarkable progress in all directions. Mysore was the first Indian State to inaugurate a Representative Assembly in 1881, consisting entirely of non-officials, with a view to associating them with the administration. There is in addition a Legislative Council established in 1907. It has the power of voting grants.

The progress made by the State during the reign of His Highness in

education, economic development, irrigational expansion and generation of hydro-electric power is specially noticeable.

His Highness is a keen sportsman, a fine polo, tennis, and racquet player and a splendid shot. He is an accomplished musician and a liberal patron of the Fine Arts.

Area of the State—29,474.82 square miles.

Population—6,557,302.

Salute—21 guns.

Dewan—Amin-ul-Mulk Sir Mirza M. Ismail, Kt., K.C.I.E., C.I.E., O.B.E.

Mysore, Yuvaraja Of:—Prince Sir Shree Kantirava Narasimha Raja Wadiyar Bahadur, G.C.I.E., second son of H.H. Chamaraj Wadiyar Bahadur, the late Maharaja of Mysore and brother of H.H. The Maharaja Krishnaraja Wadiyar, present Ruler of Mysore. Born on 5th June, 1888. He received his early education in Mysore under Mr. S.M. Fraser, I.C.S., assisted by P. Raghavendra Rao. Joined the Mayo Rajkumar College at Ajmer in 1903, but returned to Mysore owing to ill health in 1904 and continued studies under Captain R.J.W. Heale and able Indian tutors. Married in 1910 Kompa Cheluvajammami, fourth daughter of the late Sardar Dalavai Devaraj Urs, a leading Sardar of Mysore. In 1911 he accompanied the Maharaja to Delhi Durbar, and in 1913 went on a tour to Europe; was member of Mysore Council in charge of the Military Portfolio. Recreations—Fishing, Polo, Racquet, and Turf.

Address—Mysore.

Muli, Thakor Sahab Shri Harischandrasinhji of.—Born on 10th July 1899. Succeeded to the Gadi on 3rd December 1905. Educated at the Rajkumar College, Rajkot. Married on the 19th May 1920 Shri NandKunverba, daughter of Rao Bahadur Raj Bijaysinghji of Kunadi under Kotah, and has two sons. Heir: Yuvaraj Shri Dharmendra Singhji. Area of the state: 133.2 sq. miles. Population: 17,109. Revenue: Rs. 7,50,000.

Address—Muli, Kathiawar.

Narsingarh, H. H. Raja Vikram Singji Bahadur, the present ruler of.—Born on 21st September 1909. Succeeded his father H. H. Raja Sir Arjun Singji, Bahadur K. C. I. E. on the 23rd April 1924. Invested with full ruling powers on 7th October 1929. Educated at the Daly College, Indore and the Mayo College, Ajmer. He received his administrative training under the Mysore Government. Married a daughter of the Heir-Apparent of the Kutch state in June 1929. The state pays no tribute to the British Government, but pays annually through the British Government Rs. 85,000 (Salim Shahi) to the Indore State and receives annually Rs. 1,200 from the Gwalior state and Rs. 5,102 from the Dewas Senior and Junior states. Area of the state: 734 sq. miles. Population: 118,873. Revenue: Rs. 9,50,000. Salute: 11 guns.

Address—Narsingarh State C. I.

Nawanagar Lt. Colonel H. H. Maharaja Shri Sir Digvijaysinhji Ranjitsinhji Jadeja, K.C.S.I. A.-D.-C., Maharaja Jam Sahab of.—Born in 1895. Ascended the Gadi, on 2nd April 1933. Educated at the Rajkumar College Rajkot, Malvern College and University College, London. Recreation: Racquets, Cricket, Squash, Tennis and Shooting.

Area of the State—3,791 sq. miles.

Population—409,192.

Revenue—Rs. 90 lakhs.

Salute—15 guns.

Address—Jamnagar.

Nilgiri State (Orissa), Raja Shri Kishorechandra Mardraj Harichandan ruling chief of.—Born on 2nd February 1901. Ascended the Gadi on 2nd February 1925. Educated at the Mayo College Ajmer. Married on the 20th February 1922, the daughter of H. H. Raja Sir Pratap Singh K.C.I.E. of Alirajpur, (C.I.) and again on the 19th June 1925 the daughter of Takor Sahab of Thakurgaon (Ranchi). Heir-Apparent: Tikait Shri Rajendra Chandra Mardraj Harichandan. Area of the state: 234 sq. miles. Population: 68,598. Gross Revenue: Rs. 2,31,687.

Address: Niligiri State, Orissa.

Orchha, H. H. Saramad-i-Rajahai, Bundelkhand Shri Sawai Mahendra Maharaja Shri Vir Singh Dev Bahadur of.—Born 14th April, 1899. Ascended the Gadi on the 4th March, 1930. Educated at the Daly College, Indore, Rajkumar College, Rajkot, and Mayo College, Ajmer. Also received Administrative Training in the Sangor District in the Central Provinces. Married a sister of His Highness the Maharaja of Wadhwan (Kathiawar) on the 4th March, 1919, who is dead; subsequently married a grand-daughter of His Highness the Maharaja of Gondal.

Heir-Apparent—Raja Bahadur Shri Devendra Singh Ji Dev.

Area of the State—2,080 sq. miles.

Population—314,661.

Revenue—About Rs. 17 lakhs.

Salute—15 guns.

Address—Orchha.

WHO'S WHO

PALITANA

His Highness Thakore Saheb Shri Sir Bahadur Sinhji, K.C.I.E., Thakore Saheb of Palitana is a Gohel Rajput and a descendant from the same stock as the Maharaja of



Bhavnagar. He was born on the 3rd April, 1900, and was only five years of age when his father, Thakore Saheb Shri Sir Mansinhji died. He succeeded his father on the 29th September, 1905, and the State was placed under Government administration during his minority.

He received his education first in the Rajkumar College, Rajkot, Preparatory School at Rugby, and then at Shrewsbury Public School in England where he excelled at games. While in England, he had the privilege of being presented twice to their Imperial Majesties the King and Queen. Thakore Sahab Sir Bahadursinhji, K.C.I.E., was invested with the full powers of his State on the 27th November, 1919. He was present at the Delhi Coronation Durbar held on the 12th December, 1911, and had the honour of attending as a Page on Her Majesty the Queen Empress of India. On 2nd December, 1919, the Thakore Sahab married Sitaba Sahab the eldest daughter of Maharaj Kumar Shri Bhejraji Sahab Gondal. The State made a suitable response to the call of Government for assistance during the Great War. The Chief holds a Sanad of adoption and succession follows the rule of primogeniture. The insignia of K.C.I.E., was conferred on the 1st January, 1930. The Thakore Sahebs' sister is the Senior Rani Sahiba of His Highness Rana Sahab Sir Ranjitsinhji, K.C.I.E., Rana Sahab of Barwani.

His Highness the present Thakore Sahab has been responsible for the introduction of a number of administrative reforms in the State during his regime including establishment of two new villages for the convenience of cultivators; grant of liberal scholarship for secondary and higher education, medical relief by the introduction of Medical Aid Scheme; introduction of English education in Girls' School; establishment of new schools; electrification of the whole town; establishment of the Peoples' Representative Assembly composed of twenty elected and twenty nominated members; introduction of Co-operative Societies and abolition of the toll tax. His Highness also uses some of his time for public activities. He is a member of the Chamber of Princes in his own right; a member of the Rajkumar College Council, Rajkot; captain of the Gohelwad Cricket XI since 1931; captained the W.I.S.C.A.'s team in the All-India Tournament in 1932 and won the Challenge Cup; a Member of the Governing Body of the Western India States Cricket Association and Steward of the Kathiwar Race Club.

Recreations: Cricket, Tennis, Football, Hockey, Shooting, and Riding.

Area of the State—288.8 Square miles.

Population—62,150 (1931).

Revenue—12,00,000 Rupees.

Salute—9 guns.

Dewan—Mr. K. S. Mulraj Sinhji of Virpur.

Address—Palitana, Kathiwar.

Palanpur, Major H. H. Zubd-Tul-Mulk Diwan Mahakhan Shri Taley Mahommed Khan Bahadur, G.C.I.E., K.C.V.O. Nawab of.—Born on the 7th July 1883. Educated privately. Ascended to the Gadi in 1918. Palanpur is a very ancient Muslim state in India. The present Nawab is the 29th ruler of the House. H. H. went as a delegate to the ninth assembly of the League of Nations, held at Geneva in 1928. Heir: Nawabzada Iqbal Muhammed Khan Bahadur. Area of the state: 1,768.89 sq. miles. Population: 264,179. Revenue: Rs. 10,62,466. Salute: 13 guns.

Address—Palanpur.

Panna, H. H. Maharaja Mahendra Sir Yadvendra Singh Bahadur, K.C.S.I., K.C.I.E., Maharaja of.—Born on 31st January, 1893. Succeeded to the Gadi on 20th June, 1902. Invested with full ruling powers on 4th February, 1915. Educated at the Mayo College, Ajmer, where he took the diploma. Married on the 2nd December, 1912, the daughter of His late Highness the Maharaja of Bhavnagar, and has two sons. Her Highness the late Maharani received the Kaisar-i-Hind Gold Medal of the First Class on 3rd June, 1916. She died in 1927. In 1928 His Highness married the sister of the present Maharaja of Jaipur.

Heir-Apparent—Raja Bahadur Narendra Singh Ju Deo.

Area of the State—2,596 sq. miles.

Population—2,12,130.

Revenue—Rs. 11,00,000.

Salute—11 guns.

Address—Panna.

Partabgarh, H. H. Maharawat Ram Singhji Bahadur Maharaja of.—Born in 1908. Succeeded to the Gadi in 1929. Educated at Mayo College, Ajmer, where he passed his Diploma Examination in 1927.

Area of the State—886 Sq. miles.

Population—67,114.

Revenue—About five and half lakhs of rupees.

Hereditary Salute—15 guns.

Address—Partabgarh.

PATIALA

**Lieutenant-General His Highness Farzand-I-Khas Doulat-I-Inglishia,
Mansur-Ul-Zaman Amir-Ul-Umra Maharaja Dhiraj Raj Rajeshwar Shri**



Maharaja-I-Rajgan Sir Bupinder Singh Mohinder Bahadur Yadu Vanshavatans Bhatti Kul Bhushan, G.C.S.I., G.C.I.E., G.C.V.O., G.B.E., A.D.C., the present Ruler of Patiala, which is the largest of the Phulkian States and the premier State in the Punjab, was born in 1891. Succeeded in 1900, and assumed the reins of

Government in 1909, on attaining majority. His Highness the Maharaja Dhiraj enjoys at present a personal salute of nineteen guns and he and his successors the distinction of exemption from presenting Nazar to the Viceroy in Durbar in perpetuity. The State possesses valuable forests and is rich in antiquities. One hundred and thirty-eight miles of broad-gauge railway lines comprising two sections—from Rajpura to Bhatinda and from Sirhing to Rupar—have been constructed by the State at its own cost.

The State maintains a first grade College which imparts free education to State Subjects. Primary education is also free throughout the State. Since the State entered into alliance with the British Government in 1809, it has rendered help to the British Government on all critical occasions such as Gurkha War, Sikh War, Mutiny of 1857, Afghan War of 1878-79, Tirah and N.W.F. Campaign of 1897. On the outbreak of the European War His Highness placed the entire resources of his State at the disposal of His Majesty the King-Emperor and offered his personal services. Again in 1919 on the outbreak of hostilities with Afghanistan His Highness served personally on the Frontier on the Staff of the General Officer Commanding and the Imperial Service Contingent saw active service towards Kohat and Quetta Fronts. For his service on the N. W. F. His Highness was mentioned in despatches.

His Highness was elected by His Excellency the Viceroy to represent the Ruling Princes of India at the Imperial War Conference and Imperial War Cabinet in June 1918, and during his stay in Europe His Highness paid visits to all the different and principal fronts in Belgium, France, Italy, Egypt (Palestine) and received the following decorations from the allied Sovereigns and Governments: Grand Cordon of the Order de Leopold; Grand Cross of the Legion of Honour, France; Grand Cross of the Order of the Crown of Italy; Grand Cordon of the Order of the Nile; Grand Cross of the Order of the Crown of Roumania, and Grand Cross of the Order St. Saviour of Greece (1926).

His Highness represented the Indian Princes at the League of Nations in 1925, he was elected Chancellor of the Chamber of Princes (Narendra Mandal). He was re-elected Chancellor of the Chamber in 1927-28-29-30. In 1930 His Highness led the Princes' delegation to the Round Table Conference. His Highness has again been elected Chancellor of the Chamber of Princes, in 1933.

Area—5,932 square miles.

Population—1,625,520.

Gross Income—One crore and fifty lakhs.

Address—Patiala.

Phaltan, Captain H. H. Malojirao Mudhojirao Naik Nimbalkar Maratha (Kshatriya), Raja of:—

Born on 11th September, 1896. Ascended the Gadi on 15th November 1917. Educated at Kolhapur and Rajkot and obtained Diploma of the Rajkumar College. Married in 1913 S. Laxmidevi, daughter of Shrimant Raja Shambhusingrao Jadhavrao, First Class Sardar of Malgaon B. K. in the Poona District.

Heir—Shrimant Pratapsinh alias Bapusaheb.

Area of the State—397 sq. miles.

Population—58,761.

Revenue—Rs. 4,44,215.

Address—Phaltan.

Porbandar, H. H. Maharaja Shri Sir Natwarsinghji Bahadur, K.C.S.I. Maha-



raja Rans Sahab of:—Born in 1901. Succeeded to the Gadi in 1908. Educated at the Rajkumar College, Rajkot. Married in 1920, Princess Rupaliba, M.B.E., daughter of His Highness Thakore Sahab Shri Sir Daulatsinghji Bahadur, K.C.S.I., K.C.I.E., Thakore Sahab of Limbdi.

Club—The Maconochie Club, Porbandar.

Area of the State—6,425 sq. miles.

Population—115,741.

Revenue—Rs. 20,00,000.

Salute—13 guns.

Address—Porbandar.

RAJKOT

His Highness Thakore Shaheb Shri Dharmendra Sinhji, Thakore Saheb of Rajkot, Kathiawar. Rajkot is the headquarters of the W. I. S. Agency, and educationally



it is a premier city in Kathiawar. The Ruler of the Rajkot State is descended from the same stem as the Jam of Nawanganar. Jadeja Shri Vibhoji was the founder of this House.

H.H. Thakoresahab Shri Dharmendrasinhji, the present Ruler, was born on the 4th March, 1910. After receiving his education in Rajkumar College, Rajkot, and later on in England at the High Gate School, London, he assumed the full powers of the State 21st April, 1931. The administration is carried on a secretariat system in co-operation with Praja Pratinidhi Sabha or People's Representatives Assembly based on universal franchise with a Legislative Council and democratic municipality linked thereto.

Area—283 square miles.
Population—75,540.
Revenue—Rs. 12,50,000.
Salute—9 guns.
Political Secretary—Darbar Shri Viravala.
Address—Rajkot, Kathiawar.

Radhanpur, His Highness Nawaab Saheb Murtuzakhan Jorawarkhan Babi Bahadur, the present Ruler of—Born on 10th October, 1899. His Highness was invested with full ruling powers on 7th April, 1937. Educated at the Radhanpur High School and Rajkumar College, Rajkot. He is the tenth Nawab occupant of the Gadi since the foundation of the Babi House, in Radhanpur by Babi, the famous General Jafarkhan.

Area of the State—1,150 sq. miles.
Population—70,530.
Revenue—Rs. 7,50,000.
Salute—11 guns.
Address—Radhanpur.

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RATLAM

Colonel His Highness Sir Sajjan Singhji, G.C.I.E., K.C.S.I., K.C.V.O., A.D.C., to H.R.H. the Prince of Wales, Maharaja Sahib Bahadur of Ratlam. Born on 13th January, 1880.



Descended from younger branch of Jodhpur family. He is the recognised head of the Rathor clan and maintains a moral supremacy over Rajput Chiefs in Malwa. Educated at the Daly College at Indore and succeeded his father (Sir Ranjit Singhji, K.C.I.E.) in 1898. Married in 1902 a daughter of His Highness the Maharao of Cutch and in 1922, a daughter of the well-

known Soda Rajput family of Jammagar, by whom he has three daughters and two sons. Served in European War (France) from April 1915 up to 1918; was mentioned in despatches; was presented with "Croix de la Legion d'Honneur" by the French Government and was granted the Honorary rank of Colonel in the British Army in 1918. Served in Afghan War in 1919. Has enjoyed an international reputation as a polo player.

The administration of the State is carried with the help of a council of which His Highness is the President and Rao Bahadur Devshanker J. Dave, Advocate, is Dewan and Vice-President.

Hair Apparent—Maharajkumar Lokender Singhji.

Area of State—693 square miles.

Population—107,321.

Revenue—Rs. 10 lakhs.

Salute—13 guns (local salute 15 guns)

Address—Ratlam.

Rampur, Captain H. H. Alijah Farzand-i-Dilpizir-i-Daulati-Inglishia, Mukhlis-ud-Daula, Nasir-ul-Mulk, Amir-ul-Umara, Nawab Syed Mohammad Raza Ali Khan Bahadur, Mustaid-i-Jung, Ruler of:—Born on 17th November 1906. Succeeded to the Gadi on 20th June 1930. Formal installation took place on 26th August 1930. Educated at the Rajkumar College, Rajkot. Married in 1921 the daughter of Sahobzada Sir Abdussamad Khan Bahadur, Kt., C.I.E. His Highness has two sons and four daughters.

Hair-Apparent—Sahobzada Syed Murtaza Ali Kan Bahadur, born on 22nd November 1923.

Area of the State—892.54 sq. miles.

Population—464,919.

Revenue—Rs. 54,00,090.

Salute—15 guns.

Address—Rampur.

Rajgarh, H. H. Raja Rawat Sir Bir Indra Singhji Sahib Bahadur, K.C.I.E. present Ruler of:—Born in January, 1892. Educated at the Daly College, Indore. Ascended the Gadi in 1916.

Area of the State—962 sq. miles.

Population—1,34,891.

Revenue—Rs. 12 lakhs.

Salute—11 guns.

Address—Rajgarh.

Rajpipla, Major H. H. Maharaja Shri Vijaysinhji, K. C. S. I., Maharaja



of: Born on 30th January, 1890. Succeeded to the Gadi on the death of father on 26th September, 1915. Educated at the Rajkumar College, Rajkot, and Imperial Cadet Corps, Dehra Dun. Has travelled extensively in Europe and America. He is one of the most enlightened and able rulers, and his administration during its twenty-two years has been marked by the sole purpose of promoting the welfare of his people and the advance of his State.

Clubs—Marlborough Club, London; Herlingham Club, London; Willingdon Sports Club, Bombay; The Calcutta Club, Calcutta.

Recreations—Polo Racing, and Shooting.

Hair-Apparent—Yuvaraj Shri Rajendrasinghji, born in 1912.

Area of the State—1,517.50 sq. miles.

Population—206,085.

Revenue—Rs. 27,00,000.

Salute—13 guns.

Address—Rajpipla.

S A N D U R

Raja Shrimant Yeshwantrao Hindoorao Ghorpade, Maulakatnadar, Senapathi, Ruler of Sandur. The Ruling House of Sandur (a Mahratha State in Southern India) belongs



to the family of the Ghorpades which is identical with that of the Bhosles of Satara, and according to the family legend their ancestors acquired this surname of "Ghorpade" during the Bahmini dynasty, from having sealed an impregnable fort in the Konkan with the aid of

an iguana known in Marathi as "ghorpad." The ancestors of the ruler distinguished themselves under Shivaji and his family, and for the useful services rendered to the royal house of Satara, the Jaghir of Gajendragud was conferred on them with the title of HINDOORAO. The ruler of the State bears the hereditary titles of "Mamlakatmadar" and "Senapathi" meaning respectively "Seat of Sovereignty" and "Chief of the Army."

Raja Shrimant Yeshwantrao Hindoorao Ghorpade, Mamlakatmadar, Senapathi, the present Ruler of Sandur, was born on 13th November 1908. His succession to Raj was announced at a Durbar held on 20th June 1928. The marriage of the ruler with the eldest daughter of Umadat-ul-mulk Raj Rajendra Major Maioji Narsingrao Shitole Deshmukh Rustum Jung Bahadur of Gwalior, was celebrated on the 22nd December 1929. The Ruler assumed full Ruling Powers on 5th February 1930. A son and heir was born to the Ruler on the 7th December 1931. The Prince is named Shrimant Morar Rao Ghorpade, after Raja Morar Rao Ghorpade, the illustrious ancestor of the present Ruler. A second son was born to the Ruler on 16th February 1933. The Prince is named Rajkumar Ranjit Singh. The Raja is entitled by position to be received by the Viceroy. The ruler is the fountain-head of powers, authority and justice in the State. The executive head of the administration directly responsible to the ruler is the Dewan. The Ruler has also an Executive Council known as the "Huzur Darbar" consisting of four members to help him in the administration of the State. On 20th April 1931 a State Council was constituted which consists of non-official members, nominated out of a panel of elected members. There is non-official Deputy President. Universal suffrage has been extended to the subjects.

A regularly graded hierarchy of Courts, both Civil and Criminal, has been established in the State. An Independent Chief Court was established in 1932. Municipal institutions have been established in three important centres in the State. There is a State-aided Agricultural Bank. Education is imparted free up to the matriculation standard.

Address—Sandur, District Bollary.

Rewa, His Highness Bandhvesh Maharaja Sir Gulab Singh Ju Deo Bahadur, G.C.I.E., K.C.S.I., Maharaja of:—



Born in 1903. Ascended the Gadi in 1919; invested with ruling powers in 1922. Educated at the Daly College, Indore. Married in 1919, a sister of His Highness the Maharaja of Jodhpur, and also married in 1925 the daughter of His late Highness the Maharaja Sir Madan Singh Bahadur, K.C.S.I., K.C.I.E. Ruler of Kishangarh. The Maharaja is a noted sportsman and has shot over 500 tigers. He was a delegate to all the three Sessions of the Round Table Conference, and was also a member of the Federal Structure Committee of the Conference. He is a member of the General Council of the Daly College and of the Managing Committee of King Edward Medical School, Indore.

Heir-Apparent—Sri Yuvraj Maharaj Kumar Martand Singh Sahab (born in 1923).

Area of the State—13,000 sq. miles.

Population—1,587,445.

Revenue—60,00,000.

Salute—17 guns.

On the executive side His Highness is assisted by a State Council of seven members of which His Highness himself is the President. On the Judicial side there is a Chief Court consisting of Judges. A Rajprashad consisting of thirty-nine members, both officials and non-officials, has also been established to advise on matters of public and social interest.

Address—Rewa.

SANGLI

Lieutenant His Highness Raja Sir Chintaman Rao Dhundirao *alias* Appasaheb Patwardhan, K.C.I.E., Raja of Sangli. Born in 1890, and ascended the Gadi in 1930.



Educated at the Rajkumar College, Rajkot. Married a daughter of Sir M. V. Joshi, K.C.I.E., C.I.E., of Amraoti, Ex-Home Member of the Government of Central Provinces. Assumed the administration of the State in June, 1910. Represented the interests of the smaller Indian States at the First and Second Round Table Conferences with success and ability and deputed his political Minister Rao Saheb Y. T. Thombare as a delegate to the joint Parliamentary Committee. The various honours that have been bestowed on him are: A salute of nine guns in 1917; conferment of the K.C.I.E., in 1923; increase of the salute to eleven guns (personal) in 1927 and his being honoured with the title of Raja in 1932.

Heir: Srimant Rajkumar Madhavrao *alias* Raossahab Patwardhan Yuvaraj.

Area of the State—1136 square miles.

Population—258,442.

Revenue—Rs. 1,675,000.

Address—Sangli, S.M.C.

H. H. Rancee Saheb of Sangli.

Her Highness Shrimant Sowbhagyawati Rancee Sheb of Sangli, is the daughter, of Sir M. V. Joshi K.C.L.E., C.T.E. of Amraoti, Ex-Home Member, C. P. Government. She was



educated at Ferguson and Elphinstone Colleges. The Rancee Saheb who is an enlightened lady and an enthusiastic social worker, has won the hearts of the Sangli people from the days of her marriage and her grace and sympathy have deepened her popularity with every passing year. Her activities for the uplift of Indian women and Infant Welfare are well-known. As President of the Poona Seva Sadan and as an active worker in various other forms of social work connected with the emancipation of Indian womanhood, Her Highness the Rancee Saheb of Sangli has created a great impression on the minds of the Indian public. She accompanied His Highness to England on the occasion of the First Round Table Conference, amassed a valuable fund of experience and knowledge which she has since dedicated to to the cause of her sisters in India. She was appointed Regent at the time when the Raja Saheb went to England in connection with the Second Round Table Conference. She has four daughters—Rajkumaris, (1) Shrimant Sowbhagyawati Indumati Raje Rajwade, (2) Shrimant Chandravati Devi, (3) Shrimant Ushadevi and (4) Shrimant Shakuntala Raje—and two sons (1) Shrimant Yuvaraj Madhavrao Rao Saheb and (2) Shrimant Pandurangrao Balasaheb. Address—Sangli.

SATARA

Shrimant, Shahu Pratapsimha Bhosle, of Satara, is the most senior descendent of the famous Shri Chhatrapati Shivaji Maharaj and the most senior amongst all the Maratha Princes



in the Southern Maratha Country. He was born on 28th October 1918, and was adopted by Shrimant Tarabai Rani Sahab Maharaj on 28th May 1925. He is being trained by a private tutor, Mr. H. Chaturvedi M.A., L.T. (Allahabad) M.Ed. (Lode University), Gokhale Medalist.

His estate is under the management of four trustees including his mother, Shrimant Tarabai Rani Sahab Maharaj, the District Judge of Satara, The Hon. Sir D. B. Cooper and Dossabhoj Manokji (deceased). His ancestor, Shrimant Chhatrapati Pratapsimha, alias Bowasahab, was deposed in 1839 and was sent to Bonaros. After his deposition, his younger brother, Shrimant Shahuji Maharaj alias Adpasahab, was installed on the throne and ruled till 5 April 1848, and since then

the Satara State was annexed to the British rule by a Proclamation dated the 1st May 1849.

Address—Jala Mandir, Palace, Satara City.

SIRMOOR

Lt. Colonel His Highness Maharaja Sir Amar Prakash Bahadur, K.C.S.I., K.C.I.E. Maharaj of Sirmoor State, died in Vienna on the 13th August 1933, after a brilliant and successful reign of more than 21 years. His sad and sorrowful demise was naturally a heavy and



unbearable shock and deprived his son, His Highness Maharaja Rajender Prakash Bahadur, of the solicitous and affectionate care of his father and placed the heavy responsible burden of the administration of the State on his shoulders while still in the early years of his life.

H. H. the Maharaja Rajender Parkash the present Ruler, was born on the 10th January 1913. He was very carefully educated during the life time of his father who took special interest in the upbringing of his son. During his father's absence in Europe when the administration of the State was placed in the hands of a council, he received practical training and gained immense knowledge of the ins and outs of administration and thereby well equipped himself for undertaking the responsibilities of his high office. Although it was before due time, in recognition of his ruling merits and abilities the Maharaja was installed to his ancestral Gadi by the Hon'ble Sir J. A. O. Fitz Patrick, K. C. I. E., C. B. E., I. C. S., Agent the Governor-General

Punjab States, in November 1933. The young Prince is a good scholar in English and has a store of wisdom far beyond his years. Besides being hard working he is energetic, intelligent and a keen sportsman. As the Chief Justice of the High Court of the State he considers it his solemn obligation to dispense even-handed justice with scrupulous care. Ever since his assumption of the rule of Government he has been administering the State with conspicuous ability, without sparing any pains to promote the interests of his State and subjects.

Sachin, His Highness Mubarizud-Daulah, Muzaffer-ul-Mulk, Nasrute-Jung, Nawab Bahadur Sidi Mohomed Haider Mohommed Yakut Khan, Nawab of.—Born, 11th September 1909.

Succeeded: 19th November 1930. Married Her Highness Arjumand Bano, Sarkar Mahol, Nawab Nusrat Zainani, Nawab-Begum of Sachin, the eldest sister of His Highness the Nawab of Loharu, on 7th July 1930. Educated at home and later at the Rajkumar College, Rajkot. Sachin is the Senior Habshi State in India. The Rulers of Sachin are Habshi Mohammedans, and are the lineal descendants of Nawab Bahadur Sidi Abdul Karim Mohommed Yakut Khan I. Over a family dispute for the Throne of Janjira the Sidi Abdul Karim Mohommed Yakut Khan I left Janjira and joined forces with the Peshwa. In 1791 a triple treaty was concluded between the Sidi Abdul Karim Mohommed Yakut Khan I, the Peshwa, and the East India Company, on the basis of an offensive and a defensive alliance. By this Triple Alliance the Sidi Abdul Karim Mohommed Yakut Khan I took the State of Sachin. The Ruler of Sachin is a Member of the Narendra Mandal (Chamber of Princes) in his own right and is internally fully Sovereign. The State pays no tribute either to the British Government or to any other State.

Sachin is the capital of the State and a pretty town on the R.B. & C.I. Railway.

Dumas, the summer capital of the ruler, is a delightful sea-resort ten miles by motor road from Surat. The only summer resort of its kind on the western coast. Connected with Grand Trunk telephone and other modern conveniences. Amusements in Dumas: Sea bathing, promenade, tennis, cricket, motoring, etc.

Chief Minister: Sahebzada Mahmudali Khan Bahadur of Rampur.

Private Secretary: Sardar Thakore Shree Natwarsinhji.

Address—Qasro Sultan, Dumas, (Sachin State).

Sant, Maharana Shri Jorawarsinhji, the present Ruler of.—Born on 24th March 1881. Installed on the Gadi in 1896. Invested with full ruling powers on 10th May 1902. Educated at Rajkumar College, Rajkot. The Rajasahab is a member of the Chamber of Princes. Married Maharaj Rajkumari, daughter of Maharaj Kumar Shri Vijayarajji, Heir-apparent, Cutch State, on 15th May 1928.

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Heir-Apparent—Maharaj Kumar Shri Pravarsinhji born on first December 1909.

Area—39 sq. miles.
Population—83,538.
Revenue—521,877.
Salute—9 guns.
Address—Sant.

Sawantwadi, Major, His Highness Raje Shri Sir Khem Sawant Bhonsle Bahadur, K.C.S.I. (1934) Raja of.—Born on 20th August 1897. Succeeded to the Gadi on 2nd June 1918 and assumed the reins of administration on 29th October 1924. Educated at Malvern College, England. Married in 1922 Princess Shri Lakshmi Devi of Baroda. Served in the Great War at Mesopotamia from October 1917 to March 1919; attached as Hon. Officer to 4/5 Mahratta Light Infantry. Heir: Shrimant Yuvraj Shiwram Sawant. Area of state: 930 sq. miles. Population: 230,569. Revenue: 688,000. Salute: 9 guns.

Address—Sawantwadi.

Sonpur, Saptasri Maharaja Sir Bir Mitrodaya Sing Doe, Dharmanidhi, Jnangunakar, K.C.I.E., of.—Born in 1874. Ascended the Gadi in 1902. Married in 1895, the daughter of the Raja of Kashipur. Heir-apparent: Maharajkumar Sriman Sudhangshu Sekhar Sing Doe, M.R.A.S. Area of the State: 961 sq. miles. Population: 237,920. Revenue: Rs. 517,000. Salute: 9 guns.

Address—Sonpur State.

Suket, H. H. Raja Laxman Sen Bahadur, the present ruler of.—Born 15th August 1894. Succeeded his brother Raja Sir Bhimsen K.C.I.E. who died on the 12th October 1919. Installed to the Gadi on 30th March 1920. Educated at Aitchison Chief's College Lahore. Administration training under Punjab Government. Married to the daughter of Kanwar Gumansingh of Kothi state. Heir apparent: Shri Yuvaraj Lalit Sen, born 21st April 1932. Salute: 11 guns. Area of the state: 420 sq. miles. Population: 58,408. Revenue: 273,000.

Address—Suket State, Punjab, India.

Tonk, H. H. Said-ud-Daulah Wazir-Ul-Mulk Nawab Hafiz Sir Mahammed Saadat Ali Khan Bahadur Sowlat-i-Jung, G.C.I.E. Nawab of.—Born in 1879. Ascended the Gadi on 23rd June 1930. Educated privately and is an Arabic and Persian Scholar. Area of the State: 2,553 sq. miles. Population: 317,360. Revenue: Rs. 2,300,000. Salute: 17 guns.

Address—Tonk State.

TRAVANCORE

His Highness Sri Padmanabha Dasa, Vanchi Pala, Sir Rama Varma Kulasekara Kritapati, Manney Sultan, Maharaja Raja Ramaraja Bahadur.



Shamsher Jang, G.C.I.E., Maharaja of Travancore. The Ruling House of Travancore traces its descent, direct and unbroken, from one of the oldest dynasties of India, namely, the Cheras, who in the pre-Christian era shared with the Cholas and the Pandyas the sover-

eighty of the south. The State attained its present territorial configuration during the reign of Raja Martanda Varma, who ruled from 1729 to 1758. The long reign of thirty-nine years of the late Sri Moolam Thirunal Maharaja was justly acclaimed as the "Golden Age" of Travancore in her recent history. The late Maharaja having no direct heir to the throne, Setu Lakshmi Bai and Setu Parvathi Bai, from the Mavelikara stock were adopted. The present Maharaja is the son of the Junior Rani, Setu Parvathi Bai.

Born on 7th November 1912, His Highness began to study Malayalam from the early age of five. This was followed by a well-regulated course of studies in Sanskrit by competent pandits. Mr. D. W. Dodwell, I.C.S., and later Captain (i. T. V. Harvey were in charge of the higher education of His Highness who made remarkable progress in his studies under their



H. H. MARTANDA VARMA, ELAIYA RAJA. guidance. Mr. P. C. Dutt, I.C.S., a distinguished Indian civilian, was appointed administrative tutor of His Highness in 1930 when he stayed in Mysore for several months to study the working of the administrative machinery of that progressive Indian state.

His Highness who came into titular succession in 1924 was invested with full ruling powers on the sixth November, 1931, on the attainment of majority. The seven years of minority administration was carried on under the regency of the Senior Maharani, Setu Lakshmi Bai, C. I. His Highness has travelled

far and wide and is the first Ruler of Travancore to go on a European tour.

His Highness has not only sedulously adhered to the great traditions of his House, but has readily responded to all the legitimate aspirations of his subjects, so that Travancore today is looked upon as a model of progress and enlightenment by the rest of India. The latest instance in this respect is His Highness's Proclamation throwing open all the temples under his control and that of his Government to all his Hindu subjects, including those formerly described as the depressed and untouchable classes, a reform which evoked universal satisfaction and thankfulness not only within the State but all over the world. Travancore, the capital of Travancore, is the terminus of the South Indian Railway. The whole State is covered by a network of roads and canals with a well-regulated system of motor services and steam launches. There exists also a weekly air mail service between Bombay and Travancore.

Various cottage industries have been carried on for centuries; cotton weaving, and coir-making, wood and ivory carving, screwing work and carpentry, and, more recently, lace making, have attained a world-wide reputation. The fisheries of Travancore are already an item of considerable importance, and the export of fish and fish products amounts in value to about Rs. 25 lakhs yearly. Poultry farming and bee keeping in the State have attracted much outside attention.

The mineral possibilities, too, are great. Apart from the immense deposits of mineral sands such as ilmenite and monazite, the State has in an abundant measure deposits of graphite and kaolin of exceptionally high quality. There are abundant sources of hydro-electric power. To demonstrate the possibilities of new industries, the State has already started a model rubber factory and will establish a kaolin factory.

The administration of the State bears the stamp of His Highness's deep and abiding interests in the advancement of good Government. By far the most important piece of reform was the Legislative Reforms Regulation II of 1908 sanctioned by His Highness a year after the investiture. A Bicameral Legislature—the Sri Muzam Assembly and the Sri Chitra State Council was set up with extensive powers of interpellation, legislation, and financial control. Representation was given to various interests and there is a preponderating non-official majority in both the Houses. Due to the liberalism of His Highness, Travancore enjoys the credit of having a legislative machinery in no way inferior to that of any British province and far in advance of the legislature in any other Indian State.

Area: 7,625 square miles.

Population: 5,095,973.

Revenue: Rs. 238,87,200, Salute: 19 guns.



H. H. PRINCESS KARTHIKA THIRUNAI, SISTER OF
H. H. THE MAHARAJA OF TRAVANCORE.

H.H. Maharani Setu Parvathi Bai, the Maharani of Travancore. Born on 8th November, 1896, at Mavelikkara, she is the mother of the present Ruler of Travancore. She was adopted along with H.H. Setu Lakshmi Bai, C.I., the Senior Maharani, when she was only four



years old, on 31st August, 1900. She received her early education from the hands of competent teachers. She is a lady of High principles, an unrelenting disciplinarian of exemplary character and wide outlook, an affectionate mother, progressive for her views, a scholar well-versed in Sanskrit literature and Malayalam—her vernacular—and ardent patron of fine arts. She has extensively travelled both in India and Europe and has visited several countries of art, commerce, and learning, in the Continent. She is a great believer in travel as an educative agency. She was the first Woman from the Travancore Royal House to go to the Continent with her son and daughter. She has taken great and abiding interest in the up-lift of the women of India, and has been a great strength to the movement. She presided at one of the sessions of the All-India Women's Association held at Calcutta. Her Highness is the Patron of the Travancore Women's Club. Address—Trivandrum, Travancore.

Udaipur, His Highness Maharajadhiraj Maharana Shree Sir Bhupa Singhji Bahadur, G.C.S.I., Ruler of.—Born on 22nd February 1884. Married first to the daughter of the Thakur of Auwa in Marwar in March 1910. After her demise to the daughter of Thakur of Achhrol in Jaipur in February 1911 and then to the daughter of the Thakur of Khudala in Marwar in January 1928. Educated Privately. Area of the State: 12,753 sq. miles. Population: 1,566,910. Revenue: Rs. 60,00,000. Salute: 19 guns. Local: 21 guns.

Address—Udaipur, Rajputana.

Vadia, Darbar Shree Suragwala, Ruling Chief of.—Born on the 15th March 1904. Succeeded to the Gadi in 1930 and assumed the reins of the State Administration on 7th September 1930. Educated privately under the supervision of a competent tutor. Married in 1921 to A. S. Kunvarbaisahab, the present Rani Sahab and has two daughters and two sons. Heir-apparent: Yuvaraj Shree Krishnakumar, born in 1931. Area of the State: 90 sq. miles. Population: 13,719. Revenue: Rs. 250,000.

Address—Vadia State.

Varsoda, Thakor Shree Joravarsinhji Surajmalji Chawda the ruling chief of.—Born on the 17th April 1914. Ascended to the Gadi in 1933. Educated at the Scott College, Sadra. He attained first rank in the class and in the whole college in English and obtained the Ferris Medals for proficiency in English. He was then admitted at the Mayo Chief College, Ajmer, where he won the prize in law and administration. Married on 20th May 1932, A. S. Dhanwant Kunverba, the daughter of Maharaul Shree Pravinsinhji of Bansda, the brother of H. H. Maharaj Sahab Shree Indrasinhji of Bansda state.

Address—Varsoda State, Sabarkantha Agency.

Vasna, Thakor Shree Bapu Sinhi the present Ruling chief of.—Born on the 19th September 1896. Educated at the Scott Rajkumar College, Sadra, where he had a brilliant career as a student. Succeeded to the Gadi in 1918 and assumed the powers of State on 26th April 1918. Heir-apparent: Rajkumar Shree Balbhadrasinhji. Area of the state: 10 sq. miles. Population: 3,907.

Address—Vasna state, Western India State Agency.

Venkatagiri, Maharajah Rajah Of.—Lieut.-Col. Rajah Velugoti Sir Govind Krishna Yachendruvaru Bahadur Panchazari Mansubdar of Venkatagiri, K.C.I.E., Maharajah, 1927. President, of Madras Land-holders' Association.

Address—Venkatagiri.

Venkatagiri, Kumara Rajah of.—Member, Madras Legislative Council elected by Nellore Rural; President, Nellore District Board, Nellore in 1931. Went to London in connection with the Second R.T.C.

Address—Osborne House, Royapettah, Madras.

Vijayanagar, H. H. Maharao Shri Hamir Singhji Sahab Bahadur, Ruler of.—Born on 3rd January 1904. Succeeded to the Gadi on 27th June 1916, and installed with full powers on 26th October 1924. Educated at the Mayo College, Ajmer. Married the daughter of the nephew of His Highness the late Maharaja Dhiraja Shri Maharana Sahab Sir Fatehsinhji of Udaipur and on her demise again married the daughter of the late Rajasahab Shri Bhagwat Raj Bahadur Singhji of Sohawal State. Heir-apparent: Maharaj Kumar Shri Pratap Singhji Sahab, born on 24th September, 1930. Area of the State: 175 sq. miles. Population: 8,491.

Address—Vijaynagar State.

Wadhwan, H. H. Maharana Shri Joravarsinhji, Thakore Sahab of.—Born on 23rd July, 1899. Succeeded to the Gadi on 23rd February, 1918 and invested with full ruling powers on 16th January 1920. Educated at the Rajkumar College, Rajkot. The Thakore Sahab is a Member of the Chamber of Princes in his own right as he enjoys full autonomous powers of internal sovereignty. He is entitled to the right of adoption. Married in 1920 with Laxmikunvorba and on her demise, a second time in 1932 with Rajendrakunvorba and has three sons and one daughter. Area of the State: 242.6 sq. miles. Population: 42,602. Revenue nearly Rs. 700,000. Salute: 9 guns.

Address—Wadhwan, Kathiawar.

Wankaner, H. H. Maharana Shri Amarsinhji Bahadur, K. C. S. I. (1936), K.C.I.E. Maharana Rajasahab of.—Born on 4th January 1879. Succeeded to the Gadi on 12th June 1881 and invested with full ruling powers on 18th March 1899. Educated at Rajkumar College, Rajkot. Heir-apparent: Maharaj Kumar Shri Pratap Singhji. Area of the State: 417 sq. miles. Population: 44,280. Revenue: Rs. 7,50,000. Salute: 11 guns.

Address—Wankaner, Kathiawar.

BAVADA

Shrimant Parashuramrao Madhavrao alias Bhausahab Pandit, Pant Amatya, Hukmat-Panha, the Ruler of Bavada, is a representative member and descendant of the



renowned and illustrious historic family of the Pant Amatya, the Finance Minister and second in rank among the Cabinet (Ash-ta-Pradhan, eight Ministers) of Shivaji the Great, the founder of the Maratha Empire. Nilo Sonadev and Abaji Sonadev were both great friends and companions of Shivaji from childhood and on the strength of their valour and administrative abilities, rose to high positions both in the State and in the Army and were created Subhedar, Sachiv and Mujumdar. Nilo Sonadev, who was the then Mujumdar, died and his son Ramchandra Nilkanth of historic fame in his young age of twenty-two succeeded his father as Mujumdar in 1672. In 1674, Shivaji performed his Coronation Ceremony and assumed Kingship when he organised his cabinet of eight Ministers and gave all of them Sanskrit designations thus changing "Mujumdar" to "Pant Amatya" and Ramchandara Nilkanth, who held the office since 1672, became the first Pant Amatya of the Maratha Empire. This Ramchandra

Nilkanth, who by his brilliant achievements and steadfast loyalty during his long career of more than sixty years has earned unparalleled historic fame in Maratha history, is the founder of Bavada House.

On the death of Shivaji the Great, Sambhaji, his eldest son came to the throne; but Aurangzeb, the most powerful Moghul Emperor, swooped down upon the Deccan with a determination to uproot the Maratha Empire. Unfortunately Sambhaji was captured and put to a violent and cruel death by him in 1689 at Tulapur near Ahmadnagar and his infant son

and wife were taken away as prisoners. Rajaram, the younger of Shivaji the great, was chosen by all the Marathas as their leader and king and they renewed their fight with the Moghuls as before. Rajaram, following the strategical mode of Maratha warfare thought it better to divide the force of Moghul attack by himself moving to Jinji, a strong hill fort to the extreme south. He placed Ramachandra Nilkanth at the head of the Marathas in Maharashtra to resist Aurangzeb and appointed him "Hukmat-Panha" with full powers of Government in 1692, to which selection, all the Maratha leaders, warriors and Sardars readily consented. He thus conducted, on his own responsibility, the Maratha warfare for six years, i.e., till 1697 when Rajaram could return to Maharashtra. Ramachandra Nilkanth was not only the most able administrator and renowned general but was also a selfless worker in the cause of the Maratha Independence, which fact is clear from his request to Rajaram Maharaja on his return from Jinji, for being relieved from official duties in order to be able to go on pilgrimage to Benares. Nothing could be nobler and more unselfish than such a request and it was impossible for Rajaram not to be moved by it. Rajaram Maharaja in reply to his request said that as Ramachandra Pant Amatya had vanquished the enemy and reconquered the lost possessions of the Raj, the duty of consolidating and maintaining the same naturally came to him. When Rajaram Maharaja was on his death bed in 1700, he called all Sardars and Officers of the Maratha Empire and commanded them that Ramachandra Pant Amatya was entrusted with full authority of management of the Maratha kingdom and that he was to be unflinchingly obeyed. In the usual course of things Shivaji, the son of Rajaram, was placed on the Gadi with Tarabai as Regent and Ramachandra Pant Amatya as the Prime Minister. It is during this period and in recognition of a brilliant record of selfless and signal services rendered by him for more than thirty years, that a Sanad in the name of Ramachandra Nilkanth was issued in 1708, making a full and absolute grant to him of a large and extensive tract of country with full powers and sovereignty together with additional Watans, Inams and Rights enjoyed by his family since ancient times. In 1707, however, the release of Sambhaji's son known as Shahu, from Moghul captivity gave rise to civil war among the Marathas, causing a split among the Maratha leaders as expected by Aurangzeb. Greater section was steadfast in its loyalty to the "Staunch Maratha Independence Party" headed by Tarabai and supported by such an able and veteran Minister as Ramachandra Pant Amatya. Shahu who came to the Deccan with a mandate from the Moghul Emperor and as a vassal of Delhi, could secure support

of Dhanaji Jadhav and Khando Balal Chitanis, assisted by Balaji Vishwanath. This civil war lasted for more than two decades and resulted in the Settlement of 1730-31 known as Waria Treaty by which the Independent existence of Kolhapur Gadi, was recognised by Shahu while he was allowed to conquer and rule to the North of Rivers Waria and Krishna.

From the above account, it is clear that Abaji and Nilo, uncle and father respectively of Ramachandra Pant Amatya had played a conspicuous part in the Maratha history during the time of Shivaji the Great, that Ramachandra Pant Amatya had on the death of Shivaji successfully saved the Maratha Empire from destruction, that he had faithfully served Rajaram (Second son of Shivaji the Great) and his successors till his death—which date is not yet known—and that the recognition of the Kolhapur State as an independent principality of Shahu of Satara was mainly due to the statesmanship and ability of Ramachandra Pant Amatya and the unselfish support he gave to Rajaram and his successors have always been treated with great respect by the Kolhapur Maharajas, and in recognition of their peculiar relations, they enjoy the unique and proud privilege of being addressed by the Chhatrapati Maharajas of Kolhapur as "चिरंजीव"—a mode of address used by a father to his son.

To come of such a noble and illustrious stock as Ramachandra Pant Amatya, the greatness of whose achievements even time can not efface from the Maratha history, must be considered one of the greatest blessings and for that reason Shrimant Madhavrao Moroshwarrao, the late Pant Amatyasaheb of Bavada, was certainly lucky in having been one of the lineal descendants of the great Ramachandra Nilkanth of revered memory as to get himself adopted to Bavada Gadi in 1868. Throughout his long and popular administration of Bavada for a period of forty-eight years and over, the late Pant Amatyasaheb has always shown that he had the blood of his ancestors passing in his veins. He earned the full approbation of the Kolhapur Maharajas and equally well did he earn the satisfaction of the British Government—an achievement to be proud of by any one. His habitual kindness and courtesy to all and his constant solicitude for the welfare of his subjects can hardly be forgotten. The grant of Silver and Gold Medals in 1908, 1911, and 1912, the enhancement of Judicial powers in 1904, the conferment in 1911 of the hereditary privilege of using the Bhaladar's Gold Stick, and the raising of his status to full Sessions Judgeship in 1927, all bear ample testimony to his unswerving loyalty and administrative capacity as well as to his qualities of head and heart. Shrimant Moreshwarrao Babasaheb, grand father of the present Pant Amatyasaheb

had very close and friendly relations with the British Government in recognition of which his portrait has been kept in the Council Hall at Poona.

The present Pant Amatya Sahab Shrinath Parashuramrao Bhansaheb was born on 17th February 1907 and is fortunate in that he has had throughout his early life the inestimable advantage of the guidance of such an able and loving father. It was only for political education and for the general knowledge of the world that he was kept under the guardianship of Capt. Gastrel and Capt. M.C. Sinclair. He received the early, and as such the best, portion of his education at Gagan-Bavada; and if today he is so successful as an administrator it is first because of the early training he received at the hands of his father and secondly because of the stern resolution he has formed for himself to follow in the footsteps of his beloved father. He was invested with full powers of administration of his Jahagir on 16th December 1931 at the hands of Lt.-Col. Sir Shree Rajaram Chhatrapati Maharaja Sahab of Kolhapur. During the short period of five years, the Pant Sahab has introduced various reforms in his Jahagir. The educational improvement of his people is a subject always very dear to his heart and in this direction he has spent money with a free hand. Shri Madhav A.V. School, at Gagan-Bavada, the old vernacular school now renamed in memory of his beloved father, who has been a great supporter of education, is a standing monument thereof. Scouting was introduced in the Jahagir with a view to improve the health and morals of the younger generations of his Jahagir. He has given an increment in pay to all Jahagir servants as encouragement to do good work. He is an enlightened Ruler with the welfare of the subjects closely at his heart and in him is seen a happy combination of western civilization and the culture and philosophy of the East. The Pant Sahab has had to enter into two marital relations. In 1924 he married his first wife S.S. Bhavani Baisaheb, the daughter of the late Chief Sahab of Jamakhandi, and in 1933 he married his second wife S.S. Shashikala Baisaheb, the daughter of Shrinant Sardar M.A. Bask of Poona, a first Class Sardar in the Deccan.

It stands as an incontrovertible fact that the part played by the members of the Pant Amatya family in the affairs of Maharashtra makes one of the brightest chapters in Indian history, and more especially in Maratha history; and one should be glad that the traditions of its famous rule are being ably carried on by the present Pant Amatya Sahab.

He is a keen sportsman and takes special interest in riding, shikar, motoring, swimming, tennis and all other manly sports. He is a member of the Bombay Flying Club and soon will command the art of flying.

In January 1936, he enjoyed a cruise of one month in the Far East in company of Shrinant Rajasahab and S. S. Ranisaheb of Jamakhandi, his brother-in-law and sister respectively. He had an opportunity to closely study the social and economical life of the people in the Far East.

On the 24th of April 1937, he left India from Bombay by S.S. Strathmore in order to attend the Coronation Ceremony of His Majesty the King Emperor in London. He proposes then to go on Continental tour and return home after about six months. His Powers of Jahagir-Administration, during his absence, have been delegated to his experienced and able Secretary Rasasahab K.G. Sabnis, B.A., with the sanction of His Highness the Chhatrapati Maharajasahab of Kolhapur and his Government.

Area of Bavada Jahagir is 243 sq. miles with a population of fifty-three thousand and a gross revenue of about two lakhs.

It forms the western Boundary of the Kolhapur State, and the capital, Gagan-Bavada situated on the top of Sahyadri Mountain, is a fine hill station.

Permanent Address—P. O. Madhav Bag Camp, Via Kolhapur, Deccan, India.

Himmat Bahadur Jahagir

Meherban Udajirao Abasaheb Chavan, Himmat Bahadur, the present ruler of Himmat Bahadur Jahagir is the fourth in generation from the original founder of the Jahagir.



He has completed the fifty-ninth year of his age. He was invested with the powers of administration in the year 1901. He enjoys full powers in revenue matters and the powers of First Class Sub-judge with appellate powers in civil matters and in criminal matters powers to inflict punishment up to seven years, with appellate powers. He was married to Shri. San. Laxmibai-sahab from a Sardar family of Baroda. She is a niece of the present Dargar Maharajah of Kolhapur. His second wife Shri. San. Tarabai-sahab is from Sarlashkar family, another founding house of Kolhapur, with whom the marriage was celebrated in the year 1906. He has one son and three daughters of whom the eldest daughter is married to Meherban Tejsinh alias Abasaheb Gujar, the only son of a big land-lord and Sardar in the Central Provinces. The son Paratp-sinh alias Bahasaheb is sixteen years old and is studying in the Rajaram College, Kolhapur having passed the Matriculation Examination of the Bombay University from the Sardars School, Kolhapur. Even at such a young age he has exhibited his skill and interest in Shikar.

Early History.—Although the present Jahagir was founded in the last decade of

the eighteenth century the illustrious ancestry of the Chawan House dates back to the age of Shahaji, the father of Shivaji the Great. Maloji Chawan was an officer in Shahaji's infantry. Maloji's son Ranoji also commenced services with Shahaji but his young blood found the leadership of Shivaji more suited to his aspirations and joined his militia. He was made a Sardar in the Mavla infantry. After rendering loyal and glorious services to the foundation of the Maratha Empire Ranoji died about the year 1675 on the field of battle near Golconda. Ranoji left two sons, Vithoji and Maloji both of whom, though young, were patronized by Shivaji and were entrusted with Maloji Ghorpade for training. On Vithoji's attaining majority he was put in charge of a cavalry division by Shivaji. Among his other valorous deeds the following incident, oft narrated by various historians glorifies the pages of Maratha history. In the year 1688 the Mogul Emperor Aurangzeb swarmed over the Deccan with a large army to suppress the rising power of Marathas, an unsuccessful aim which had occupied almost the whole of his career. He

was encamping at Talapnr when Vithoji Chavan in a surprise attack, cut off the Emperors' tent, carried away the golden crosses thereof and presented them to Chatrapati Rajaram



Maharaj. The Maratha Emperor was greatly pleased with this valiant service and endowed Vithoji Chavan with the title HIMMAT BAHADUR, in the year 1690. He was killed in a skirmish at Bangalore in the year 1696 where he had accompanied the Chatrapati Maharaja. Vithoji left three sons, of whom the eldest Udaji was only sixteen years of age at the time of his father's death. Even at this young age, Udaji showed all signs of bravery and the fighting spirit of the family and was therefore presented with the title of HIMMAT BAHADUR and the insignia of the exalted position.

After Rajaram's death his widow Tarabai took the reins in her hands and ruled in the name of her minor son Shivaji. Among those who followed Tarabai to her new capital of Kolhapur, was Udajirao Chavan Himmat Bahadur and he fought for her against Satara between the years 1707 to 1712. In 1714 Sambhaji who had come to the throne of Kolhapur granted to Udajirao a Saranjam worth

about three lacs. Shahu Maharaj of Satara had made overtures to Udajirao to come to join him, but the latter refused to do so without his masters' consent. Ultimately in the year 1747, with the knowledge and consent of his master, he received from Shahu Saranjam grant worth twenty-seven lacs and the title: MAMALKAT MADAR. But within the next few years he lost almost the whole of it while fighting with Peshawa and the Pratinidhi of Aundh. After an active life of strenuous fight, Udajirao, who was a terror of his time, died in the year 1762 while fighting with the Raja of Akalkot.

Udajirao left two sons Vithojirao and Pritirao of whom the former remained at Digraj and the latter found a scope for his military talents in the Kolhapur Durbar. In the year 1777 when Mahadji Scindia being encouraged by Peshawa besieged Kolhapur Pritirao and Satwaji

Bhosle with others met Scindia and stood at bay under the protection of the walls of the fort. He also rendered valuable service to the Kolhapur Raj during the depredations by Parashuram Bhau Patwardhan. In consideration of these eminent services he was invested by Sambhaji with the title of Himmat Bahadur, charged with the custody of Jaripataka including the appurtenant Sarnawbat and was paid all the honours due to the principal hereditary ministers. This happened in the years 1784-85. It is under these Sanads granted to Pritirao that the present Jahagir come into existence.

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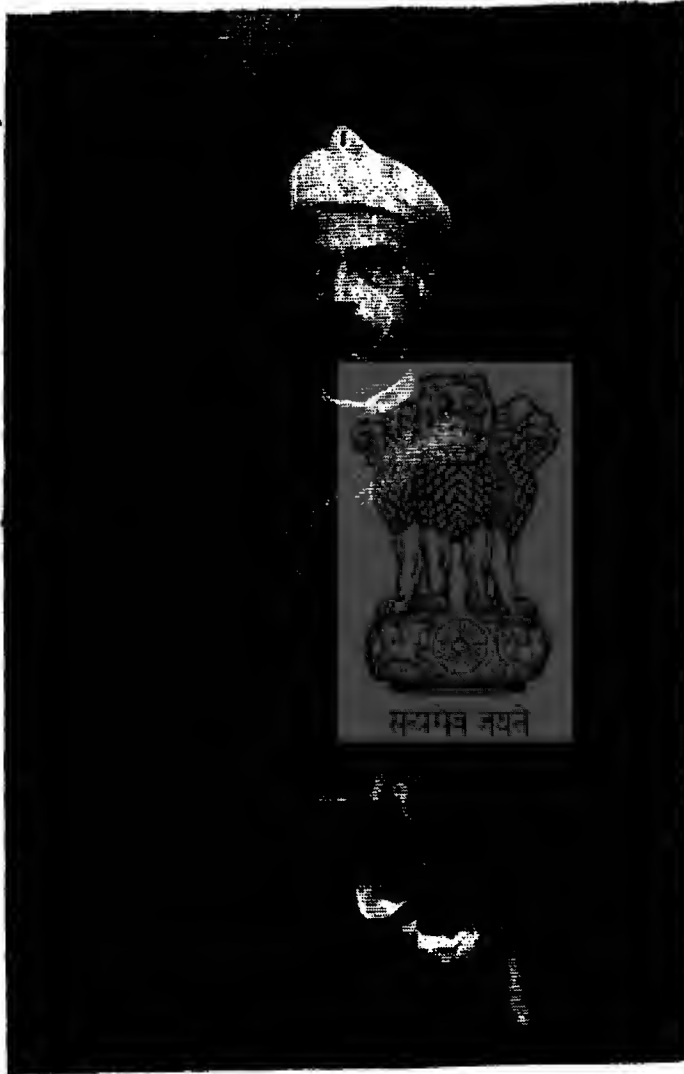
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Sahab has constructed and donated a library at Ajra and a Ladies' Club at Ichalkaranji, both of which are named after her. Both the Chief Sahab and the Rane Sahab have all along had a happy life and the only domestic misfortune they had was the death of their beloved adopted son, Venkatrao, who was a distinguished scholar and an M.A. of the Bombay University.

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Address—"Chettinad House", Adayar, Madras.

Arundale, George Sydney, M.A., LL.B. (Cantab), D. Litt. (Madras), F. R. Hist. S. (Lond); President, Theosophical Society, was

born at Surrey, England, on 1st Dec. 1878. Educated at Gelehrte Gymnasium, Wiesbaden, and St. John's College, Cambridge. Married in 1920 Rukmini, daughter of Pandit Nilakantha Sastri, Madras. Came to India in 1903 and became Principal of the Central Hindu Col-

lege, Benares till 1913. Inspected and reported on Kashmir educational system. Was Organising Secretary, All-India Home Rule League for some years. Interned with Dr.

Besant under Defence of India Act, 1917. In 1917 appointed Principal of National University, Madras, which conferred upon him honorary degree of D. Litt. In 1920 became head of the Education Department, Holkar State. Travelled extensively in Europe in 1925. Consecrated Bishop



Mrs. Arundale

of Liberal Catholic Church in 1926; General Secretary of Australian Section of the Theosophical Society in 1926; Visited Europe and America every year since 1931 on lecture tours. Is a Freeman of the City of London, and a member of the Worshipful Society of Potterers. Elected President of the Theosophical Society since June 1934. President, Indian National League; Vice-President, Madras Boy Scouts Council.

Address—Adayar, Madras.

Azad, Maulana Abul Kalam, was born in Mecca and took his early education in Theology in the Al-Azhar University, Cairo. He came to India and started the Urdu Weekly "Al-Hilal" at Calcutta, which being suppressed by the Government, he started another paper "Al-Balagh" which led to his internment along with the Ali Brothers at the time of the Great War. Joined the Indian National Congress and took leading part in Khilafat Movement and was jailed from 1921-22 along with Iqbal, Bandhu Das and the Ali Brothers. Took active part in the Civil Disobedience Movement, 1930-32 and was imprisoned several times. President, Indian National Congress, 1928; Acting President, Congress, 1930; Member, All-India Congress Committee. He is a well known author and has written several books mostly on Theology.

Address—Uttarpara, Calcutta.

Azizuddin Ahmed, Sir, Kazi, Kt. Bachelor (1931), C. I. E. (1925), O. B. E. (1919), I. S. O., (1917), Khair Bahadur (1906), Chief



Minister of Datin State, Central India, since 1922; born 7th April 1861; married 1894; Served in U. P. Civil Service, 1885-1910; Retired from British Service 1911; Revenue Member, Council of Regency, Bharatpur State, 1910-13; Judicial Minister, Dholpur State, 1912-21;

Fellow Allahabad University, 1905-21; Attache to Amir of Afghanistan during his Indian tour 1906-07; Recruiting Medal, 1919; Officer-in-Charge, Press Camp, Delhi, during Duke of Connaught's visit, 1921; Has rendered valuable services to the British Government during the Great War (mentioned in despatches) and also in Non-Co-operation days, 1922-23; and 1930-31 Member, Court of Delhi University, 1925; Member, Indian States Opium Committee, 1927-28; Serving Bro-

ther of Order of St. John of Jerusalem, 1928; Member Royal Asiatic Society, London; Member, Court of Muslim University, Aligarh; Member, Senate, Agra University; Trustee, Agra College, Agra; Member, Board Intermediate Education, Rajputana and Central India, Ajmer; Scout Commissioner, Datin State; Vice-president, Red Cross Society and St. John Ambulance Association Datin; Nawab by the Maharaja of Datin; Granted Jagir by His Highness Datin worth Rs. 5000, a year on the occasion of his Silver Jubilee, 1933. Publications: Thirty four books in Urdu including the Life of King George V, and the account of Delhi Durbar, 1903. Residence—Datin, Central India; Biswan, District Sitapur, U. P.; Clubs: Cholmsford Reform, Simla, Jhansi Club, Jhansi, and Cricket Club of India, Delhi.

Baird, Lieut-General Sir Harry Beauchamp Douglas K.C.B., C.M.G., C.I.E.,

D.S.O. Croix-de-Guerre (France) with palm, General Officer Commanding-in-Chief, Eastern Command. Born on 4th April 1877. Educated at Clifton and R.M.C., Sandhurst. Married Mary, daughter of Captain A. Caldecott. Joined the 12th Bengal Cavalry; Belgrade Major, I.G.C.; A.D.C. to G.O.C. in Chief Aldershot; A.D.C. to G.O.C. First Corps, B.E.F.; G.S.O. (Ind.), Cavalry Corps; O.C., 8th Argyllshire Highlanders; G.O.C., 75th Infy. Brigade, B.E.F., B.G.G.S., Baluchistan Corps, Third Afghan War; G.O.C., Zhet Brigade; Commandant, S.O.S., Belgaur; D.A. & Q.M.G., Northorn Command; G.O.C. Kohat District; G.O.C., Deccan District; Tirah, 1897-98; Great War, France, 1914-18; Third Afghan War, Waziristan operations, 1921.

Address—Eastern Command, India.

Bajaj, Jarnmalal, Acting Congress President (1934) was born in 1889 at Jaipur State. He founded the Marawari Shiksha Mandal at Wardha; started All-India Murwari Agarwal Mahasabha; donated large sums of money for Congress and Khilafat activities; was Chairman of the reception Committee, Nagpur Congress in 1920; Jailed during the Satyagraha movements.

Address—Wardha, C. P.

Beasley, The Hon'ble Justice Sir Horace Owen, Kt. (1930), Bar-at-Law,

O.B.E., Chief Justice of Madras (1929-37). Born on 2nd July, 1877. Educated at Westminster School and Jesus College, Cambridge. Called to Bar in 1902 (Inner Temple); served in the European War, 1914-1919. Appointed Puisne Judge of the Burma High Court, 1923-24; a Judge in the Madras High Court, 1924-29; Chief Justice since 1929. Retired in 1937.

Bapna, Wazir-ud-Dowla Rai Bahadur Sir S. M., Kt. (1936); C.I.E., B.A., B. So., LL.B., Prime Minister and President of the Cabinet, Indore, comes from one of the foremost families in Rajputana and Central India.



He was born on the 24th of April 1882. He was educated at home till the age of 13, when he joined the Maharana's High School, Udaipur, from where he matriculated in 1898. He passed the Matriculation examination in the 1st Division. He passed the Intermediate Examination from the Government College, Ajmer, in 1900 and was second in the University. He then joined the Muir Central College, Allahabad, and in 1902 passed B.A. and B.Sc. Examinations, the latter in the 1st Division with honours in Chemistry, standing first in the University on the Science side. For this distinguished success he was awarded the Elliot Scholarship and Jubilee Medal by the Allahabad University. He was also offered a scholarship for study in Europe by the late Mr. Tata, but he refused it on account of caste difficulties. In 1903 he passed the first D. Sc. Examination in Physics in the 1st Division and was first in the University. He studied Physics up to M.A., but did not appear at the M.A. or the 2nd D. Sc. Examination. He passed the LL.B. Examination in 1st Class in 1904 and was 1st

in order of merit. He finished his education at the age of 22 and practised law in Ajmer Merwara for about a year. After this he served in Mewar for about a year and a half as a Judicial Officer. He joined the Holkar State service as a District and Sessions Judge in January 1907. In 1908, he was appointed as Law Tutor to His Highness Maharaja Tukoji Rao Holkar III, and served in that capacity till 1911 except for a few months, during which he was reverted to the Judicial Department. In 1910, he accompanied the Maharaja during his European Tour and was in Europe with him for a year and a half. On the Maharaja's assumption of ruling powers in 1911, he was appointed his Second Secretary, and in 1913 his First Secretary.

In this capacity he went again with the Maharaja to Europe for six months and in the beginning of 1915 he was appointed as Home Minister, Indore. He worked in this capacity till April 1921 when he resigned the State service. His Highness the Maharaja granted him a special pension in recognition of his services. During this period, he was a recipient of several pecuniary rewards and honours for his valuable services to the State and had a hand in almost all important administrative matters. Several reforms introduced in the State from time to time were greatly due to him. In 1911 he was given the King's Coronation Medal and in 1914 the title of "Rai Bahadur" by the British Government. In 1920 the high title of "Ainud-d-Dowlah" was conferred on him by His Highness the Maharaja. On his retirement from the Holkar State Service, he joined the Patiala State service as a Minister and served in this capacity till August, 1923, when he rejoined the Holkar State service as Home Minister. In the Patiala-Nabha case, he was the chief representative of the Patiala State in the beginning of the inquiry held under the orders of the Government of India. Soon after his return to Indore, he was appointed Deputy Prime Minister and President of the Appeal Committee of the Cabinet. In February 1926, he was appointed Prime Minister and President of the Cabinet in the Minority Administration and he still holds this post. He was awarded the title of Wazir-ud-Dowla by His Highness Maharaja Yeshwant Rao Holkar II in 1930 and the honour of C.I.E., was conferred on him by His Majesty the King-Emperor on the New Year's day in 1931. He was appointed a substitute delegate at the Indian Round Table Conference in 1931, and attended the 16th Session of the League of Nations Assembly at Geneva as a delegate for India in Sept. 1935. He was knighted in 1936.

Address—Bani-Bagh, Indore. C. I.

Bajpai, Sir Girja Shankar, B.A. (Oxon); B.Sc. (Allahabad); K.B.E., (1935), C.I.E., (Civilt), 1922; C.I.E., 5th July 1926; I.C.S., Joint Secretary to the Government of India, Department of Education, Health and Lands. Born 3rd April 1891. Educated at Muir Central College, Allahabad and Merton College, Oxford. Appointed to the I.C.S., in November 1915; Asst. Magistrate and Collector, United Provinces, 1915-19; Under-Secretary to Government, United Provinces, 1920-21; Private Secretary to the Rt. Hon. V. S. Srinivasa Sastri and Secretary for India at Imperial Conference, 1921; and at Conference for Limitation of Armaments, Washington, 1921-22; on deputation to the dominions of Canada, Australia and New Zealand to investigate the status of Indian residents in those territories, 1922; Under Secretary to the Government of

India, Dept. of Education, Health and Lands, 1923; officiating Deputy Secretary to the Government of India, Department of Education, Health and Lands, 1924; Secretary to the Indian deputation to South Africa, 1925-26; Deputy Secretary to the Government of India, June 1926. Secretary to the Government of India, 1927-29; Private Secretary to the Leaders of Indian Delegations to Geneva, 1929 and 1930; Joint Secretary to British Indian Delegation to the Indian Round Table Conference, 1930-31; Joint Secretary to Government of India Department of Education, Health and Lands.

Address—Simla or Delhi.

Beaumont, The Hon. Sir John William Fisher, K.C., M.A., (Cant.), Chief Justice of Bombay. Born on 4th September, 1877, he was educated at Winchester and Penabroke College. 1st class Historical Tripos, 1899; Called to Bar Chancery Division; Lieut. R.C.A., 1916-18; King's Counsel 1930. As Chief Justice of Bombay High Court, he has always maintained the independence of the Highest Court of Judicature, closely adhering himself to the motto "Fiat Justitia". He is never disturbed and gives a patient hearing to members of the Bar. His administrative capacity is well-known. He has been the second Chief Justice of the Bombay High Court to preside over the Criminal Sessions. Whoever may be parties concerned, he never hesitates to say "No" where it has to be said. It is not only in the realms of law that Sir John has made his mark. His sporting abilities are no less outstanding. His favourite games are tennis, golf, riding and mountaineering. He won the Bar Golf Tournament in 1922. He is a member of the English Alpine Club.

Address—High Court, Bombay.

Bell, Sir Robert Duncan, K.O.S.I. (1935); C.S.T., in 1932; C.I.E., in 1919; Member of



Council, Bombay Government since 1933-37. Born on 8th May, 1878 he was educated at Heriot's School, Edinburgh, Edinburgh University and Trinity College, Cambridge. Married Jessie, daughter of D. Spence, Esq. In 1902 he joined the I.C.S., and was posted to Bombay.

He was Secretary to the Indian Industrial Commission 1916-17. Controller Indus-

trial Intelligence 1917 to 1918, and also Controller, Oils and Paints 1918-19. He became Director of Industries, Bombay, from 1919-21, and afterwards Secretary to Government Development Department and Commissioner, Bombay Suburban Division, from 1924-1930. Chief Secretary to Government in the Revenue Department from 1930-1932. Acting Governor of Bombay for some time in 1936. Retired in 1937.

Bewoor, Gurunath Venkatesh, B.A., (Bom.); B.A., (Cantab), C.I.E., I.C.S., J.P.,



Director General of Posts and Telegraphs, Government of India. Born on 20th November 1888, he received his education at Deccan College, Poona and Sydney Sussex College, Cambridge. After joining the Indian Civil Service in 1911, he returned to India in November

1912, and held the appointments of Assistant Commissioner in the Central Provinces, and under Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, 1919. He became officiating Postmaster-General, Bihar and Orissa in July, 1922. Two years later he became Deputy Director-General, Posts and Telegraphs. He attended the Air Mail Congress at the Hague in 1927 and the Universal Postal Congress, London in 1929 as Indian Delegate. Two months later he was appointed Postmaster-General, Bombay. He was awarded the C.I.E., in 1932. Besides his professional activities, Mr. Bewoor takes keen interest in Scouting; was District Commissioner for Boy Scouts in Bombay 1931-34 and led the Indian Contingent of Boy Scouts to the World Jamboree at Budapest in 1933.

Address—Simla, New Delhi.
or "Shri Krishna Niwas,"

Poona 4.

Birla, Ghanshyam Dass, Millowner Merchant and Managing Director of Birla Bros. Ltd. Born in 1891. Has got big business connections in India. Was elected to the second Indian Legislative Assembly but resigned in 1930 as a protest against the legislation for Imperial Preference. He has been taking much interest in public activities. Was President, Indian Chamber of Commerce of Calcutta, 1924; President, Federation of Indian Chamber of Commerce 1929; Member of Council, Benares Hindu University;

Member Indian Fiscal Commission; Member Bengal Legislative Council; Member, Royal Commission on Labour, 1930; Member, second Round Table Conference, 1930; Delegate Employer's International Labour Conference at Geneva, 1927. Has donated large sums of money for the founding and maintenance of educational and other public institutions.

Address—Royal Exchange Place, Calcutta.

Bhore, Sir Joseph William, K.C.I.E. (1930); C.B.E. (1920); C.I.E. (1923); K.C.S.I.,



I.C.S. ex-Member of Governor-General's Executive Council Department of Industries and Labour. Born in Nasik 6th April 1878, son of Rao Sahab R. G. Bhore. Married in 1911, Margaret W. Stott, M.B., Ch. B., M. B. E. Educated at Bishop's High School, Poona, Deccan College, Poona, and Univer-

sity College, London. Entered the Indian Civil Service 1902. Under-Secretary to the Government of Madras 1910; Dewan, Cochin State, 1914-19; Deputy Director of Civil Supplies, Madras 1919; Secretary to the High Commissioner for India, 1920; Acting High Commissioner for India in United Kingdom 1922-23; Secretary to Government of India in Department of Agriculture and Lands 1924-28; Secretary, Indian Statutory Commission 1928; Member of Governor-General's Executive Council 1928-35 and now Advisor, Government of Bhopal in the economic, industrial and agricultural Departments.

Address—Bhopal, C.I.

Biswas, Charu Chandra, C.I.E., (1931). M.A., B.L. Advocate, Calcutta High Court. Born on 21st April, 1888. Educated at Hindu School, Presidency College, and Ripon Law College. Enrolled Vakil High Court in 1910; Advocate in 1924; Ordinary Fellow, Calcutta University and Member of the syndicate, 1917-22 and again from 1926; Member Dacca Board of Secondary Education, 1921-22 and again from 1928-29; Examiner and Paper-setter, Arts and Law, Calcutta University; Professor, University Law College 1918-21; Commissioner, Calcutta Corporation, 1921-24; Councillor, Calcutta Corporation since 1925; Member Calcutta Improvement Trust from 1926; Secretary, Bhowanipore Rate-payers' Association; Founder Secretary South Suburban College, 1916-21; Secretary South Suburban

School Main and Branch and Sir Romesh Mitter Girls' School; Member, Governing Bodies of Presidency College, Ripon College and Ashtosh College; Member Committee of India Association and of Council of National Liberal Federation. Governor and Secretary, Calcutta Blind School; Member Calcutta Tramways Advisory Committee; Elected Member, Legislative Assembly, 1930. Was a Delegate to Reserve Bank Committee in London at the invitation of His Majesty's Govt., June, August, 1933.

Address—58 Puddopukur Road, Bhowanipore, Calcutta.

Blackwell, The Hon. Mr. Justice.

Cecil Patric M.B.E. (Mil. Div. 1919); High Court Judge, Bombay. Born on 8th November 1881; Married to Marguerite Frances, eldest daughter of the late J.A. Tillicard, M.V.O. He was educated at Blackheath Proprietary School and City of London School; Hollier Creek Scholar, Univ. College, London, 1901; Classical Exhibition, Wadham College, Oxford 1901; 1st Class Classified Honour Moderations 1903, 2nd Class Litt. Hum., 1905; B.A., 1905; Secretary of Oxford Union Society, 1904; President, Wadham College Athletic Club, 1903. Called to Bar at Inner Temple 1907, and went the Northern Circuit. Lieut. T. P. Reserve and on Recruiting Staff and in Ministry of National Service during European War. Was Liberal candidate for Hastings in 1914, but resigned on the outbreak of war; Contested Kingswinford Division of Staffordshire (Lib.), December 1923; appointed a Puisne Judge of High Court of Bombay, 1926.

Address—"Rylstone," Peddar Road, Bombay.

Bose, Sir Jagdis Chandra. Kt. (1917). C. I. E. (1903), C. S. I. (1911), M. A. (Cantab), B. Sc. (Lond.) LL. D., F. R. S., Corresponding member, Academy of Science, Vienna; Founder Director of Bose Research Institute. Born on 30th November 1838, he was educated at Calcutta and Christ College, Cambridge. He was a Delegate to International Scientific Congress, Paris 1900; Scientific member of Deputation to Europe and America, 1907, 1914 and 1919. Former member, Committee of Intellectual Co-operation, League of Nations. Publications: "Response in the Living and Non-Living," "Plant Response," "Electro Physiology of Plants," "Irritability of Plants," "Life Movement of Plants, Vols I & II," "Life Movements in Plants, Vols III & IV," "The Ascent of Sap," "The Physiology of Photosynthesis," "Nervous Mechanism of Plants," "Motor Mechanism of Plants," "Plant Autographs and their Revelations," "Tropic Movement and Growth of Plants," Series of papers on electric waves and other electric phenomena (Proc. Roy. Society).

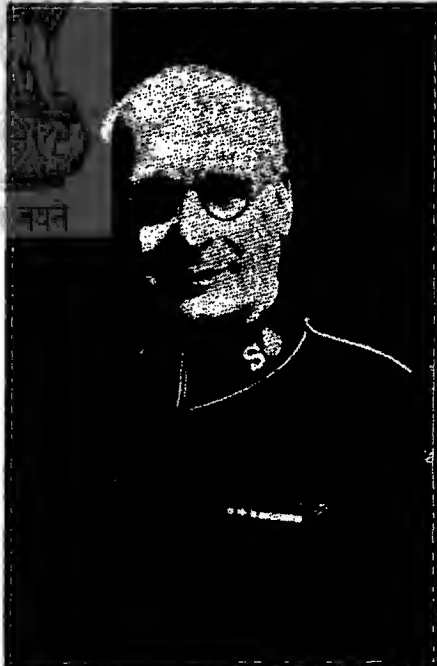
Address—Bose Institute, Calcutta.

Bose, Subash Chandra. Born in 1897, he was educated at Calcutta and Cambridge. Joined I.C.S., but resigned in 1921. Manager, "Forward" Calcutta, 1922-24; Member, Calcutta Corporation, 1924. Chief Executive Officer, Calcutta Corporation, 1924. Arrested under regulation 3 of 1818; Elected Member, Bengal Legislative Council, 1926; President, Bengal Provincial Congress Committee for several years. Released in 1927. Joined the Non-Co-operation Movement and took part in the Boycott of Simon Commission. Imprisoned several times during Civil Disobedience movement in 1930. Interned as State Prisoner during Satyagraha Movement. Released and allowed to go to Europe for medical treatment. During his father's precarious condition he was given permission to come to India but was ordered to go back to Europe on his father's demise. Returned to India and interned as State prisoner and was released on 17th March 1937.

PUBLICATION: "The Indian Struggle 1920-34" Published in London and proscribed by Government of India.

Address—382 Elgin Road, Calcutta.

Blowers, Commissioner Arthur R., better known by the name he adopted in



India of "Sukh Singh", is one of the leading Salvation Army Missionary Officers of to-day.

Among the Salvation Army Commissioners, all of them great travellers, none have travel-

led more extensively than Commissioner Arthur R. Blowers who left his home in Holloway, N. London, as a very young man to become an officer in the Salvation Army. He has journeyed extensively in all the five continents of the world.

Thirty-seven years of his life have been spent in India, where he has watched the growth of The Salvation Army from India's youngest missionary organization, to the proud and influential position it holds among Missionary Societies of that land to-day.

A man of keen vision and splendid organising ability, he was closely associated with the late Commissioner F. St. George de L. Booth-Tucker, in promoting settlements amongst the criminal tribes of India, and in administering the several famine relief schemes in that country. In 1924 he was actively engaged in flood relief questions. At a time when the tremendous floods destroyed more than 8,000 houses in one district alone, the Salvation Army distinguished itself by saving both life and property, and initiated extensive relief operations.

The Commissioner has travelled in every part of India, Burma, and Ceylon. He possessed appreciable knowledge of many of the languages of India, and is a leading expert on all questions appertaining to Indian affairs.

A man of daring, as well as of courage and pertinacity he has succeeded in helping the Indians because he endeavoured to understand them. He tried to get into their skin and the results of to day testify most clearly that he succeeded splendidly. For thirty-seven years he has worn native garb and, careless of resulting slights, he lived for many years in native houses, and at one time begged his food in 'fakir' fashion from village to village. At first he was not only misunderstood but suffered for his enterprise a period of imprisonment in Madras prison. But eventually he attained his end and in recent years the knowledge acquired in those early days has served him in good stead to be a recognised authority upon missionary work in general.

When in India, the Commissioner supervised the establishment of two land colonies in that country. These are managed on terms extremely advantageous to the Indian both from a spiritual and a social standpoint.

The Commissioner has been awarded the Kaiser-i-Hind gold medal of the first class for public service in India.

During the last five years Commissioner Blowers has visited throughout South, Central, and East Africa and has toured India with General Higgins. Previous to that he had conducted campaigns in Australia, New Zealand, Canada, the United States of America, and in most of the countries of Europe.

Address—International Headquarters,
Queen Victoria Street, London E. C. 4.

Booth, General Evangeline, fourth daughter of General William Booth, the



Founder of The Salvation army, the present head of the international organization, was born in London, England, on Christmas Day.

Whilst still in the school-room William Booth's family, true to their traditions, played at leading meetings and addressing audiences. At an age when most girls' lives are filled with lessons and youthful pursuits, Evangeline Booth was one of her father's most able assistants in his work amongst the poor of London, and had already preached her first sermon mounted on a chair in the open street.

With the expansion of the Salvation Army, Evangeline Booth was early given large responsibilities. Whilst still in her "teens" William Booth appointed his daughter to be Captain of a Salvation Army Corps in the worst part of the West End of London. Within a short time the fierce and brutal opposition to the Army's message which had existed disappeared. The whole neighbourhood was filled with admiration for the courage of the girlish leader, and newsboys and "roughs" banded themselves into a body-guard for her protection.

At the age of twenty-three Evangeline Booth was appointed to command The Salvation Army operations in London, together with the oversight of the International Training College. Either task was sufficient to tax the powers of an old and experienced leader. How the "Field Commissioner"—the title by which Miss Booth became known and by which she is lovingly remembered by thousands—filled her exacting post is one of the bright pages in Salvation Army history.

Changes in the higher commands of The Army left the leadership in Canada vacant, and William Booth sent his daughter Evangeline to fill the position. This she held for some nine years, expansion of every branch of The Army Work marking her command. During the Klondyke gold rush of 1898 she organised an Evangelistic and Nursing Corps, taking it herself to the Klondyke and sharing the perils and hardships of the pioneers.

In 1904 Miss Booth, with the new title of Commander, was appointed to the National leadership of The Army in the United States.

There she endeared herself to all sections of the nation by her simplicity of purpose and her devotion to the ideals set out so vividly in her public addresses. The extension and consolidation of The Salvation Army's work during her command in America bear eloquent testimony to her administrative abilities. Faced at the onset with overwhelming problems of money and personnel, she revolutionised the financial system of The Army, and strengthened its resources.

President Wilson bestowed upon the then Commander the rare honour of the Distinguished Service Medal as a mark of his appreciation of The Army's work among the troops in the Great War. Tufts College in Massachusetts, in 1921 conferred upon her the honorary degree of M.A., the National Society of Colonial Dames honoured her in January, 1928 with the Fairfax Gold Medal for "Eminent Patriotic Service", and the King of Sweden with the Vasa Gold Medal in 1933 for services rendered to the Swedish people in the United States.

The General bears in her face a striking resemblance to her world-famous father.

"She is," as the President of the University of California said recently, "a brilliant reflex of the greatness, the personality, and the convictions of that great man."

The Commander was elected General of The Salvation Army by The Army's High Council on September 3rd, 1934, the fourth to hold that office and the first woman in history to be the head of an international religious organization.

Since that time she has travelled more than 60,000 miles throughout the world, inspecting The Army's activities and addressing huge public gatherings.

During 1936 the General has conducted many large services on the Continent of Europe and in England, including a Motorcade from Land's End to John o' Groats, holding four and five meetings daily for ten days, and reaching 100,000 people.

The General left London on her present tour on November 7th, and before arriving again at Headquarters she will travel eastward across the world, including in her itinerary India, Ceylon, Malaya, Singapore, New Holland Indies.

Great gatherings have been arranged at all the centres which will be visited by the General, in addition to tours of inspection of Army operations and institutions.

Address:—International Headquarters,
Queen Victoria Street, London, E. C. 4.

Bradfield, Major-General, M. W. O., C.I.E., (1928); O.B.E., (1918); K.H.S., (1935); M.B.B.S., F.R.C.S., (Edin); V.H.S., I.M.S., Director-General, Indian Medical Services, New Delhi. Born on 28th May, 1880, he was educated at London and Edinburgh Universities.



He had served with distinction as Professor of Surgery in the Madras Medical College; Superintendent, Government General Hospital, Madras; Surgeon General with the Government of Madras for some time; Assistant Director of Medical Services, Peshawar. Served in the

Great War and was mentioned in despatches. He was appointed Honorary Surgeon to His Majesty the King-Emperor in

1935, and in the same year he was appointed Surgeon-General with the Government of Bombay. During his regime the head quarters of the Surgeon-General's office were moved from Poona to Bombay with the object of establishing closer contact with the non-official medical profession.

Address—New Delhi or Simla.

Brelvi, Syed Abdulla. M. A., L.L. B., Editor, the Bombay Chronicle. Born in 1891 he was educated at the Elphinstone College, Bombay. Joined the Bombay Chronicle Editorial Staff as Leader Writer in 1915 and became Junior Assistant Editor in 1917, Senior Assistant Editor 1918, and acted as Editor after Mr. Horniman's deportation 1919-20; Joint Editor with Mr. Pickthall 1920-24; Member, All-India Congress Committee; Substitute Member Congress Working Committee, 1930. Imprisoned in 1930 in connection with C. D. Movement and released in January 1931; Member, Working Committee, Nationalist Muslim Party. Imprisoned in January 1932 on launching of C.D. campaign and released in October 1933. Member Bombay University Senate 1929-33; Member Editorial Committee "Social Service Quarterly."

Address—Bombay Chronicle, Fort, Bombay

Broomfield, The Hon'ble Mr. Justice Robert Stonehouse I.C.S., B.A. (Cantab)



Bar-at-Law., Judge, High Court of Judicature Bombay. Born on 1st December 1882 and educated at the City of London School and Christ's College, Cambridge. Entered Indian Civil Service on 24th October 1905 and joined duties in India as Assistant Collector of Satara on 25th November 1905. Compiler of the General Administration Report, 1907-08 at Bombay from 16th September 1908, to 10th January 1909. Officiating Dist., and

Sessions Judge from 10th July, 1918 to 30th July, 1918. On Military Duty at Peshawar to 17th January 1919. Again Officiating Dist., and Sessions Judge from 23rd January 1919 to 31st January 1920. Dist., and Sessions Judge from 6th June 1921 to 1st October 1924. Confirmed as Dist., and Sessions Judge on 23rd March 1925. Services placed at the disposal of the Government of India for appointment as Judicial Commissioner in the Western India States Agency at Rajkot from 30th May 1928 to 30th October 1928. Placed on special duty as Judicial Commissioner in connection with the inquiry into the revision settlement of Bardoli and Chorasi Talukas from 2nd November 1928 to 10th April 1929. Appointed Judge of the Bombay High Court on 16th November 1929.

Address—"Murrayfield", Malabar Hill, Bombay.

Burdon, Sir Ernest. B. A., (Oxon). Kt., K. C. I. E., C. S. I., C. I. E. Auditor General



in India since 1929. Born in 1881, he was educated at the Edinburgh Academy, and at University College Oxford, and entered Indian Civil Service in 1906. Appointed Financial Under-Secretary, Punjab Government 1913. Financial Under-Secretary, Government of India 1914; was Financial Advisor Mesopotamian Expeditionary Force, 1918-19; Financial Advisor Military Finance, Government of India, Member Indian Munitions Board; and Member of Imperial Legislative Council, India, 1919; Secretary to Government of India, Army Department; Member, Legislative Assembly, 1922-26; Secretary to the Government of India Finance Department, and Member Council of State, 1927-29.

Has one surviving son.

Address—New Delhi and Simla.

Byramjee Jeejeebhoy, Sir, Kt., eldest son of Rustomjee Byramjee Jeejeebhoy, landlord



and Merchant. Born on 28th February 1881, he was educated at St. Xavier's School and College, Bombay. He is Chairman, of the Byramjee Jeejeebhoy Parsi Charitable Institutions. He was made J. P., in 1908 and had been Hon. Presidency Magistrate from 1908-15. The following may be mentioned as the chief among his various public activities; Delegate, Parsi Chief Matrimonial Court from 1909-25, Chairman Standing Committee, Bombay Municipal Corporation in 1924, Member of the Corporation since 1914; Member Govt., of India Committee for Conditional Release of Prisoners in 1924; Member, Board of Film Censors, Bombay from 1924; President, 32nd Bombay Parsi Pioneers Boy Scouts; Chairman of the Governor's Hospital Fund, Bombay and Vice-President, Bombay Presidency Released Prisoners Aid Society. He was Sheriff of Bombay in 1927.

Address—The Cliff, Ridge Road, Bombay.

Cassels, General Sir Robert Archibald, G.C.B. (1933); C.S.I., D.S.O., Commander-in-Chief in India. Born on 15th March 1876. Married Miss F. E. Jackson in 1904. Served in the European War in Mesopotamia and Egypt 1915-19; Commanded 18th Division of Central Kurdistan Field Force; Commanded Peshawar District, 1923-27; Adjutant General, 1927-29; G.O.C. Northern Command, 1930-35. Succeeded Field Marshal Sir Philip Chetwood as C-in-C in India in November 1935.

Address—Simla or Delhi.

Chatterjee, Ramananda, Editor, "Modern Review" and "Prabasi," Calcutta. Born in 1865. Graduated in 1887 with great distinction obtaining Scholarship in every case. Married in 1886 Miss Munorana Devi. He joined City College, Calcutta, as Professor of

English 1887-95; Appointed Principal Kayastha Pathashala, Allahabad, 1895-1906; Honorary Fellow of the Allahabad University; President of the U. P. Anglo-Indian Temperance Association for some time; Member, U. P. Secondary Education Reforms Committee; President, Sadharan Dharma Samaj; Edited Dusi Pradip, Dharmabandhu. Invited officially to attend Full Session of the League of Nations (the first and only journalist), in 1926.

Publications: "Raja Rammohan Roy and Modern India," "Towards Home Rule," "Chatterjee's Picture Albums (18 Vols.)."

Address—"Modern Review" Office, Calcutta.

Chatterjee, Sir Atul Chandra, G.C.I.E. (1933), K.C.S.I. (1930), K.C.I.E. (1925), Member of the India Council 1931. Born 24th November 1874. Married (1) Vina Mookerjee (deceased), (2) Gladys M. Broughton, O.B.E., M.A. D.Sc. Educated at Hare School and Presidency College, Calcutta, and King's College, Cambridge; First in list Calcutta B.A.; B.A., with Honours (Cambridge); Hon. LL.D. (Edinburgh) First in list I.C.S. Open Competition; Entered I.C.S. 1897; served in U. P.; Special inquiry into Industries in U. P. 1907-08; Registrar Co-operative Societies U.P., 1912-16; Revenue Section, U. P. Govt., 1917-18; Chief Secretaries U. P. Govt., 1919; Govt. of India; Delegate to International Labour Conference Washington, 1919; and Geneva, 1921, 1924-33; (President International Labour Conference, 1927) and to League of Nations Assembly, 1925; President Governing Body, International Labour Office, 1933; Vice-President of the Economic Consultative Committee of the League of Nations; Member, Permanent Opium Board of League of Nations; has been Member of Imperial Economic Committee, 1925-31; Indian Government Delegate to London Naval Conference 1930; Member, Munitions and Industries Board, 1920; Secretary to the Government of India, Department of Industries, 1921; Member of the Viceroy's Executive Council in charge of the Industries and Labour; Member of the Legislative Assembly, 1921-24. High Commissioner for India in London, 1925-31. Leader of Indian Delegation to Imperial Conference, Ottawa, 1932.

Publications: "Note on the Industries of the United Provinces" (1909).

Address—The Athenaeum, Waterloo Place, London, S.W.1.

Chaudhri, Lal Chand, Hon. Captain the Hon. Rao Bahadur, B.A., LL.B., O. B.E., M. L.A. (Nominated). Born in 1882. Married Shrimati Sushila Devi, belonging to a Sikh Jat Family of Ferozepur Dist. Edu-

cated at St. Stephen's College, Delhi. Joined Revenue Department, 1904; took LL.B., Degree, 1912, and practised as lawyer at Rohtak; elected Vice Chairman, District Board, 1914-17; elected to Punjab Council, 1916; nominated to Council of State, 1922; President All-India Jat Maha Sabha, 1918 (elected); Manager of High School for Sons of Soldiers; Hon. Recruiting Officer during great War. Minister Punjab Government, 1924; Revenue Member, Bharatpur State, 1924 and President State Council, 1926-27. Has taken to practice as an Advocate of the Lahore High Court at Rohtak. President All-India Jat Maha Sabha. Granted a jagir by Government for two generations, and 5½ squares of land in Punjab colonies.

Address:—Rohtak.

Chattopadhyaya, Kamaladevi, was born on 3rd April 1903. Educated at Bedford

College, Cambridge and London Universities. Entered Congress Political Life in 1922 and is the first woman to contest an election to the Legislative Council in India, 1926. The first organizing Secretary of the All-India Women's Conference until 1930. Took part in C.D. Movement and was im-

prisoned several times, 1930-34. One of the initiators of the movement against Child Marriage and the propaganda in favour of the Sarada Act. Founder-organizer of the All-India Congress Socialist Party; Member, All India Congress Committee; one of the leaders of the Youth Movement; Presided over several Conferences.

Address—Dhakeswar Gardens, Mangalore.

Chhatari, Captain Nawab Sir Mohamed Ahmed Syed Khan, K. O. S. I., (1933), K.C.I.E., (1938); M.B.E., (1918). Chief Minister of the United Provinces since April 1937. Born 12th December 1888. Educated at M.A.O., College Aligarh. Married to a daughter of his uncle Nawab Bhahadur Abdus Samad Khan of Talibnagar, U.P. He was member, U.P. Legislative Council, 1920-25; President All-India Muslim Rajput Conference, 1923; First elected non-official Chairman, District Board Bulandshahr, 1923-23; Minister of Industries, Govt., of U. P. 1923-25; Home Member U.P., 1926-33; Acting Governor, U. P. June 1928 to August 1928; Member first and second Round Table Conferences, 1930 and 1931. Appointed Governor of United Provinces 6th April 1933-34.

Address—Secretariat, United Provinces.

Chetty, Sir R. K. Shanmukham, K.C.I.E., (1933); B.A.B.L., Dewan, Cochin



State. Born on 17th October 1892. After receiving his education at Madras Christian College, he began his public life at Coimbatore, where his activities in the early days of his career as Municipal Councillor of that town were little known beyond the limit of his own district. It was in the first Legislative Council, under the Montague-Chelmsford Reforms, that he brought himself into prominence, having been elected on the ticket of the Justice Party in 1920. As a member of the then Ministerial Party, his maiden speech during the budget session breathed a robust patriotism and strong common sense by a young man just out of teens. He was appointed Council Secretary to the Development Minister in 1922 and in October 1922 was deputed by the Madras Government to report about measures of Temperance Reform in Bombay, Bengal, and the United Provinces. After working in Madras Council for 13 years, he was elected in 1933, as Member of the Legislative Assembly. He visited England in May, 1924, as one of the members of the Deputation sent by the National Convention of India. He visited Australia as Indian Representative on the Delegation of the Empire Parliamentary Association in September 1926. He was re-elected uncontested to the Legislative Assembly in the General Election of 1936. Later he was appointed as the Chief Whip of the Congress Party in the Assembly. He was then nominated by the Government of India as Advisor to the Indian Employers' Delegate at the Eleventh Session of the International Labour Conference held at Geneva in June 1928. Again in 1929 he was nominated a second time to represent the Indian Employers in the 12th International Labour Conference at Geneva. He was appointed a Member of the Central Banking Enquiry Committee. He was re-elected to the Assembly in 1930 without contest and was

elected Deputy President, Legislative Assembly in January 1931. He attended the International Labour Conference at Geneva in April 1932 as Chief Delegate of Indian Employers and was nominated by Government of India as one of its representatives at the Imperial Economic Conference held at Ottawa in July--August 1932. As a climax to services of honours in public life that came to him, Government conferred upon him a knighthood in 1933 and he was elected President of the Assembly with the support of all sections of the House in March 1933. Appointed Dewan of Cochin in 1935.

Address—Ernakulam.

Chintamani, Chirravoori Yajneswara,

Chief Editor, "The Leader," Allahabad. Born on 10th April 1880. Vice-President, National Liberal Federation of India; elected twice as Delegate to the Liberal Party on Political Missions to England; Member, U. P. Legislative Council, 1916-23 and re-elected in 1927;

Minister of Education and Industries U. P. Government, 1921-23; President, Indian States Peoples' Conference 1929; Member, Indian Franchise Committee 1932. Founded in 1910 the "Leader" with Pandit Madan Mohan Malavya; General Secretary, National Liberal Federation, 1918-20, 1923-29; President of the same body in 1920 and 1931; Member, Indian Round Table Conference; President, U. P. Liberal Association. Publications: "Indian Social Reform;" "Speeches and writings of Sir Phorozeshah Mehta (1904).

Address—26, Hamilton Road, Allahabad.

Craik, Sir Henry Duffield, Bt., H. A. (Oxon), C. S. I. (1924), K.C.S.I. (1933). Home Member, Government of India. Born on 2nd January 1876, he was educated at Eton and Pembroke Colleges, Oxford. Joined I. C. S. 1899 and has served in the Punjab and with the Government of India in various capacities since then. Succeeded to baronetcy, 1929. Finance Member Government of the Punjab 1930-34; Appointed Home Member, Government of India, July, 1934.

Address—Simla and Delhi.

Clayton, Hugh Byard, C. I. E., (in 1924); I. C. S., Chairman, Bombay and Sind Pro-



vincial Public Services Commission. Born 24th December 1877. Married Annie Blanch Nepean. Educated at St. Paul's School, and Wadham College, Oxford. Came to India in 1901. Seen service in various capacities in Bombay Presidency. From 1914 to 1919 was employed in Military Intelligence Branch of War Office. Was Municipal Com. (Bombay) from 1919-28. Member Council of State from 1930. Chairman, Haj Enquiry Committee, 1929-30. Commissioner Southern Division till 1936.

Dadabhoj, The Hon'ble Sir Manekji Byramji, K. C. S. I. (1936); Kt. (1921);



K. C. I. E., (1925); C. I. E., (1911); President Council of State. Born in Bombay on 30th July 1865, he received his early education at Proprietary High School and St. Xavier's College, Bombay. He went to England to prosecute his further studies where he joined Middle Temple in 1884 and

was called to Bar in 1887. On his return from England, he was enrolled as an Advocate of the Bombay High Court in 1887. He married Bai Jorbanoo, O.B.E., daughter of Khan Bahadur Dadabhoi Fallonji of the Commissariat Dept., in 1884. He began his public career by becoming a Member of the Bombay Corporation (1889-90). He then transferred his activities to the Central Provinces, where he commanded a large practice as a lawyer, and his abilities were rewarded in his appointment as Government advocate at Nagpur in 1891. Business and public life equally attracted his attention in which he achieved a remarkable success. His appointment as a member of the Fiscal Commission in 1921, and of the Royal Commission on Indian Currency and Finance 1925-26, and his nomination as a Governor of the Imperial Bank of India were a fitting recognition of his merits in the field of finance and economics. His numerous other activities may be briefly summarised thus:—President, Provincial Industrial Conference, Raipur, 1907; President, All-India Industrial Conference, Calcutta, 1911; Member of Viceroy's Legislative Council, 1908-12 and 1914-17; Elected to the Council of State, 1921; and nominated 1926, 1931 and 1937; Member Second Round Table Conference and Federal Structure Committee, 1931; Member, Municipal Board, Nagpur, for 39 years; Managing Director, Nagpur Electric Light and Power Co., Ltd., Berar Manufacturing Co. Ltd., Model Mills Nagpur, Ltd., and C. P. Syndicate Ltd., Proprietor of many Collieries Mangalore Mines, Gin and Press Factories in different parts of India. As a sound lawyer, an industrial magnate and a politician of high rank, he has made his mark, and his appointment as the first Indian non-official President of the Council of State is a recognition of his public spirit and his disinterested political service extending over forty years. Publications:—"Commentary on the Land Laws of the Central Provinces", and "Commentary on the Central Provinces Tenancy Act."

Address:—Nagpur, C. P.

Derbyshire, Hon. Justice Sir Harold, Chief Justice, Calcutta High Court. Born in 1886, he was educated at the Blackburn Grammar School and Sidney Sussex College, Cambridge; First in Natural Science Tripos. After passing his LL.B. he was called to the Bar from Gray's Inn in 1911. (Certificate of Honour in the Bar Finals). Enlisted as lawyer. During the Great War he served with distinction and commanded a Battery and Brigade of Artillery in France. Appointed Liaison officer between the Royal Artillery and the Royal Air Force. Obtained Military Cross and was made an Honorary Major in the Royal Artillery. Returned to the Bar

and became a Bencher of Gray's Inn. Took silk in 1928 and was appointed by the Minister of Health to decide disputes under the National Health Insurance Act. A Judge of the Appeal Court in the Isle of Man for some time. Appointed Chief Justice of the Calcutta High Court in 1934 and Knighted in the same year.

Address—High Court, Calcutta.

Desikachariar, Diwan Bahadur, Sir T., Kt. (1922), B.A., B.L., Advocate, Trichinopoly. Born in September 1868. Educated at Pachaiyappu's and Presidency Colleges, Madras. Was elected Chairman of the Trichinopoly Municipal Council for one term and nominated President of the District Board for three terms; President, District Urban Bank, National College Council, District Health Association, Discharged Prisoners' Aid Society and District Scout's Council, Trichinopoly. Was a nominated member of the Madras Legislative Council for two terms; Member of the Civil Justice Committee and the Malabar Tenancy Committee; President, Trichinopoly Hindu Devasthanam Committee and Chairman of the Trichinopoly-Srirangam Electric Corporation; Vice-President, Trichinopoly Flying Club. Awarded Kaiser-i-Hind Gold Medal in 1920 and made Dewan Bahadur in 1909. Knighted in 1922.

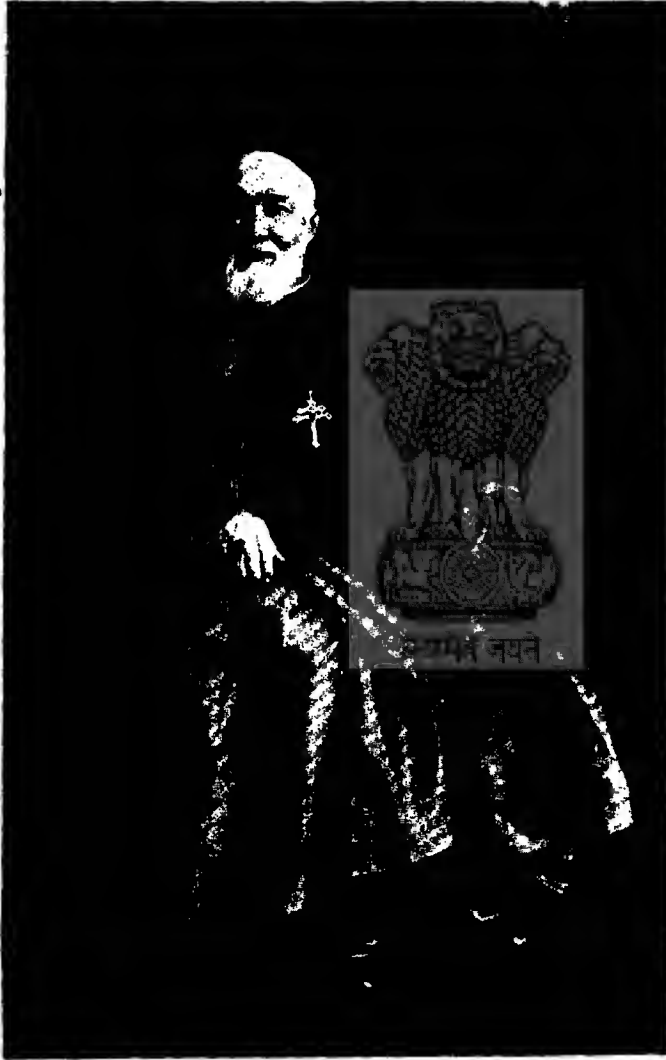
Address—Venkata Park, Reynolds Road, Cent. Trichinopoly & Enderly, Coonoor Railway Station.

Digby-Beste, Henry Aloysius, B., O.B.E. (1919); C.I.E. (1931); Captain Superintendent, I.M.M.T.S., Dufferin. Born on 5th November 1888. Educated at Stonyhurst College, Lanes. England. Married Olive Hume Henderson, daughter of Col. W. Hume Henderson I.M.S. Went to sea in Merchant Service in 1899 and joined R.I.M. as Sub-Lieut., on 5th February 1903 and served afloat till 1914; Served during War in H.M.S. *Lawrence*, Mesopotamia; transferred to Staff Central Headquarters, Bombay, and served as Divisional Naval Transport Officer till 1921; Served afloat in Command of R.I.M.S. *Dufferin* and *Olive*, 1923; Deputation to England in 1924; Deputy Conservator, Madras 1925-26; Port Officer, Bombay, 1927. Appointed Captain Superintendent, I.M.M.T.S. Dufferin in November 1927.

Publications: "Drafted Govt. of India Sea Transport Regulation."

Address—I.M.M.T.S. Dufferin, Mazagaon Pier Bombay 10.

De Castro, H. E. Dom Theotónio Manuel Ribeiro (Vieira, Patriarch of the East Indies, Primate of the East, Archbishop of Goa and Damann, and Archbishop of Grauganor, &c. Born in the city of Oporto, Portugal, on the 27th July, 1859. Received his Sacerdotal ordination in Rome, in the Basilica of St. John of Lateran, on the 8th April 1882; received the Doctorate in Theology and Canon Law of the Gregorian Pontifical University in 1885; appointed Vice Rector and Professor of Theology in the Seminary of Oporto by His Eminence D. Americo, Cardinal



Bishop of Oporto in October 1885; appointed Canon of the Cathedral of Oporto in 1890; elected Bishop of Mylapore by His Holiness Pope Leo XIII in the Consistory of the 22nd June, 1899; consecrated on the 15th August in the cathedral of Oporto; took charge of his Diocese by proxy on the 24th September and entered Mylapore on the 23rd December of the same year.

He governed the Archdiocese of Goa, *sede vacante*, after the death of the Patriarch D. Valente, from the 1st February, 1908 to June 30th, 1909; appointed Superior of the College of the Portuguese Foreign Missions by the Holy See and the Government of Portugal in 1922, in which situation he continued until November, 1930; by appointment of the Holy Father and of the Portuguese Government he came in Diplomatic Mission to elaborate a project for a new agreement (Protocol) between the Holy See and Portugal in connection with the Diocese of Mylapore; and the scheme he had proposed was adopted, without alteration, by both the high contracting parties. At the recommendation of His Excellency the President of the Portuguese Republic he was appointed on the 25th May, 1929, by His Holiness Pope PIUS XI, Archbishop of Goa and

Damann and the Patriarch of the East Indies. He entered Goa and took charge of his new appointment in the Cathedral of Goa, on the 2nd February, 1931, the feast of the Purification of the Blessed Virgin Mary.

Address—Páco Patriarcal, Nova-Goa.

Desai, Bhulabhai Jivanji, M.A., LL.B.
M.L.A., Advocate. (original side), Bombay



High Court. Born on 13th October 1877. Married Ichha Bai. Educated at Elphinstone College and Government Law College, Bombay. Was for some time Professor of History and Economics of the Gujrat College, Ahmedabad; afterwards taking the LL.B. degree enrolled as an Advocate (O.S.) of the Bombay,

High Court; was Acting Advocate-General of Bombay; now one of the leading lawyers of India. Appeared on behalf of the peasants before the Broomfield Committee appointed by the Government during the Bardoli Satyagraha in 1928 and again in 1931 before the Bardoli Enquiry; joined the Civil Disobedience Movement started by the Indian National Congress in 1932; was arrested under the Emergency Powers Ordinance and was subsequently tried and sentenced for a period of one year and Rs. 10,000 fine; after release represented the Indian National Congress in the International Conference on India at Geneva in 1933; took active part in the formation of the Congress Parliamentary Board; became its General Secretary and afterwards elected as the Leader of the Congress Party in the Legislative Assembly.

Address—89, Warden Road, Bombay.

Dikshit, Rao Bahadur, K. N., M. A., Director-General of Archaeology. Educated in Bombay, he took his M. A. with distinction and won the Jhala Vedant prize for Sanskrit. Appointed assistant curator of the archaeological section of the Prince of Wales Museum, Bombay, in 1918. After serving some years, he was posted as curator of the Provincial Museum, Lucknow. Joined the Archaeological Department of the Government of India as assistant Superintendent and later on promoted to Superintendent. In the latter capacity he served in various circles of the Department and for some time acted as Epigraphist to the Government of India at Ootacamund. He also acted twice as Deputy Director-General of Archaeological Survey of India. He is a member of the Numismatic Society of India and was its President in 1931; presided over the Archaeological section of the Oriental Conference held at Baroda in 1933. He has taken keen interest in the excavation of Mohanjo Daro and was chief excavator for two seasons. Editor Calcutta Asiatic Society's Numismatic Supplement.

Address—New Delhi.

Dornakal, Bishop of, (since 1912) Rt. Rev. Vedanayakam Samuel Azariah,

First Indian Bishop, Hon. LL. D. (Cantab). Born on 17th August 1874. Educated at U.M.S. High School, Mengnanapuram; C.M.S. College, Tinnevely; and Madras Christian College. One of the founders of Indian Missionary Society of India, Tinnevely, 1903; Hon. Gen. Secretary of National Missionary Society of India, 1906-09; visited Japan as delegate of World Student Christian Federation, 1907 and as its Vice-President, 1909-11; visited England as Delegate to World's Missionary Conference, 1910; Head of Dornakal Mission, 1909-12. Publications: "Holy Baptism," "Confirmation," "First Corinthians," "India and Missions," "The Acts of the Apostles," "The Life of Christ according to St. Mark," and, "Christ in the Indian Villages".

Address—Dornakal, Singareni Collieries, Deccan.

Fermor, Sir, Lewis Leigh, Kt., (1925),

O.B.E. (1919), D.Sc. (London), A.R.S.M., F.G.S., F.A.S.B. M. Inst. M.M., Director, Geological Survey of India. Born 18th Sep. 1890. Educated at Wilson's Grammar School, Camberwell, Royal College of Science and Royal School of Mines, London; National Scholar, 1898; Murchison Medalist and Prizeman, 1900; Geological Survey of India, since 1902; attached Indian Munitions Board, 1917-18; represented Government of India at International Geological Congresses in Sweden (1910); Canada (1913); Spain (1926); South Africa (1929); President, Mining and Geological Institute of India, 1922; Vice-President, Asiatic Society of Bengal, 1931-33; President, 1933-35; President National Institute of Sciences of India, 1935; Vice-President, Himalayan Club, 1931 and 1932; Vice-President, Society of Economic Geologists, 1932 and 1933; President, Governing Body, Indian School of Mines, 1921, 1925, 1928, 1930 to date; Bigsby Medal Geological Society of India, 1921. Publications: Manganese Ore Deposits of India; Memoirs Geological Survey of India, and numerous papers on Mineralogy, petrology, Ore deposits, meteorites and mineral statistics in the publications of the Geological Survey of India, the Transactions, Mining Geological Institute of India, the Journal, Asiatic Society, Bengal, The Geological Magazine, and elsewhere.

Address—Geological Survey of India, Calcutta, and Bengal United Service Club, Calcutta.

Gandhi, Mohandas Karamchand, Bar-at-Law (Inner Temple). Born 2nd October 1869. Educated at Rajkot, Bhavanagar and London. Practised Law in Bombay, Kathiawar and South Africa. He was in charge of an Indian Ambulance Corps during the Boer War and the



Zulu Revolt in Natal. During the Great War he raised an Ambulance Corps and conducted a recruiting Campaign in Kaira District. He started and led the Satyagraha Movement from 1918 to 1919 and the Non-Co-operation campaign in 1920 in addition to associating himself with the Khilafat Movement 1919-21. He has always championed the cause of Indians abroad, especially those in South and East Africa. He was sentenced to six years simple imprisonment in March, 1922, but was released on February 4th, 1924, on account of ill-health. He was elected President of the Indian National Congress in 1925. He inaugurated a campaign for breach of Salt Laws on the 6th April 1930. He was interned on the 4th May, 1930 and released on the 26th January, 1931. He attended the Round Table Conference in 1931 as the sole

representative of the Congress. He was imprisoned in January 1932. He started Fast unto Death on the 20th September, 1932 to get Joint Electorate for the Depressed Classes with the Hindus and to remove Untouchability; and brought about the Poona Pact. Entered another fast for 21 days for self-purification, May, 1933; six days' fast as a protest against Government's refusal to give him facilities for conducting Harijan Work in jail. Sentenced to one year's imprisonment under Criminal Law Amendment Act in August, 1933, but released during his six days' fast. Suspended Civil Disobedience. Undertook an All-India tour in connection with Harijan Movement. One week's fast in August, 1934. Resigned from Indian National Congress in 1945. President, Hindi Literary Conference, Indore, 1935.

Publications:—"Indian Home Rule," "Universal Dawn," "Young India," and "Navajivan". Address—Satyagrahashram, Wardha, C.P.

Ghuznavi, the Honorable Alhadj Nawab Bahadur Sir Abdul Kareem Abu Ahmad Khan, Kt. (1928), is a Zemindar and land owner of Dilduar. Born on 25th August 1872, he received his education at St. Peter's School, Exmouth, Devonshire; Messrs. Wren & Gurney's Institution, London, and Universities of Oxford and Jena (Germany). Returned to India in 1894 and took charge of the estates of his ancestors. Married in 1894, Nawab Begum Lady Saidennessa Khanum and has one son and four daughters. Member, Imperial Legislative Council, 1908-16. Was sent on a political mission to the Court of ex-King Hussain of Hedjaz, Palestine and Syria, to enquire into the question of Pilgrim traffic in 1913. Entered Bengal Legislative Council in 1923 and 1926 and was appointed Minister, Government of Bengal in 1924 and again in 1927. Exempted from the Indian Arms Act in 1925. Elected Chairman, Bengal Provincial Simon Committee in 1928 and General Chairman of all Provincial Simon Committees in March 1929. Appointed Member, Executive Council Bengal Government in April 1929. Publications: "Pilgrim Traffic to Hadjaz and Palestine," "Muslim Education in Bengal", and other works.

Address—North House, Dilduar, Mymensingh and Writer's Buildings, Calcutta.

Gidney, Sir Henry Albert John, Kt. (1931), Lt.-Col., I. M. S. (retired); F. R. S., F. R. C. S. E., D. O., (Oxon.) F.R.S.A. (London) D. P. H. (Cantab.), M. L. A., J. P., Ophthalmic Surgeon. Born on 9th June, 1873. Educated at Baldwin's High School, Bangalore, St. Peter's, Bombay, and at Calcutta, Edinburgh R. College, University College Hospital, London, Cambridge and Oxford post graduate Lecturer, in Ophthalmology, Oxford University, (1911). Entered I.M.S., 1898. Served in China Expedition, 1900-01; N. E. Frontier, 1913; N. W. Frontier, 1914-15 (wounded) and Great War 1914-1918. President-in-Chief, Anglo-Indian and Domiciled European Association, All India and Burma; Leader of Anglo-Indian Deputation to England, 1925. Accredited leader of the Domiciled Community in India and Burma. Member of Legislative Assembly; Assistant Commissioner, Royal Commission on Labour in India; Anglo-Indian Delegate to the three Indian Round Table Conferences, London; Member, Indian Sandhurst Committee; Assessor to all four Government of India Retrenchment Sub-Committees, (1931). Member, Joint Parliamentary Committee, 1933.

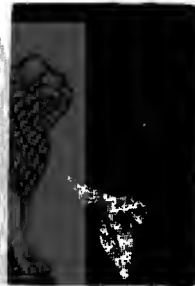
Address—87-A, Park Street, Calcutta.

Glancy, Sir Reginald Isidore Robert, K.C.I.E. (1928), C.S.I. (1921); Member of the India Council. Born in 1874, he was educa-

ted at Clifton College and Christ Church Oxford. Entered I.C.S. in 1896; Settlement officer, Bannu, 1903; Finance Member of Council H.E.H. the Nizam's Government, 1911-1921; The Resident in Baroda, 1922; President of the Cabinet, Jaipur, 1923; Agent to the Governor-General, Central India, 1924-29; Chairman, H.E.H. the Nizam's State Railway Board, 1930. Became Member of the India Council, in 1931. Married Helen Adelaide, daughter of Edward Miles, Bowen House.

Address—India Office, London.

Gour, Sir. Hari Singh, Kt., (1925), M.A., D. Litt., D.C.L., LL. D., Barrister-at-Law,



Vice-Chancellor, Nagpur University. Born 26th November 1872, at Saugor (C.P.). Educated at Government High School, Saugor, Hislop College, Nagpur and Downing College, Cambridge. Married in 1894 Miss Singh, daughter of Dr. Baldevram Singh of Bhandare (four daughters and one

son). Was President, Nagpur Municipality 1918-22; The Foundation Vice-chancellor and Honorary D. Litt., Delhi University, and re-appointed 1924-26; A Member Legislative Assembly for 14 years (1921-35). A Member, India Central Committee. Elected Deputy President Legislative Assembly and Vice-President of the Empire Parliamentary Association (Indian Branch). Was Leader of the National Party in the Assembly and Leader of the Opposition; Delegate to the Joint Committee of Parliament 1933. Hon. Member of the Athenaeum Club, National Liberal Club and British Empire Society. A Member of the Court of Nagpur University; President of High Court Bar Association for Nagpur for 14 years. Elected Vice-Chancellor, Nagpur University.

Publications: "Law of transfer in British India", 3 Vols. (6th Edition). "Penal Law of British India", 2 Vols. (5th Edition). "Hindu Code", (3rd Edition). "The Spirit of Buddhism"; "His only Love"; "Random Rhymes", and other poems. "Lost Souls", "The Future India", "The Indian Reforms", and numerous others.

Address—Nagpur, (C. P.).

Gray, Alexander George, J. P., Sheriff of Bombay 1937, Manager, Bank of India Ltd.,



and Vice-President, Indian Institute of Bankers. Born in 1884. Educated at Macclesfield Grammar School and Parrs Bank, Ltd., Manchester and District. Married Dulce Muriel Fanny Wild in 1922. He arrived in India in 1905 and joined the Service of the Bank of India Ltd., in 1908. He is well known and

highly respected among all classes of the community in Bombay.

Address—88, Nepean Sea Road, Malabar Hill, Bombay.

Grigg, Sir (Percy) James, K.C.B., Finance Member of Government of India since 1934. Born on 16th December, 1890. Eldest son of Frank Alfred Grigg. Married in 1919 Gertrude Charlotte, youngest daughter of Rev. G. F. Hough. Educated at Bournemouth School, and St. John's College, Cambridge; Wrangler, Mathematical Tripos. Appointed to Treasury, 1918; served R.G.A. 1915-18; Principal Private Secretary to successive Chancellors of the Exchequer, 1921-30; Chairman, Board of Customs and Excise, November 1930; Chairman, Board of Inland Revenue, 1930-34; Finance Member, Government of India, 1934.

Address—Government of India, Simla and Delhi.

Gwyer, Sir Maurice, Chief Justice of the Federal Court of India. A Barrister of the Inner Temple, Sir Maurice Gwyer, after lecturing at Oxford for three years (1912-15) on Private International Law, was appointed Solicitor to the Insurance Commissioners (1912-16) and subsequently became Legal Advisor, Ministry of Shipping.

For seven years from 1919 Sir Maurice served as Solicitor and Legal Advisor to the Ministry of Health, after which he was appointed His Majesty's Procurator-General and Solicitor to the Treasury (1926-33).

He was the first British delegate to the Hague Conference on Codification of International Law (1930) and served on the Indian States Inquiry Committee (1932). Since 1934 he has been first Parliamentary Counsel to the Treasury.

Address—New Delhi.

Habib-ul-lah Sahib Bahadur, Khan Bahadur Sir Muhammad, Kt. (1922),

K.C.S.I. (1927), K.C.I.E. (1924), C.I.E. (1920) Ex-Dewan of Travancore. Born on 22nd. Sept. 1869. Married Sadathum Nisa Begum. Educated at Zilla High School, Saidapet. Joined the Bar in 1888; in 1897 was presented Certificate of Honour on the occasion of Golden Jubilee of Her late Imperial Majesty Queen Victoria; from 1901 devoted whole time to local self-government and held the position of Chairman of Municipal Council; Pres., Taluk Board and Pres., Dist. Board; Khan Bahadur, 1905; Member, Legislative Council, 1909-12; appointed Temporary Member, Madras Executive Council, 1919; was Commissioner of Madras Corporation, 1920. Gave evidence before Royal Commn., on Decentralization and also before Public Services Commn; served as a co-opted member on Reforms Committee; Member, Royal Commission on the Superior Civil Services in India, Nov. 1923 to March, 1924; Member of Council of the Governor of Madras, 1920-24. Member of the Viceroy's Council 1925-30; Leader of the Indian Delegation to South Africa, 1926-27. Leader of the Indian Delegation to the League of Nations (1929). Represented India at the Dominion Legislative Conference at London 1929.

Address—Trivandrum.

Haksar, Col. Sir Kailas Narain, Kt., 1932; C.I.E., Mashri-i-Khas Bahadur, Political



Member, Gwalior Durbar since 1912. Born on 20th February, 1878; son of Pt. Har Narain Haksar; grandson of Raj Bahadur Dharam Narain Haksar C.I.E. (one son three daughters). Educated at Victoria College, Gwalior; Allahabad University B.A.; Hon. Professor of History and Philosophy 1899-1903; Private

Secretary to the Maharaja Scindia, 1903-12; Under-Secretary, Political Department, on deputation, 1905-07; Capt. 4th. Gwalior Imperial Service Infantry, 1908; Major 1904; Lt.-Col. 1907; Col. 1924; Senior Member Board of Revenue, 1909-14; Director, Princes Special Organisation on deputation, 31st Jan. 1928 to 18th Dec. 1928, and since 1st December 1929 up to April 1932; Nominated Member to the Indian Round Table Conference both Sessions; also served on the Federal Structure Committee and its Sub-Committees; Mr. Thomas, Army Committee and Peel Committee, nomi-

nated to serve on the Federal Finance Committee of the Round Table Conference in India; served as Secretary-General of the Indian States Delegation to the Round Table Conference; also represented Government of His Highness of Jammu and Kashmir at the Second Round Table Conference. Publications: (with H.M. Bull) "Madho Rao Scindia", 1925; (with K.M. Panikkar) "Federal India", 1930; occasional articles on social and literary subjects in the "Asiatic Review".

Address—Gwalior, Central India.

Har Bilas Sarda, Diwan Bahadur, (1892), F.R.S.L., M.R.A.S., F.S.S. Born on 3rd June 1867. Educated at Ajmer Govt. College, and Agra College. Married in 1901, Srimati Parbati Devi. Started life as a teacher in Govt. College, Ajmer, and was later transferred to Judicial Department in 1892. Appointed Guardian to H. H. the Maharaja of Jaisalmer in 1894; reverted to British Service in Ajmer Merwara, 1902; Subordinate Judge, 1st Class, Ajmer, in 1919; Sub-Judge and Judge Small Causes Court, Beawar till 1921; Judge, Small Causes Court, Ajmer, 1921-23. Officialised as Additional District and Sessions Judge and retired in December 1923; Was Senior Judge Chief Court, Jodhpur. Elected to the Legislative Assembly in 1924 and re-elected in 1927 and again in September 1930; Deputy Leader Nationalist Party in Legislative Assembly. Presided over Indian National Social Conference at Lahore, 1929, and All-India Vaisya Conference at Bareilly in 1930; Member of the Primary Education Committee appointed by the Govt. of India and of the General Retrenchment Committee, Govt. of India and General Purposes Committee; has been a member of the Standing Finance Committee of the Govt. of India; Editor, "Dayanand Commemoration Volume"; Secretary, Paropakari Sabha of India. Author of Child Marriage Restraint Act, popularly known as the "Sarda Act," Ajmer Merwara Court Fees Amendment Act.

Publications: "Hindu Superiority", "Ajmer Historical and Descriptive", "Maharana Sangha", "Maharana Kumbha", Maharaja Hammir of Rantambhor", "Prithvi Raj Vijaya", "Speeches and writings."

Address—Harnivas, Civil Lines, Ajmer Rajputana.

Hari Kishan Kul, Raja Pandit, M.A., C.S.I., C.I.E., Rai Bahadur. Born in 1869. Educated at Govt. College, Lahore. Appointed Assistant Commissioner in 1890; Jr. Secretary to Financial Commissioner, 1893-97; District Judge, Lahore, 1897-98; Deputy Commissioner Jhang, 1898; Settlement Officer, Muzaffargarh 1898-1908; S.O., Mianwali, 1908-08. After ser-

ving as Deputy Commissioner in different places from 1906-19, he was appointed Commissioner, Rawalpindi Division, and Jhulunder Division, from 1919-23; Member Royal Commission on services, 1923-24; Member, Economic Inquiry Committee, 1925; Member Indian Tariff Board, 1926-27; Diwan Bharatpur State, April to October, 1927; Prime Minister, Jammu and Kashmir State 1931-32.

Address—29, Lawrence Road, Lahore.

Hayles, Alfred Arthur, Editor and Ma-



naging Director, "Madras Mail,"

Madras. Born on 7th March, 1887. Educated at London and Paris. Married Sybil Anne Copeland in 1928. Freelance

Journalism London, till 1912; Joined Staff of the "Madras Times," 1912, and became Assistant Editor, "Madras Mail" in 1921.

Address:—Sunnyside, Royapettah Road, Madras.

Hidayatullah, The Hon'ble Khan Bahadur Sir Shaik Ghulam Hussain,



Kt., K.C.S.I., elected member, Sind Legislative Assembly, and Chief Minister Sind Government. Born in January 1878, he was educated at Shikarpur High School, D.J. Sind College and Government Law School, Bombay.

He started life as a pleader. He was a member of the Hyderabad Municipality and was elected its Vice-President. He was President District Local Board, Hyderabad and was elected a member of the Bombay Legislative Council under the Morley-Minto reforms, representing the Larkana constituency. He was appointed Minister Government of Bombay in charge of Local Self-Government in 1921. He became a Knight in 1926, K.C.S.I., in 1933. In 1932 he succeeded Sir Govindrao Pradhan as Finance Member. He was a delegate to the Second Round Table Conference. In 1933 his term of office as Executive Councillor was extended by one year and retired in June, 1934. He was for some time a member of the Legislative Assembly.

Address—Hyderabad, Sind.

Horniman, Benjamin Guy, Editor in Chief, "The Bombay Sentinel." Born on 17th July, 1873. Educated privately and at Portsmouth Grammar School and Queen's Service House; passed the preliminary for Royal Military Academy, Woolwich; became private Secretary to the late H.E.B. Lynch; toured with Louis Calvert's Shakespearean Repertoire Company for two years; Reporter, Southern Daily Mail, Portsmouth, 1894 and became its Editor in 1897; joined "Morning Leader," London, as Assistant Editor in 1900; News Editor and Asst. Editor, "Statesman," Calcutta, 1906; attended Delhi Durbar as special correspondent, in 1911 and also received Delhi Durbar Medal; started the "Bombay Chronicle" with Sir Phirozeshah Mehta in 1913, and conducted the same till April 1919, when he was arbitrarily deported by Lord Lloyd the then Governor of Bombay, under the Defence of India Act; acted as Congress Delegate in London in 1919 and 1920; arrived in Bombay in January 1926 and rejoined the "Bombay Chronicle" as Editor but resigned in March 1926; founded "Indian National Herald" in October, 1926 and was its managing Editor until it ceased publication in 1929; founded "Weekly Herald" in 1930; Editor, "Daily

Herald," Lahore, from July to October, 1931; Editor, "Bombay Chronicle," in 1932 and resigned in December 1933, on release of Mr. S. A. Brelvi from jail.

Publications: "Amritsar and Our Duty to India," "The Agony of Amritsar," Pamphlets and speeches.

Address—Sea View, Worli Point, Bombay.

Hudson, Sir Leslie Sewell, Kt., Member, Legislative Assembly, was born on 25th November, 1872. Educated at Christ's Hospital. Joined P. & O. S. N. Co., London, in 1889 and came to their Bombay branch in 1894. After spending a few years in Japan, China and Australia, he returned to Bombay in 1915. He joined Messrs. Mackinnon Mackenzie & Co., in October 1916. He was Deputy Chairman, Bombay Chamber of Commerce, 1923-24, and its President 1924-25 and 1927-28; Member, Bombay Legislative Council, 1923-26 and 1927-28; Member, Legislative Assembly since 1932.

Address—P. O. Box 122, Bombay.

Hussain, Sir Ahmed, Nawab Amim Jung Bahadur, M.A. B.L., LL. D., C.S.I., (1911); Nawab (1917); K.C.I.E. (1922); Posh Minister, (Minister-in-Waiting on H.E.H. the Nizam) Retired 1935. Born on 11th August 1863. Educated at Christian College and Presidency College, Madras; Governor's Scholar 1882-86. Married in 1907, Fatima Lady Amin Jung and has six sons and three daughters. Enrolled as High Court Vakil in 1890 and became advocate in 1928. Appointed Deputy Collector and Magistrate, 1890-92; Assistant Secretary to the Nizam, 1893; Personal Secretary to Nizam, 1895; Chief Secretary to Nizam's Government, 1905. The Nizam's Own Colonist since 1924.

Publications: "Notes on Islam," Articles in Periodicals.

Address—Amin Munzil, Saidbad, Hyderabad Deccan.

Hukamchand, Seth Rai Bahadur, Rajya Bhushan, Rao Raja, Rajyaratna Sir Sarupchandjee, Kt. is the present head of the well-known firm of Sir Seth Sarupchand Hukamchand, Bankers and Mill Owners having their main "Padhis" at Indore, Bombay, Calcutta and Ujjain. He is one of those unique personalities who are born to leave a permanent mark on the history of their times and whose bright career can only be admired but not imitated. The history of Sir Hukamchand's life is nothing but a series of brilliant successes

in wealth enormously won and as enormously utilised.

Sir Seth Hukamchand is the grandson of Seth Manikchand the owner of the then well-known firm of Seth Manikchand Magnirain and son of Seth Sarupchandji. Born in the Samwat year 1931 in the month of Ashad.

Seth Hukamchand began his business career at the tender age of fifteen. At his father's death he owned a sum of Rs. 8,00,000 which figure, though big enough for the times, cannot be considered adequate for the immense business which he now represents.

Besides his extensive business activities in Opium and Cotton, he can be called the pioneer of the cotton industry in Central India. His name would particularly be associated with the foundation and extensive growth of the industry in Indore. So early as 1909 he founded the Indore Malwa United Mills, Ltd., of which he was one of the Directors. In 1914 he founded the Hukamchand Mills which is an equally successful concern and in 1922 he founded the Rajkumar Mills. The several other Mills at present working in Indore are the result of the example set by him. His present undertaking is a big and up-to-date Cotton Mill



named the Hira Mills Ltd. which is now being erected at Ujjain (Gwalior State). Sir Seth Hukamchand also represents the Hukamchand Electric Steel Co., Ltd. Sir Hukamchand Jute Mills and Sir Hukamchand Assurance Company, Calcutta. Besides, he has also lakhs of his money invested in various other industrial concerns.

One would naturally ask what is the secret of this brilliant success of Sir Seth Hukamchand. A little consideration brings us to the conclusion that at the root of it all lies his brave adventurous spirit. It is correctly said by some well-known authority that profit does not lie either in capital or in trade, it lies only in risk—the greater the risk you undertake the greater your success; and that the individual who dare not take risk in spite of capital and possibilities of trade cannot attain great success. His paying Rs. 40,00,000 for Opium Tax, his ordering machinery from England at the time of the Great War, his starting a Jute Mill in the face of general belief against Indian Management, all go to show how great a risk he undertook. This reached its climax in the speculative trade, where like a sportsman, he undertook risk for crores of rupees. It is this boldness and adventurous spirit, which has today earned for him a name in commercial circles and has secured a permanent place for him in the future commercial history of India. Sir Seth Hukamchand has always been a well-wisher and a loyal subject both of the Indian Government and the Holkar State. His public activities have also been wide and varied. Besides spending laes of rupees in charitable institutions of his own including: (1) Javerlbag Dharanishala, (2) Javerlbag Jain Temple, (3) Hukamchand Jain Mahavidyalaya and Boarding House, (4) Saubhagyaawati Kanchanbai Shrivika Ashram, (5) Prince Yeshwant Rao Ayurvedic Aushdhalaya (Dispensary), (6) Saubhagyaawati Kanchanbai Prasuti Grah, he was given considerable help from time to time to many public institutions, such as Lady Hardinge Medical Institute, Delhi; Lady O'dyar Girls' School, King Edward Hospital and Medical School, Indore; The Eye, Nose and Ear Hospital, Indore; The Daly College Indore, and many Medical Wards, Dharamshalas and Jain Temples and Institutions. During the Great War he helped the British Government by purchasing War Loan to the extent of Rs.

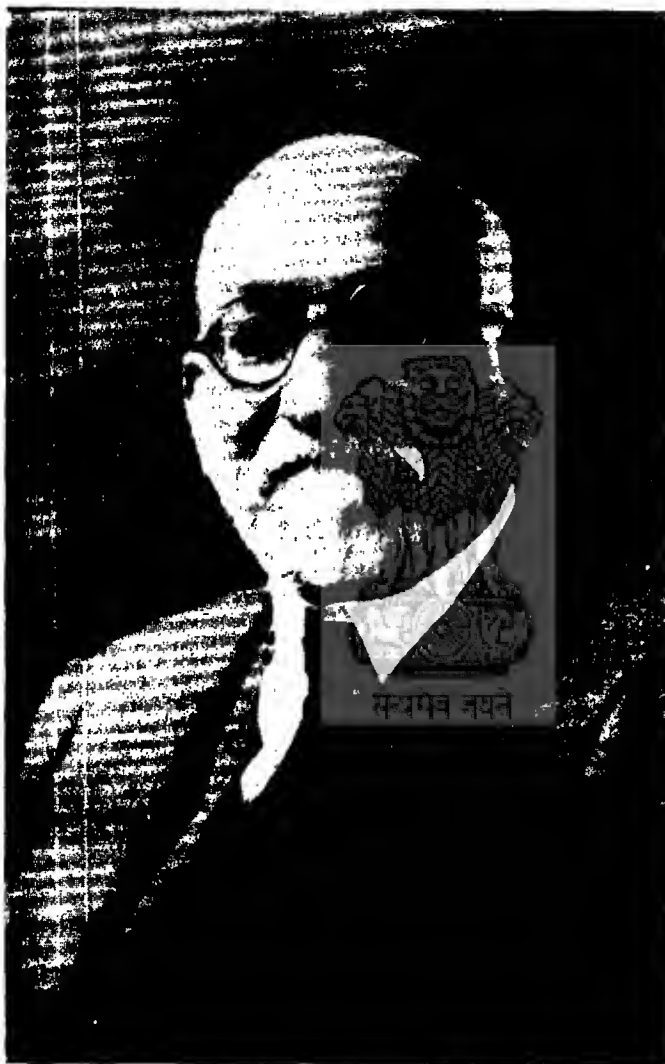
1,15,00,000 a figure perhaps unequalled by any other person or Institution. His public Activities and loyal services have been very much appreciated both by the Government and the Holkar State and he has from time to time received many honours and distinctions from them among which are the titles of "Rai Bahadur" and then "Sir Knight," conferred by the Indian Government and "Rajya Bhushan" and "Rao Raja Rajyaratna" and Golden Lungar wear in leg and sactioned first class special Lawajma by the Holkar State. Sir Hukamchand is from the beginning very fond of building very grand buildings of which he owns many in Indore, Bombay, Calcutta and Ujjain. In Indore particularly there are great palatial buildings which are visited by every new comer. The chief among these are Shish Mahal, Rang Mahal and Indra Bhavan, and his very picturesque glass temple in Indore. Sir Seth Hukamchand also personally works in many public institutions. He is at present a member of the Indore Legislative Committee. He has been President of many public institutions and is a good speaker at public meetings. He takes much part in the public activities of Indore. He possesses many rare personal qualities. He has a strong and healthy constitution and is always cheerful and very sociable.

Address—Indore, C.I.

Husain, Syed Abbas, Principal Librarian of the State Library, Hyderabad. Born in 1884, he was educated at Nizam's College, Hyderabad, Deccan. He was a delegate to the Oriental Conference at Calcutta in 1922 and a delegate to the All-Indian Libraries' Conference, Madras, in 1923. Publications: "A Supplemental Catalogue of the Arabic and Persian Manuscripts and books in the State Library."

Address—The State Library, Hyderabad, Deccan.

Hydari, The Rt. Hon'ble Sir Akbar, Nawab Hyder Nawaz Jung Bahadur, Kt. (1928); P. C. (1936); Honorary LL. D. (Osmania); Honorary LL. D. (Madras); President, Hyderabad State Executive Council. Born on 8th November, 1869. Son of Nazerally Hydari of Cambay, India. Married Amina Najnuddin Tyabji (First Class Kaisari-i-Hind Gold Medal), daughter of Najnuddin Tyabji, Bombay (four sons and two daughters).



Educated at St. Xavier's College, Bombay. Joined Indian Finance Department 1888; Assistant Account General U.P., 1890. Deputy Accountant General, Bombay, 1897; Madras, 1900; Examiner, Government Press Accounts, 1901; Controller, India Treasuries 1903; lent as Accountant General, Hyderabad State 1905; Financial Secretary 1907; Secretary to Government, Home Department (Judicial, Police, Medical, Education, etc.) 1911; in addition Acting Director-General of Commerce and Industries, 1919; Accountant-General, Bombay, 1920; First President Hyderabad Educational Conference 1915; President, All-India Muhamadan Educational Conference, 1917; Finance and Railway Member, Hyderabad State Executive Council, 1921; Member for Co-operative Credit and Mines Department, 1927; Official Director Singareni Collieries Co. Ltd., and Mining Boards, 1925; Director of the Shahabad Cement Co. Ltd.

The Indian Cement Co. Ltd., The Indian Industrial and General Trust Ltd., The Central Bank of India Ltd., The Osmansahi Mills Ltd., and the Azamjahi Mills Ltd.; Chairman, Inter-University Board, 1925; delivered the Punjab University Convocation Address, 1925; Fellow of the Bombay, Dacca, Aligarh Muslim and Hyderabad Osmania Universities; conceived and organised the Osmania University, Hyderabad, the first university of its kind in India, imparting higher education through the medium of the vernacular (Urdu) while retaining English as a compulsory second language throughout the Urdu Nastaliq type marks a new era in Urdu printing and the development of Urdu

liture; organized the State Archaeological Department; negotiated the purchase for the State of the N. G. S. Railway; led the Hyderabad Delegation to the three Round Table Conferences in London at which he was a Member of the Business, Federal Structure and Finance Sub-Committees; Member of the Parliamentary Joint Select Committee 1933, at which he was a member of the Reserve Bank and Railway Authority Sub-Committee and Advisor to the League of Nation's Monetary and Economic Conference held in London; interested in Ajanta Frescoes and Indian Paintings.

Publications: "Hyderabad State Budgets and Educational Addresses".

Address—Dilkush, Kharatabad,
Hyderabad Deccan.

Hydri, Muhamed Saleh Akbar, C.I.E.,
I.C.S., Joint Secretary to the Government of



India (Department of Education). Son of Sir Akbar Hydari, President, Hyderabad States Executive Council. Mr. Hydari was educated at Bombay University and Balliol College, Oxford. After passing I.C.S., in 1919, he served in Mad-

ras as Asst. Collector and Magistrate and officiating Under-secretary Development Department, Madras. Transferred to the Government of India Secretariat and was Under-secretary for education, health and lands in 1924 and the next year as officiating Deputy Secretary. He was sent in 1927 as Agent to the Government of India in Ceylon. Appointed Secretary to the Imperial Council of Agricultural Research in 1929. Went to England as Joint Secretary to the Indian States delegation to the Second R. T. C., in 1931 and again to the 3rd R.T.C., as advisor to the delegation for Hyderabad. Officiating Secretary to the Government of India in the Education Department in 1934. Created C.I.E. in 1935. He is the first Muslim to hold to hold the present appointment.

Address—Simla or New Delhi.

Imam, Sir Syed Ali, K. C. I. E. (1914),
G.S.I. (1911). Born at Noora (Patna) on 11th Feb. 1860. Son of Nawab Syed Inad Imam, Shamsululama. Married in 1891 and has five sons and four daughters. Called to Bar, Middle Temple, 1890; Standing Council, Calcutta High Court; President, First Session of the All-India Moslem League held at Amritsar, 1908; Member Moslem League Deput. to England, 1909; Member of Governor's Legislative Council Bengal, 1910; Fellow of Calcutta University, 1908-12; Jaw Member of Governor-General's Council, 1910-16; Puisne Judge of Patna High Court, 1917; Member, Executive Council of Bihar and Orissa, 1918; President, Executive Council of the Government of the Nizam of Hyderabad, 1919; First Indian Representative to sit at the first meeting of the League of Nations, November 1920.

Address—Marian Munzil, Patna, also Bolla
Vista, Hyderabad (Deccan).

Iswar Saran, Munshi, B.A. (Allahabad),
M.L.A., Advocate, Allahabad High Court. Born on 26th Aug. 1874. Married Srimati Mukharani Devi. Educated at Church Mission High School and Jubilee High School, Gorakhpur, U. P., and Muir Central College, Allahabad. Member, first and third Legislative Assembly; was a member of the Court of Allahabad University; is a member of the Court of the Benares Hindu University; President Kayastha-Pathashala, Allahabad, 1925-29; was Joint Secretary of Crosthwaite Girls' College, Allahabad; Hon. Secretary, MacDonnell Hindu Boarding House, Allahabad; Hon. Secretary, U.P. Industrial Conference, Political and Social Conferences; Some time Member All-India Congress Committee; President U.P. Political and Social Conferences; Hon. Secretary, Reception Committee, Indian National Congress, 1910; Elected a member of the Court of Allahabad University for three years, 1931; President of Allahabad Swadeshi League and of the Allahabad Servant of the Untouchable Society; went to Europe four times and delivered speeches and wrote in the press on India.

Address—6., Edmondstone Road, Allahabad,
U.P.

Ismail, Amin-ul-Mulk, Sir Mirza M., Kt., K.C.I.E. (1936); C.I.E., O.B.E., Dewan of Mysore, was born on 23rd October, 1883. He comes of an ancient and aristocratic Persian Family. His grandfather, the late Mr. Ali Askar, was personally known to Sir Mark Cubbon and was a devoted friend and associate of His Highness Maharaja Sri Krishnarajendra Wadiyar III, of Mysore. His father Aga Jan, earned his laurels as A. D. C. to the late Maharaja, Her Highness the Maharani, C. I., during the period of Regency, and later to the present Maharaja. Sir



Mirza Ismail received his early education in the Wesleyan Mission High School at Bangalore, and later joined His Highness the Maharaja's class. He graduated from the Central College at Bangalore in the year 1905, and in the same year he entered the Mysore Service as Assistant Superintendent of Police. Three years later, he joined His Highness' Personal Staff, and in February 1914, was made Huzur Secretary to His Highness. He was appointed His Highness' Private Secretary in March 1922, which post he held until 1st May, 1926, when he was called to the office of Dewan of Mysore. His services were recognized by the conferment on him of the titles of "Amin-ul-Mulk" by His Highness in the Dasara of 1920. The British Government have also marked their appreciation of Sir Mirza Ismail's public services by bestowing on him the titles of O.B.E., in January 1923, C.I.E., June 1924; Knighthood in January 1930, and K.C.I.E., in 1936. He attended the first Indian Round Table Conference in England as the representative

of the South Indian States of Mysore, Travancore, Cochin and Pudukota; and the Second Round Table Conference as the representative, of the States of Mysore, Jaipur, and Jodhpur; and the Third Round Table Conference and the Sitzings of the Joint Parliamentary Committee on the Indian Reforms Bill as the representative of the Mysore State.

He has married Zubinda Begum Shirazee, daughter of the late Mr. M. Muhammed, Mirza of Bombay, and has one son and two daughters.

Address—Carlton House, Bangalore.

James, Frederick Ernest, Leeds and London Universities. 1914-19 War Service; 1920 General Secretary, Y.M.C.A., Calcutta; 1924-28 Member, Bengal Legislative Council and Whip, European Group; 1934 Visited Anglo-Iranian Oil Company in Persia re employees welfare; 1927 Visited Java re. student welfare; 1925-26 President, Calcutta Rotary Club; 1929 Political Advisor, United Planters Association of Southern India; 1929-32 Member, Madras Legislative Council, Madras Corporation, Senate of Madras University; 1931 Member, Madras Retrenchment Committee, Madras Franchise Committee, and P.W.D. Reorganisation Committee; 1932 Member, Legislative Assembly; 1932-36 Whip, European Group, Member Standing Finance Committee for Railways, Standing Emigration Committee; 1936-37 First District Governor of Rotary Clubs of India, Burma and Ceylon.

Address:—200, Mount Road, Madras.

Jejeebhoy, Sir Jamsetjee, 6th Bart., J.P. Born, 10th May 1909, Son of Sir Jamsetjee



Jejeebhoy, 5th Bart., K.C.S.I. Succeeded his father in 1931, assuming the present name in

lieu of Cowasjee. Educated at Cathedral and John Connon High School, Bombay, and at Gonville & Caius College, Cambridge, taking his B.A. degree in 1933. He was elected, Member of the Bombay Municipal Corporation in 1934. Re-elected, 1935, retaining the seat. Made Justice of the Peace, December, 1934. Honorary Presidency Magistrate, December 1935. Appointed, District Scout Commissioner, Bombay City in September, 1934, and Provincial Scout Commissioner, Bombay Presidency in January, 1937. The Indian Progressive Group, and institution for the promotion of the political, economic and social welfare of India and the creation of a better understanding between Indians and Europeans, was organised mostly through his efforts in 1936, of which he is the chairman. Among his public activities may be mentioned the following:— Chairman, Board of Trustees, Sir J. J. Parsee Benevolent Institution, Sir J. J. Charity Funds, N. M. Wadia Charities, The Bombay Pinjrapole (an asylum for old and disabled animals), The District Benevolent Society, etc. Trustee: Sir J. J. School of Art, David Sassoon Industrial School, Victoria Memorial School for the blind, Grant Medical College Endowment Funds, The Deccan College Endowment Funds, Byramjee Jejeebhoy Parsi Charitable Institution, J. J. Hospital Nursing Assn., Nowrojee Wadia Maternity Hospital, Bai Motilal Wadia Hospital, Zoroastrian Building Fund, Framji Cowasjee Institute, N.N. & R.N. Wadia Trust for Parsee Buildings, etc. etc. He is also a Director of a number of Joint Stock Companies. Clubs: The Willingdon Sports Club, The Rotary Club, Ripon Club, Parsi Gynkhana, Cricket Club of India, Bombay Flying Club, Poona Club, etc., etc. Seats: Mazagon Castle, Bombay, Fountain Hall, Poona.

The Jamsetjee Jejeebhoy family is one of the most ancient and aristocratic of the Parsee Community. The first Baronet, Sir Jamsetjee Jejeebhoy, was also the first Indian to be knighted. He was a wealthy Parsee Merchant trading with China and was renowned for his benevolence, charity munificence and loyalty, a reputation that has been earned by all his successors. The baronetcy was created in 1857. By a special Act of the Indian Legislative Council, passed in 1860 with the sanction of H. M. Queen Victoria, all future holders of the title are to relinquish their own names and assume that of the first Baronet. The third Baronet was a member of the Bombay Legislative Council. The fifth Baronet was a Deputy President of the Indian Legislative Assembly.

Address—Mazagon Castle, Mazagon,
Bombay.

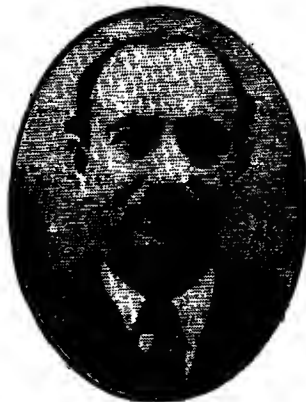
Jayakar, Mukund Ramrao, M.A., LL.B.
Bar-at-Law; ex-Member Legislative Assembly.



He received his education at Bombay and London. Early in his career he started a charitable public School called Aryan Education Society's High School in Bombay and worked there four years. He then started practice as a Barrister in Bombay High Court where his brilliant abilities have often been to the fore. He took to public life in 1916, and since 1921 he has become engrossed in public life. He represented the Bombay University in the Legislative Council where he was leader of the Swaraj Party until 1925 when he found he could no more keep intimate company with the Congress. Bombay City constituency elected him to the Assembly in 1926 and he continued to be a member there till 1930. As Deputy Leader of the Nationalist Party in the Assembly 1927 to March 1930, as Leader of the Opposition in 1930 (Simla Session) he has proved himself to be second to none in legislative warfare. His efforts jointly with Sir Tej Bahadur Sapru to bring about the Gandhi Irwin Pact which enabled Mr. Gandhi to represent the interests of the Congress at the Second R. T. C. can never be forgotten. His nomination to the third R. T. C. shows how well he can keep up his balance in public life. He was a Member, Joint Parliamentary Committee. From October 1937 he will be one of the judges of the Federal Court of India.

Address—Winter Road, Malabar Hill,
Bombay.

Jehangir, Cowasji Sir, 2nd Bart. M. A.
(Cam.), K. C. I. E., (1927), C.I.F. (1920), O.B.F.



M. L. A., J. P., was born on 16th February 1879 and is the son of Sir Cowasji Jehangir, first Baronet (nephew and adopted son of late Sir Cowasji Jehangir, Readymoney, C. S. I.). Educated at St. Xavier's College, Bombay, and St. John's College, Cambridge. Passed B. A. 1900; M. A., 1905. Married on 22nd February 1911, Hilla Hormusji Wadia (Kaisari-Hind Gold Medal) grand daughter of Sir Jamsetji Jejeebhoy, Bart., and has issue (1) Jehangir Cowasji, born on 15th Nov. 1911. (2) Silla Cowasji, born on 8th April 1914 and (3) Hirjee Cowasji, born on 1st. Nov. 1915. Member of the Bombay Corporation from 1904-21; Chairman of the Standing Committee, 1914-15; Member of the Bombay Improvement Trust; President, Bombay Municipal Corporation, 1919-20; Honorary Secretary, War Loan Committee 1917-18; Member of the Legislative Council. Acting Member of the Executive Council, Government of Bombay, in charge of the Revenue Department 6th December 1921 15th July 1922; Member of the Executive Council, General Department (8rd June 1923 23rd June 1928). Elected Member, Legislative Assembly for the City of Bombay, 1930; and re-elected in 1934; Delegate to the Round Table Conference 1930-31-32; Delegate London Monetary and Economic Conference, 1933; Partner in the Firm of Messrs. Cowasji Jehangir & Co., Ltd. Succeeded his father in Baronetcy on July 26th, 1934.

Address—Nopean Sea Road, Malabar Hill,
Bombay.

Jinnah, Mahomed Ali, Bar-at-Law, M.L.A., was born on 25th December 1876 and was

Joshi, Narayan Malhar, B.A. M.L.A., J.P., Member of the Servants of India Society.



educated at Karachi and England. He got himself enrolled as an Advocate of the Bombay High Court in 1906. For some time he was Private Secretary to late Dadabhoi Navroji in 1906. He was a Member of the Imperial Legislative Council in 1910. He was President Muslim League (special session) in 1920. He went to England as delegate to the first Indian R.T.C., 1930-31, and has, while in India, been a forceful figure in Indian Political life, specially upholding the interests of Mohanmodans. President, Muslim League, 1934.

Address—Mount Pleasant Road, Malabar Hill, Bombay.

Joshi, Sir Moropant Vishvanath, Kt., K.C.I.E., B.A., LL.B., was born in 1861.



Educated at Deccan College, Poona, and Elphinstone College, Bombay. Practised as Advocate in Judicial Commissioner's Court in Borar from 1884-1920. Home Member C. P. Government, 1920-25; President, All-India Liberal Federation 1925; Chairman, Age of Consent Committee, 1928-

29; Advocate, Judicial Commissioner's Court, C. P.

Address—Amraoti, Borar.

Born in June 1879, he received his education at New English School and Deccan College, Poona. He was a teacher for 8 years in private schools and Government High Schools. He joined the Servants of India Society in 1909 and has been Secretary, Bombay Social Service League since 1911. He was Secretary, Bombay Presidency Social Reform Association 1917-29; Secretary, Western India National Liberal Association 1919-29. Was sent to Mesopotamia by Government of India as representative of the Indian Press, 1917, and in 1920 to Washington and in 1921, 1922, 1925 and in 1929 to Geneva as delegate of the working classes in India to International Labour Conference; Deputy Member of the Governing body of the I. L. O. since 1922, and member of the governing body since 1934. Kaiser-i-Hind Silver Medal (1919). Was awarded, C.I.E., in 1921 but declined. Member of the Bombay Municipal Corporation since 1919, up to end of March 1923. Nominated by Government a Member of the Legislative Assembly in 1921 and again in 1924, 1927, 1931 and 1934 to represent labour interests. Appointed a Member of the Royal Commission on Indian Labour as Labour representative. Attended Round Table Conference, 1930, 1931 and 1932 and was for sometime member of the Consultative Committee. Attended the meetings of the Joint Parliamentary Committee as Indian delegate.

Address—Servants of India Society, Sandhurst Road, Bombay 4.

Kanga, Sir Jamshedji Byramji, Kt., (1928), M.A. LL.B. Advocate, is the son of Byramji Bhikaji Kanga, Share and Stock Broker, Bombay. Born on 27th February 1875. Educated at Elphinstone High School, Wilson College and Govt. Law School, Bombay. Started practice as Advocate of the Bombay High

Court from 1908-21, when he was appointed Additional Judge of the Bombay High Court. Was appointed Advocate General, Bombay 1922-35.

Address—120, Malabar Hill, Bombay.

Kanika Raja of, The Hon'ble Raja, Sir Rajendra Narayan Bhanja Deo, Kt. (1938); O.B.E. (1918); Raja (Hereditary) 1919, is the second son of Raja of Aul. Born on 24th March 1881, and was adopted to Kanika family in 1896. Educated at Ravenshaw Collegiate School and at Ravenshaw College, Cuttack. Married in 1899 a daughter of late Raja Ladukishore Mandhata, ruling chief of Nayagarh State, Orissa. Assumed management of Kanika Raj from Court of Wards in 1902; Nominated Member, Bengal Advisory Fishery Board, in 1908; Member, Bengal Legislative Council, 1909-12; Member Bihar and Orissa Legislative Council, from 1912; Fellow, Patna University 1917-19; Member, Patna University Senate, 1919-22; Nominated Member, 1927-29, and again from November, 1932, ex-Officio Member, 1929-32; Member, Committee to Co-operate with Simon Commission, 1928; Member, Executive Council, Bihar and Orissa, 1929-34; Vice-President, 1931-34; title of Raja Bahadur as personal distinction in 1934.

Address—Raj Kanik, Cuttack, Orissa.

Karve, Dhondo Keshav, B.A., Vice-Chancellor, Shrimati Nathibai Damodhar Thacker-



sey Indian Women's University Poona. Born on 18th April, 1858 of poor but respectable parents. Began to learn A.B.C., in his seventeenth year and graduated from Elphinstone College, Bombay in his twenty-seventh year. Worked as a teacher of Mathematics and Science in several Bombay Schools for seven years. Took charge of Mathematics in the Fergusson Col-

lege in 1892, and became a life-member of the Deccan Education Society which conducted the Fergusson College. Married a widow in 1893 and in the same year started the Widow Marriage Association and worked as its Secretary for seven years. Started the Hindu Widow's Association in 1896, and the Independent home for Widows in 1899. Started Mahila Vidyalaya for the education of married and unmarried girls in 1907 and combined the Widows' Home and the Mahila Vidyalaya in 1915 so as to have a boarding school for girls and women at Lingne Budruk four miles away from Poona. In 1914 he retired from the service of the Deccan Education Society. At the end of 1915 he presided over the National Social Conference in Bombay at which he announced his scheme of the Indian Women's University. From 1916 up to the present time he is working for the Women's University travelling all over India in the interests of the University doing propaganda work and collecting subscriptions. In the interests of the University he made a tour round the world extending over thirteen months when he was seventy-one and for the same purpose he toured for fourteen months in East and South Africa when he was seventy-three. In June 1932 he was elected Vice-Chancellor of the same University which was named Shreemati Nathibai Damodhar Thackersey Indian Women's University after the mother of the princely donor, the late Sir Vithaldas Damodhar Thackersey, for a term of two years.

Address—Indian Women's University, Poona No. 4.

Kasturbhai Lalbhai, Sheth, Millowner. Born on 22nd Dec. 1894, he was educated at Gujarat College, Ahmedabad. He has been Hon. Secretary Ahmedabad Famine Relief Committee in 1918-19, and Vice-President, Ahmedabad Millowners' Association from 1923-26. As an elected Member of the Legislative Assembly he represented the interests of the Millowners' Association from 1923-26. He was nominated a delegate to the 12th International Labour Conference at Geneva in 1926.

Address—Pankore's Naka, Ahmedabad.

Kay, Sir Joseph Aspiden, Kt., J. P., Managing Director, Messrs W. H. Brady & Co. Ltd., and Member, Council of Imperial Agricultural Research. Born on 20th January, 1884. He was educated at Bolton, Lancashire. He came to India in 1907 and joined the present firm. He has been Managing Director and Chairman of the Board of the several Companies under their management. He was Chairman, of Bombay Millowners' Association, 1921, 1922, and 1935. As Employers' Delegate he attended International Labour Conference in 1923. He was Vice-President, Bombay Chamber

of Commoree in 1925; President in 1926; Vice-President, Indian Central Cotton Committee 1925-26 and 1931-32. He did good work as Chairman Prohibition Finance Committee, Bombay and Back Bay Enquiry Committee, in 1926. He received Knighthood in 1927.

Address—Wilderness Cottage, Nepan Son Road, Bombay.

Kelkar, Narsinha Chintaman, B.A.
LL.B., (1894); Ex-M.L.A.; Trustee, Kesari,



Poona. Born on 24th August 1872, he was educated at Miraj, Kolhapur, and Poona. He started life as a District Court Pleader and continued in that profession till 1896. He then turned his attention to public life where his activities have been many and varied. He edited the "Maharatta" from 1897 to 1919, "Kesari" from 1897 to 1899 and after a break he again took the editorship of the "Kesari" in 1910 and was in charge of it for many years. He presided over the Bombay Provincial Conference in 1920 and went to England in 1919 representing the Congress Deputation and Home Rule League. He was elected a Member of the Legislative Assembly in 1923. As far as his political convictions are concerned he is very nearly a follower of the late Mr. Tilak. As a member of the Legislative Assembly during the six years he has always been a power to be reckoned with. He has, as a journalist, conducted his papers during critical times with great ability maintaining his views. He has also set a high standard in Marathi literature in all his writings. As a member of the Poona City Municipality for a number of years his guidance and advice in the affairs of the City is sought for and it is to his credit that he was the first elected President of the said Municipality. Those who have closely known Mr. Kelkar have always admired his strength of purpose, his wide experience and his strong patriotism; it is therefore no wonder that his services had been requisitioned by the Government as

a delegate to the third Round Table Conference in 1932.

Publications: Several books in Marathi and English; "Case for Indian Home Rule;" "Land marks of Lokmanya's Life" etc., etc.

Address—554, Sadashiv Path, Poona City.

Khan, Sir Shafaat Ahmed, Kt., M. A., Litt. D. (Dublin), University Professor of Modern Indian History, Allahabad University since 1921. Born in February, 1893. Educated at Government High School, Moradabad, Trinity College, Dublin and University of London; First Class Honours in History, 1914; Gold Medalist of Dublin University, 1914; Litt. D., 1918. Became Assistant Professor of Indian Economics, University of Madras, 1919-20; Member, United Provinces Legislative Council from Moradabad, U. P., 1924-30. Gave evidence before the Reforms Enquiry Committee, 1924; the Economic Enquiry Committee in 1925, and other Committees in the United Provinces; President, Provincial Mohammedan Educational Conference, held at Allahabad in 1925 and 1929; Founder of the English Weekly, "The Star," Allahabad Muslim Delegate to Round Table Conferences, 1930-32; Delegate to Joint Select Committee on Constitutional Reforms, 1933; President, All-India Muslim Conference, 1933; Hon. Secretary to Muslim Delegation to Round Table Conference; President, Muslim Youth League, Calcutta, 1931; Bengal Muslim Educational Conference, 1930; All Bengal Muslim Conference, 1931; President, Punjab Muslim Educational Conference and Ajmer Merwara Muslim Educational Conference, 1929; Member, Viceroy's Consultation Committee R.T.O., 1932; President, All-India Modern History Congress held at Poona, 1935.

Publications: "East India Trade in the 17th Century," 1924; "Sources for the History of British India in the 17th Century," 1926; "John Marshall in India, 1668-1672"; "What are the Rights for Muslim Minority in India," 1928; Organizer and Joint Author of the Memorandum of the Muslims on United Provinces to the Indian Statutory Commission, 1928; Founder Editor till 1925, "Journal of Indian History," Allahabad.

Address—25, Stanley Road, Allahabad.

Khan, Abdul Ghaffar, "Leader of Red Shirts", was born in 1891 at Uttamanzai. After receiving early education he was offered Indian Commission in the Army but refused. Took a prominent part in the Anti Rowlatt Act Agitation and joined the Non-Co-operation Movement. Sentenced to three years R. I. Organized Afghan Jirga in 1929 and formed a Red Shirt Volunteer Corps known as "Khudai Khid-Matgars". He was a State Prisoner in Hazari Bagh jail from 1932-34. After release

he was exiled from Punjab and N. W. F. Provinces with his brother in September 1934. Convicted and imprisoned for sedition in January 1935 for two years. Released by the end of 1936.

Khaparde, The Hon'ble Mr. Ganesh Shrikrishna, B.A. (1877), I.L.B. (1884), Advocate and ex-Member, Council of State. Born in 1855. Married Laxmi Bai. Educated in Barar and Bombay. He was extra Asst. Commissioner in Barar from 1885-89; returned to Bar; Vice-Chairman of the local municipality and chairman of the District Board for nearly 17 years. Member of the Viceroy's Legislative Council; Member of the Council of State; re-elected in 1925.

Address—Amraoti, Barar, C. P.

Khaitan, D. P., in charge of Cotton Mills and Insurance Departments of Birla Brothers,



Ltd.; Member Bengal Legislative Assembly; President, Federation of Indian Chambers of Commerce, of Indian National Committee of International Chamber of Commerce, and of Bengal Millowners' Association, Bengal Flying

Club; Director of Kosoram Cotton Mills, Ltd., Jiyajorao Cotton Mills, Ltd., Birla Cotton Spinning and Weaving Mills, Ltd., Bharat Sugar Mills, Ltd., Ganesh Sugar Mills, Ltd., Cotton Agents, Ltd., Central Bank of India Ltd., (Calcutta), and New India Assurance Co. Ltd., (Calcutta). Born at Midnapur, Bengal 14 August 1888. Married 1917, Mrs. Narayani Khaitan; three sons and one daughter. Educated at Presidency College, Calcutta. Graduated in 1906; enrolled as a solicitor, Calcutta High Court, 1911; joined Birla Brothers, Ltd., Calcutta, 1919; President Marwari Trades Association, 1919; Hon. Secretary Marwari Association 1921-23; Commissioner Calcutta Corporation, 1921-24; Member Board of Industries, Bengal, since 1922; Member Bengal Legislative Council, 1922-26; Member E. R. R. Advisory Committee 1924-27; Member of Council of Bonares Hindu University, 1923-27; Treasurer Federation of Indian Chambers of Commerce since 1927; President Indian Chamber of Commerce, 1928, 1930; received King's Commission 1927; Member of Indian Delegation to International Labour Conference, Geneva, 1928; Representative of Employers in Overseas Dominions at Governing Body of International Labour Conference, Geneva, March 1929; Vice-President of Indian National Committee of International Chamber

of Commerce, 1929; President, 1930; Member of Council of International Chamber of Commerce 1929 and 1930, Member E. I. Railway Committee, 1931-33; Member of Central Banking Commission in India, 1929-32; Member Jute Enquiry Committee, 1933; General Secretary (Hon.) of the Servants of Untouchables Society, 1933; Member Bengal Board of Economic Enquiry, 1934; Commissioner of Calcutta Port Trust, 1934-36; represented Indian Industries of Indo-Japanese Trade Agreement and Indo-Lancashire Agreement; Member, Bengal Legislative Assembly, 1937-40. He has travelled extensively in Europe and America. Publication: "Indian Currency Problem" in 1925.

Address—8, Royal Exchange Place, Calcutta.

Kishun Pershad, Raja-i-Rajayan Maharaja Bahadur, Yaminus-Sultanat, Sir, G. O. I. E., Hereditary Peishkar, Prime



Minister from 1901-12 and President of the Executive Council of Hyderabad State from 1926. Now retired. Born on 28th January, 1864. He is the direct descendant of Maharaja Chandoolal, the first Hyderabad Statesman. He was educated at the Nizam's College and then privately in Persian and Arabic. He has married both Hindu and Mohammedan ladies according to the tradition of the House and the Custom of inter-marriages inaugurated by Akbar. Raja Kishun Pershad also called Raja Arjun Kunwar, was born 17th May, 1914. Area of the Jagir 490 sq. miles. Population, 1,23,691. Revenue: Rs. 10,16,008.

Address—Hyderabad (Deccan).

Krishnamachari, Rao Bahadur Sir Vangal Thiruvenkata, Kt. (1933); K.C.I.E. (1936); C.I.E. (1926); B.A., B.L., Dewan of Baroda. Born in 1881, he received his education at the Presidency College and Law College, Madras, and entered Madras Civil Service by a competitive examination in 1903. He married Sri Rangammal. After serving in several districts in the Madras Presidency he joined the Cochin State Service as Chief Revenue Officer from 1908-11, during which period he officiated for some time as Dewan of the State. He soon became Assistant Secretary

Government of Madras, Board of Revenue from 1918-19 and was Under Secretary to Government Special Officer for Southborough Committee, etc. From 1919-22 he was Trustee, Vizainagaram State, and in 1923 he became the Collector of Rannad. While he was Secretary to the Government of Madras, Law Education and other Departments from April 1924 to February 1927, his services were lent to Baroda State where he has been appointed as Dewan, on February 1927. As a delegate to the first Indian Round Table Conference in London; member of the Sub-Committee No. II (Provincial Constitution) of Conferences; member of the Sub-Committee No. VIII (Services); Delegate to the Second Indian Round Table Conference in London, member of the Federal Structure Committee and of the Federal Sub-Committee; a delegate to the third R. T. C., Member of the Federal Finance Sub-Committee of the third R. T. C., he did useful work. He attended as delegate to the joint Parliamentary Committee in 1933. He is a member of the Reserve Bank Committee. He was a delegate on behalf of India to the Assembly of the League of Nations for the first Session held in September, 1934. During the last ten years of his



administration as Dewan, he has proved himself to be a very capable and efficient administrator and statesman of high order.

Address—Baroda.

Krishnan Nair, Dewan Bahadur Sir

M., Retired Member of Council, Madras. Born in 1871. Educated at Alatur (Palghat), Government College, Calicut and Christian College, Madras. Passed B. A. in 1889 with First Class Honours and B.L. in 1893. Enrolled as High Court Vakil in 1894 and practised at Calicut. He was a member of the Calicut Municipal Council for nine years and its chairman for three years. Elected to the Madras Legislative Council for four terms from 1903-10; Member of the Malabar District Agricultural Advisory Council; President, Calicut Agricultural Association; President, District Congress Committee Chief Judge of the Travancore High Court, 1910-14; Dewan of Travancore, 1914-20; Elected to the First, Second and Third Legislative Councils; Law Member of Council, 1928-34. Made Dewan Bahadur in 1915; Knighted in January, 1930.

Address—Palghat.

Kripalani, J. B. Acharya, M.A., Director of the Shri Gandhi Ashram and Working Secretary of the Indian National Congress since 1934. He was a Professor in Bihar from 1912-17 when he joined Mahatma Gandhi in Champaran Satyagraha. Worked as Private Secretary to Pandit Madan Mohan Malviya, 1918; Professor of Politics in Benares Hindu University, 1919. He was in charge of the Gujarat Vidyapith as Acharya from 1922-27.

Address—Shri Gandhi Ashram, Meerut or Swaraj Bhuvan, Allahabad.

Kollengode, Raja Sir, V. Vasudeva Raja Valia Nambidi of.

—Kt. (1925), C.I.E. (1915), F.M.U. (1921); M.L.A., Landholder. Born in October 1873. Married to C. Kalyani Amma, daughter of Mr. K. Rama Menon, Chief Justice of Travancore. Educated at Rajah's High School, Kollengode and Victoria College, Palghat. Senior Member and Manager of the aristocratic family of Vonganad in Malabar; twice nominated as Member of Madras Legislative Council, afterwards elected Member, Madras Legislative Council, representing Landholders; Member, Council of State (1922). Temp. Member, Madras Executive Council, from November 1923 to April 1924. Elected Member of the Legislative Assembly representing Landholders of the Madras Presidency from Sept. 1930 and Leader and President, Landholders' Group in Legislative Assembly; elected member of the Governing Body of the Red Cross Society, Delhi, also Member of the Annamalai University since 1929.

Address—Kollengode, Malabar Dist.

Kumaraswamy Reddiar, The Hon'ble Dewan Bahadur, S., B. A., B. L.

Born on 23rd April 1876, he was educated at Hindu College, Tinnevely, and Presidency and Law Colleges, Madras. He was Municip-

pal Chairman Palamcottah, 1911-21; Vice-President Tinnevely Taluka Board, 1919-20; Additional Public Prosecutor Tinnevely, 1915-20; Secretary War Loan and War Fund Committees, 1914. Served on several Committees appointed by the Government. Government Pleader and Public Prosecutor Tinnevely till Sept. 1926. Elected to the Fourth Madras Legislative Council. Elected President of the Tinnevely District Board for three consecutive terms. Became Minister for Education, Government of Madras, from November, 1930. Provincial Scout Commissioner September, 1931.

Address—Rama Villas, Luz Church Road, Mylapore, Madras.

Kunwar, The Hon. Sir Maharaja

Singh, Kt. C.I.E., M.A., Bar-at-Law; Home Member, Government of U.P. (1935), is the



son of the late Hon'ble Raja Sir Harnam Singh of Kapurthala, who was a Member of the Council of State for a number of years; Hon. Life Secretary of the British Indian Association of Oudh Taluqdars. Born in 1878, he was educated at Harrow and Balliol College, Oxford. He was called to the Bar in 1902. Entered the U.P. Civil Service in 1904 and held several offices both in the Provincial and Central Government. His services were requisitioned by the Jodhpur State in 1931 when he was appointed Chief Minister till 1932, when he was sent by the Government of India to South Africa as Agent, a post he held with distinction. He returned to India in February, 1935. He was created a C.I.E., in 1918 and a Knight in 1938. His reports on the working of Co-operative Credit Societies in 1908 and 1909 and on Indian Emigration to Mauritius and British Guiana and on his Mission to Kenya published in 1928, are considered as authoritative documents on these matters. He is a great administrator and has special knowledge of Indians overseas. He is a great sportsman, having played football and cricket, and won many tennis trophies.

Address—Lucknow.

Kurutkoti, Dr., His Holiness Jagadguru Shree Shankaracharya, of Karveer Peeth (Ph. D.). The Kurutkotis are great landlords enjoying a wide reputation for the same use of all kinds of revenue, and judicial powers that are entrusted to them as the officers of Kurutkoti, a village in Dharwar District. Just after his thread ceremony at the age of eight, he came in contact with His Holiness Shree Shankaracharya of Shringeri Math, the oldest and the famous Math in Southern India (High Priest for Hindus) who stayed in his (Kurutkoti's) house for Chaturmasa



and who was struck by the precocious intellect and enthusiasm for religion of the boy, and encouraged the boy Kurutkoti in his religious studies. Learnt Pranayama and other Yogic practices from Mr. Kulkarni, a teacher in A. V. School at Gadag. While studying in matric class at Government High School, Dharwar, he learnt the news of the triumph of Swami Vivekananda in Chicago. He read with great zest and eagerness, all account of the triumph, the brilliant famous speech, delivered by Vivekananda and settled the goal of his life. He determined to devote his life to the study of the Vedic religion and Philosophy and spread the Vedic religion all over the world. He wrote a letter to his father which is expressive of all his innermost feelings of the time. "Religion and Philosophy are the most neglected of the subjects of study. The common people who have to struggle hard for maintenance cannot afford to study them. People born in rich and opulent conditions are freed by God from all those worries and struggles for existence in

life with the express desire that they should pursue the study of religion and spread it among the people for their good. That should be their goal, the mission of their life." He went to Calcutta and Benares for further studies in Sanskrit. But in spite of his deep studies and wide and extensive

reading of Sanskrit and English religious literature, he remained dissatisfied. His thirst for spiritual experience could not be quenched by any amount of study and discourse. He sought the company of various saints and sages and could find the required satisfaction of the soul in the blessed company of Shree Gondavalekar Maharaj. It was as the result of his great penance and real devotion to God and his Master that Kurutkoti was widely known as Mahabhagawat, a great devotee of God and is even now known in Karnatak only by that name. After the death of his spiritual master, the sprout of philosophy and religion became his life-mission. Took a prominent part in starting the Bhandarkar Oriental Research Institute, Poona, the Research Institute of Philosophy at Amalner, the Sanskrit Academy of India at Bangalore under the auspices of which he edited and published an Anglo-Sanskrit quarterly, patronized by H. H. the Maharaja of Mysore. Travelled all over India and was the first man to persuade the various universities to create degrees in Oriental languages. Also substantially helped Pundit Malaviya in securing funds in Southern India for the Benares Hindu University. Appointed a Member, Moral Education Consultative Committee and an Examiner at M.A., for Zala Vedanta Prize Examination. His lectures on the Gita were accepted by the Oriental University, Washington, as a thesis for the Ph.D. degree, which was conferred upon him.

His zeal and enthusiasm for Vedic religion and the disinterested work he had done for cause of religion were greatly appreciated by the late H. H. the Maharaja of Kolhapur who requested him to accept the most responsible post of Shree Jagadguru Shankaracharya of Karwar Peeth, 1917. "His outlook on life being very comprehensive and his sympathies for all religions being warm, it was for the first time in the history of India, as the editor of the 'Times of India' puts it, that Lord Bishop of Bombay came to Kolhapur to have an interview with His Holiness Shree Shankaracharya of Karwar Peeth, who seemed to represent a harmonious combination of the best in the East and the West". Started Shankaracharya Sominary at the Fergusson College and the Indian Philosophical Association which published the "Indian Philosophical Review" under the joint editorship of Profs. R. D. Ranade and A. G. Widgery. Presided over the Hindu Conference at Allahabad in 1918 when 25,000 people attended and all the great leaders, Malaviya, Nehru, Sapru, Maharaja of Kashimbazaar and Shankaracharyas of Jagannath and Dwaraka Peeths were present and the conference decided to start the Hindu Mahasabha. Also presided over a Home Rule League Meeting at Allahabad. There were frequent conflicts of interests and opinions between H. H. the Maharaja of Kolhapur and His Holiness. The Maharaja maintained that

the church (Math) should be subordinate to the state while His Holiness insisted on their absolute independence of each other, as both of them were equally helpful to each other and to society at large. This difference of opinion on the basic principles led to further clashes, and in order to avoid further disagreements His Holiness left Kolhapur to work at an independent place, and chose Nasik as his headquarters. Toured India and delivered lectures in Vedic Philosophy, Religion and culture and brought about a complete revolution in the religious ideas of the people by re-admitting the converts to the Hindu fold. He actively sympathized with all kinds of social reforms, supported by religion, such as the uplift of the suppressed classes, which were not taken up by the Sanatanists and had been exclusively worked out by the Aryasamajists. He encouraged free discussions on all problems affecting religion, and even admitted the Westerners, like Miss Nancy Miller, to Hinduism. Convened the All-Faiths Conference at Nasik in 1933 whose importance has been recognized by the organizers of the World Fellowship of Faiths.

Address—Panchwati, Nasik.

Laithwaite, John Gilbert, C.I.E. (1935), Private Secretary to Marquess of Linlithgow, Viceroy and Governor-General in India. Educated at Clongowes College and Oxford. His first important appointment was made in 1922, when he became Private Secretary to the Parliamentary Under-Secretary of State for India. The following year he became assistant private Secretary to the Secretary of State. He was personally attached to the Prime Minister during the second session of the Indian Round Table Conference held in London in 1931. He was also Secretary of the Indian Franchise Committee, January 1932. Appointed Private Secretary to the Viceroy in April 1936.

Address—Viceroy's House, New Delhi or Simla.

Lalchand, Navalrai, Advocate and member, Indian Legislative Assembly, was born at Larkhana in 1870. He was a member of Brayno Sind Committee; President All Sind Hindu Conference in 1934; All India Postal and R.M.S. Union (1936) & Sind Advocates, Exam. Committee, (1937); is a member of the Sind Bar Council. Travelled Europe, America, Egypt, Palestine, and Ceylon.

Address—Larkhana, Sind.

Lamond, Sir William, Kt. (1936), Managing Director, Imperial Bank of India. Born on 21st July, 1887. Educated at Harris Academy, Dundee. Married Ethel Speechley. Served with Royal Bank of Scotland for four years and joined the staff of Bank of Bombay in 1907. Appointed as Inspector of Branches, Bombay and later Deputy Chief Inspector of the Central Office. He acted as Deputy Secretary and Treasurer, Bombay for three and a half years and was confirmed in that appointment in 1930. He officiated as Secretary and Treasurer of the Bombay Head Office for eight months in 1932 when he went to London as Manager. He was a member of the Indian Central Banking Enquiry Committee. On his return to India in 1933, he attended the meetings of the Select Committee on the Reserve Bank Bill. Appointed Managing Governor, Imperial Bank of India, 1934, and became Managing Director in 1935.

Address—3, Theatre Road, Calcutta.

Lort-Williams, Hon. Mr. Justice John Rolleston, K.C. (1922), Puisne Judge, High Court, Calcutta. Born on 14th September 1881. Married in 1923. Dorothy Margery Mary, O.C. of Lito Edward Russell, The Hornitigo, Hampstead. Educated at Merchant Taylors and London University; Tancered Student, 1922; Barrister, Lincoln's Inn, 1904; Member, Inner and Middle Temple; Recorder of West Bromwich 1923 and of Walsall, 1924-28; President, Hardwicke Society, 1911; Contested (U) Pembrokehire, 1906 and 1908; Stockport, December, 1910; (Co. U.) M. P. Rotherhithe 1918-1922; (U) 1923; Member of Oxford Circuit. Served six years in Middlesex Imperial Yeomanry. Member of the L.C.C. (Lain-house), 1907-10; Vice-Chairman of Housing Committee; Appointed Judge, Calcutta High Court, 1927.

Address—High Court, Calcutta.

Low, Francis, Editor. "The Times of India," Bombay. Born on 19th November, 1893. Educated at Robert Gordon's College, Aberdeen. Married Margaret Helen Adams. Joined the Staff of "Aberdeen Free Press," in 1911. Served in Great War with Mesopotamian Expeditionary Force; Special Service Officer, Intelligence, G.H.Q., in 1919; gazetted out with rank of Captain in 1920; Chief Reporter, "Aberdeen Free Press," 1920; joined the "Times of India" as Sub-Editor in 1922 and was Assistant Editor from 1927-1932 when he was appointed to the present post.

Address—57/c Warden Road, Bombay.

Mackenzie, The Hon'ble Mr. Duncan George, K.C.I.E. (1937); M.A., C.I.E., I.C.S.,



Resident at Hyderabad, Deccan. Born in 1888, he was educated at Winchester and Barsemore College, Oxford. Joined I.C.S., in 1907 and was appointed in the Political Department till 1918 when he became Assistant Private Secretary to H. E. the Viceroy; Assistant to the Hon'ble the Resident at Hyderabad in 1919; Political Agent to the Southern Rajputana States, 1926; Political Agent at Bhopal 1930; Resident at Jaipur State, 1931-33. Appointed to the present post in 1933.

Address—The Residency, Hyderabad (Deccan.)

Macpherson, The Hon'ble Sir (Thomas) Stewart, Kt. (1933), M.A. (Edin.)



C.I.E. (1922), Bar at Law; Judge of the Patna High Court. Born on 21st August 1876. Married Helen Cameron, M.A. eldest daughter of The Rev. A.B. Cameron D.D., Edinburgh and has five sons and two daughters. Educated at George Watson's College, Edinburgh and

Edinburgh, Edin University and

Trinity College, Oxford. Entered Indian Civil Service, Bengal, in 1899 and served in Bihar and Orissa from 1912; Dist. Magistrate and Collector Settlement Officer; District and Sessions Judge; Superintendent, and Remembrancer of Legal Affairs; Secretary to the Legislative Council; Registrar, Patna High Court and became Judge, Patna High Court, Vice-Chancellor, Patna University 1930-33; Fellow of the Patna University. Publications: "Ranchi District Gazetteer," jointly; "Settlement Report of Porahat."

Address—Patna, India.

Malaviya, Pandit Madan Mohan. was born at Allahabad on 25th December,



1861. Educated at the Dharma Janopadesh Pathshala, Government High School, and Muir Central College, Allahabad. Graduated in 1883 and served as a schoolmaster from 1885-87; Edited "The Indian Union", the "Hindustan," and the "Abhudaya"; Passed I.L.B., in 1892 and enrolled as High Court Pleader, Allahabad, in the same year; Member, Provincial Legislative Council, 1902-12; President, Indian National Congress 1909, 1918, 1932; Member, Imperial Legislative Council, 1910-19; Member, Indian Industrial Commission, 1916-18; President, Sewa Samiti, Prayag; Founder and Vice-Chancellor, Benares Hindu University, since 1919; President, Hindu Maha Sabha, 1923-24; President, Sanatana Dharma Maha Sabha; Member, Legislative Assembly since 1924 and resigned in 1930; attended the second Round Table Conference in London, 1931; Resigned from the Congress Parliamentary Board owing to differences on the question of the Communal Award and formed the Nationalist Party in 1934. President, Hindu Maha Sabha at Poona 1935.

Address—Hindu University, Benares.

Masood, Sir Syed Ross, Nawab Masood Jung Bahadur, Kt. (1933); Barrister-at-Law; Vice-Chancellor, Aligarh Muslim University from 1929. Born in 1889. Educated at M.A.O. College, Aligarh, and New College, Oxford. Joined the Imperial Education Service, and was Headmaster, Patna School, 1913. Senior Professor of History, Ravenshaw College, Cuttack, 1916; Director of Public Instruction, Hyderabad, Deccan, 1916-28. Formerly Fellow of the University of Calcutta; Fellow of the Madras University; Member, Council of the Osmania University; Member, Court of Muslim University, Aligarh; Presi-

dent, All-India Muslim Educational Conference, 1930; President, All-India Educational Conference 1933; Publications: "Japan and its Educational System."

Address—Aligarh, U. P.

Matthai, John, C.I.E., B.A., B.L. (Madras). B. Litt. (Oxon); D.Sc. (Lond.); Director-General of Commercial Intelligence and Statistics. Born on 10th Jan., 1886. Married Achamma John 1921. Educated at Madras Christian College, London School of Economics; Balliol College, Oxford. High Court Vakil, Madras, 1910-14; Officer on special duty, Co-operative Department, Madras, 1918-20; Professor of Economics, Presidency College Madras, 1920-25; Professor of Indian Economics, University of Madras, 1922-25; Member, Madras Legislative Council, 1922-25; Member, Indian Tariff Board 1925-31; President, Tariff Board, Simla, 1931. Director General of Commercial Intelligence and Statistics, 1935. Publications: "Village Government in British India"; "Agricultural Cooperation in India"; "Excise and Liquor Control".

Address—Government of India, New Delhi and Simla.

Maxwell, Reginald Maitland, C. S. I. (1893), M.A., (Oxon), C.I.E., in 1923, I.C.S.,



Home Secretary to the Government of India. Born on 24th August 1882, he was educated at Marlborough and Corpus Christi College, Oxford. He entered the I.C.S., in 1906, and became Collector of Salt Revenue in 1916. He has been Deputy Commissioner of Salt and Excise from 1917-19, and

has acted as Private Secretary to the Governor of Bombay from 1920-21. As Secretary, Retrenchment Committee in 1921-23, as Collector and District Magistrate in 1925, as Secretary to Government of Bombay, General Department in 1928, and as Revenue Officer on special duty in Bardoli Revision Settlement Inquiry from 1928-29 he is known for his general courtesy to all concerned. He was appointed Private Secretary to H. E. Sir Fredrick Sykes, Governor of Bombay in 1929, and later on as Secretary to Government of Bombay, Home Department. He was later appointed as Excise Commissioner, Government of Bombay in 1935.

Address—New Delhi or Simla.

Mathias, The Most Rev. Dr. Louis, Archbishop of Madras. Born in Paris, 1887. His Grace joined the Salesian Society 1903. Doctor in Sacred Theology, and Doctor in Music. During the war served as a soldier and later as a Military Chaplain. Decorated with Croix de Guerre with bar. On return, elected Rector of an apostolic school which he made a model of piety and centre of Salesian



life. A few days later he was chosen Superior of the Assam Mission and was the first Salesian Provincial in India. In 1922 was appointed Perfect Apostolic of Assam. In 1924 he founded the Salesian College, now affiliated to the Calcutta University and which today shelters about 80 clerics, novices, students and theologians. He also established the Don Bosco Industrial School of Shillong, the Agriculture School of Raliang in the Jaintia Hills, the Catholic Orphan Press, Calcutta; Don Bosco Technical School, Gauhati the Agricultural School, Saharanpur, U. P., and many other similar institutes.

During his stay as Provincial, the Salesians developed in the Diocese of Krishnagar (1928), the Archdiocese of Madras, founded institutes in Bombay, Calcutta; took over the Sanctuary of Bendol.

In 1934 the Prefecture of Assam was erected into a diocese, and Dr. L. Mathias was consecrated its first Bishop. On 25th March 1935 was appointed Archbishop of Madras, where he was installed on 20th July, 1935.

Dr. L. Mathias is Grand Officer of the Holy Sepulchre; Commander of the Crown of Italy; and has received the Jubilee medal.

Address—Archbishop's House, Madras.

Metha, The Hon. Sir Hormusji

Maneckji, Kt. (1933), Governor, Reserve Bank; Merchant and Millowner. Born on 1st April 1871. He was educated at Bombay. Beginning life as an Asst. in Bombay Mint in 1888, he joined China Mill Ltd., in 1896 and started his own business. In 1904 he bought the Victoria Mills and, in 1914 the Jubilee Mills, in 1916 the Raja Gokaldas Mills and in 1929 the Gackwar Mills. He was instrumental in organising and establishing the Zenith Life Assurance Co. Ltd., in 1912 and British India General Insurance Co., Ltd., in 1919. He established the Poona Electric Supply Co., Ltd., in 1916; Navsari Electric Co., Ltd., in 1922, Nasik Deolali Electric Supply Co., Ltd., in 1930 and Nadiad Electric Supply Co., Ltd., 1931. Among the other industrial concerns for which he is responsible are Mosara. T. R. Pratt, Bombay Ltd., and M. T. Ltd., in 1919, Uganda Commercial Co., Ltd., in East Africa. Member, Council of State from 1930; Served on the Committee of Bihar and Orissa Separation 1931, Committee on Reserve Bank and Imperial Bank 1933; Delegate, Geneva Conference 1933 and 1934.

Address—Bella Vista, Podder Road, Bombay.

Metha, Sir Menukhai Nanshankar, Kt. (1922), C.S.I., (1919), M.A., LL.B. Born on 22nd July 1868. Educated at Elphinstone College, Bombay. Married first, Harshad Kumari and on her death again Dharmvanta and has four sons and seven daughters. Professor of Logic and Philosophy and Law Lecturer, Baroda College, 1891-99. Private Secretary to H. H. Maharaja Gackwar, 1899-1906; Revenue Minister and First Councillor, 1914-16; Dewan of Baroda, 1916-27; Prime Minister and Chief Councillor, Bikaner State, 1927-34; Member of the Indian Round Table Conference 1930, 1931 and 1932; Member, Consultative Committee 1932; Indian States' delegate to the Joint Parliamentary Committee on Indian Reforms 1933; Attended the World Hygiene Conference, 1933. Publications: "The Hind Rajasthan or Annals of Native States of India"; "Principles of Law of Evidence" (In Gujarati, 8 volumes).

Address—84, Nepan Sea Road, Bombay.

Mehta Sir Chunilal Vijbhucandas

Kt., K.C.S.I., M.A., LL.B., ex-Chancellor, Indian Women's University. Provincial Scout Commissioner. Born on 12th January 1881, he was educated at St. Xavier's College, Bombay. He first came to prominence as Captain of Hindu XI, and was elected to the Bombay Municipal Corporation in 1907 and was Chairman of its Standing Committee in 1912, and was also President of the Corporation in 1916. He was elected to the Bombay Legislative Council by the Corporation in 1916 and to the City Improvement Trust in 1918. He was Chairman of the Indian Merchants' Chamber in 1918 and was elected to the Bombay port Trust in

1920. He became Minister, Bombay Govt. and afterwards Revenue and later Finance Member, 1923-28. He was President of the Indian Merchants' Chamber in 1931. He is a Director of Bombay Steam Navigation Co. Ltd. The New India Assurance Co. Ltd., The Bombay Suburban Electric Supply Co. Ltd., The Bundi Portland Cement Co. Ltd., Bank of India Ltd., Tata Iron and Steel Co., and several other Joint Stock Companies.

Address—42 Ridge Road, Malabar Hill, Bombay.

Metcalf, Herbert Aubrey Francis

B.A. (Oxon), C.S.I. (1933); C.I.E. (1929); M.V.O. (1922); Indian Civil Service (Political Department). Born on 27th September 1883. Married Elinor Joyce Potter. Educated at Charterhouse and Christ Church, Oxford. Served in Punjab 1908-18; entered Political Department, 1918; Asst. Private Secretary to Viceroy, 1914-17; served in N.W.F. P., 1917-23; Councillor to Legation Kabul, 1925-26; served in N.W.F.P., 1926-30; Deputy Secretary to Government of India, 1930-32; Foreign Secretary to Government of India, May 1932.

Address—C/o Foreign and Political Department, New Delhi.

Mieville, Sir Eric Charles, K. C. I. E., (1936); C. S. I. (1933); C. M. G. (1930); Asst. Private Secretary to His Majesty the King.



Born 31st January 1896; son of Charles Ernest Mieville; Married in 1922 Dorothy daughter of G.C.A. Hasloch, Cobham, Surrey. Educated at St. Paul's School. Student Interpreter in

the Far Eastern Consular Service, 1919; Local Vice-Consul, 1921; Private Secretary to successive British Ministers in Peking, 1920-27; Secretary to the Governor-General of Dominion of Canada, 1927-31; Private Secretary to the Viceroy of India, 1931-36; Secretary to Executive Council of Governor-General of India, 1935-36; Private Secretary to H. R. H. the Duke of York in 1936. Recreations: Golf, Tennis, &c. Clubs; Bucks, Thatched House.

Address. London.

Misra, Rao Raja Rai Bahadur Pandit Shyam Behari.

M.A., ex-member Council of State, Adviser-in-Chief, Orcha State, Tikamgarh, C. I., Member of Allahabad University Court and of Benares Hindu University Court, Member and Vice-President, Hindustani Academy, U. P.; Ex-President All-India Hindi Sabit'ya Sammelan, All-India Kanya Kujia Sabha, and President Kanya Kujia Inter-College Committee, Lucknow. Born on 12th August 1873. Married Miss B.D. Bajpai; has two sons and five daughters. Educated at Jubilee High School and Canning College, Lucknow. Entered Executive Branch, U.P. Civil Service, in 1897 as Deputy Collector; was on special duty in 1903, 1908, 1909, 1921 and 1922, in connection with consolidation of agricultural holdings on the last occasion; was Deputy Superintendent and Offg. Superintendent of Police (1906-09); on deputation as Dewan, Chhatarpur State, C. I. (1910-14); Personal Asst. to Ex-Cie Commander, U.P. (1917-20); Deputy Commissioner, Gonda (1920-21) for over a year, besides having twice officiated as Magistrate and Collector of Bulandshahr; Jt. Registrar of Co-operative Societies, (1922-24), and Registrar, from August 1924 to December 1926. Retired as permanent Deputy Commissioner, Unao, U.P., (1928), and became Dewan, Orcha State, in January 1929. Publications: Several standard works in Hindi including the "Mitra-Banda Vinoda" (a textbook for B.A., and M.A., examinations) and the "Hindi Nava Ratna" (textbook in the Degree of Honours Examination).

Address—105, Golegaurj, Lucknow.

Mitter, The Hon. Mr. Justice Dwarakanath,

M.A., D.L.; Ordinary Fellow of the University of Calcutta; Dean of the Faculty of Law 1930-34; Member, Council of State (1924); formerly Advocate, High Court, Calcutta. Born on 29th February 1876. Educated at Presidency College, Calcutta. Married the daughter of Bala Charan Dutt of Calcutta. Joined High Court Bar in 1897; in 1916 elected an ordinary Fellow of Calcutta University for five years and appointed Judge of the Calcutta High Court in November 1926. Publications: "A Thesis on Position of Women in Hindu Law", published by Calcutta University.

Address—12, Theatre Road, Chowringhee, Calcutta.

Mitter, The Hon. Sir Brojendra Lal, Kt., (1928); K.C.S.I., (1932); M.A., B.L., Barrister-at-Law, Member, Bengal Executive Council since 1934. Born in May 1875. Married a daughter of Mr. P. N. Bose late of the Geological Survey and grand-daughter of the late R. C. Dutt, I. C. S. Educated at Presidency College, Calcutta and Lincoln's Inn. He was Formerly Advocate-General of Bengal and Law Member, Govt. of India, 1928-34. Led Indian Delegation to the Assembly of the League of Nations in 1931 and 1933.

Address—5, Ontram Street, Calcutta and Darjeeling.

Mohammad Yakub, Moulvi, Sir, Kt.

(1929); M.L.A., Lawyer. Born on 27th August 1879. Married the late Wahida Begum. Editor of "Tehzebi Niswan," Lahore. Educated at M.A.O. College, Aligarh. Member and Chairman, Moradabad Municipal Board; Member and Senior Vice-Chairman Moradabad District Board; Trustee, M.A.O. College, Aligarh; Member of the Court, Muslim University, Aligarh. Member Legislative Assembly; Member of Age of Consent Committee; Member of the Army Retrenchment Committee; Deputy President and President of Legislative Assembly; Member of Statutory Railway Board Committee, London; Former President and Secretary of All-India Muslim League; President U.P. Muslim League Annual Session Pilibhit; President, Bundhilkhand Muslim Conference; President All-India Palestine Conference, Bombay; and, President, All-India Postmen's Conference, Aligarh.

Address—Mohalla, Mugulpura, Moradabad, U.P.

Mody, Sir Hormasji Peroshaw, M.A., I.L.B., K.B.E., M.J.A., Advocate, Bombay High



Court. Born on 23rd September 1881, he was educated at St. Xavier's College, Bombay. He was a Member of Bombay Municipal Corporation; Chairman of its standing Committee from 1921-22 and President of the same body from 1923-24. His name is well-known as President, Indian Merchants' Cham-

ber, 1928-29, Chairman, Bombay Millowners' Association from 1927 to 1935. Member, Legislative Assembly; Member First R. T. Conference and Reserve Bank Committee. Pres-

dent, Employers' Federation of India, since 1933. He is a Director, Tata Sons Ltd. Knighted in 1935. Joint Signatory to the Indo-Lancashire Textile Agreement, 1933 (Mody-Lees Pact). President, Bombay Branch, of the Indian Statistical Society. Trustee, Sir Dorabji Tata Trust and the Wadia Housing Scheme.

Publications: "The Political Future of India", "Life of Sir Pherozeshah Mehta."

Address—147 Cumbala Hill, Bombay.

Moonje, Balkrishna Shivram, I.M. & S., President, Hindu Mahasabha, Nagpur, C.P.



Born in 1872 at Bilaspur, he was educated at Government High School, Raipur. Hislop College, Nagpur and Grant Medical College, Bombay. Married in 1891 with Miss Krishnabai, daughter of Moroshwarao Pardhi of Sitabdal (two daughters and one son). The family belongs

to Bstul. His father, Shivramant, settled down at Bilaspur after the Bhonsle's territories were annexed to the British territory. Passed I.M. & S. 1898. Served in Bombay Municipality as Plague Medical officer 1898. Went to Boer War as Captain and Civil Surgeon 1900. Returned to India Dec., 1901. Commenced practice at Nagpur 1st January 1901. As an expert eye-specialist, discovered a new method of cataract-operation independently of Dr. Smith I.M.S. of Jullunder and read a paper on it before the Bombay Medical Union, 1902. Attended Indian National Congress as a delegate, 1904; His association with Lokmanya Tilak dates from 1906 during the Shivaji anniversary celebrations at Calcutta. Was one of the Secretaries of first Political Conference at Nagpur 1904. His entry into politics gave a fillip to extremists in the province, who were the disciples of Lokmanya Tilak. Was a leader of the largest Swarajya party in Nagpur Council, 1924. Elected to the Legislative Assembly, 1926. Elected President, Hindu, Mahasabha 1927. Working President of the same till 1933. Attended Round Table Conference, 1930, and 1931. Started Provincial Rifle Association at Nagpur, 1921. Led Hindu Mahasabha Deputation to Joint Parliamentary Committee, 1933. Offered Forest Satyagraha 1930 and was sentenced to one day's imprisonment; second time seven days' imprisonment for satyagraha. Intends to start a Military School at Nagpur. During the Mopla riots, toured Malabar and got 3,000 Moplas (who were forcibly converted to Islamism) reconverted to

Hinduism, 1922. Thanks to the tact of Dr. Moonje, the long-drawn out Hindu-Muslim trouble over the questions of music before mosques was amicably settled with the result that the local Mussalmans gave up all their demands and agreed to the right of Hindus to carry processions with all kinds of music past the mosques throughout day and night at Nagpur. Out of regard for Muslim feelings, Hindus, of their own accord, agreed to stop music before five mosques at Nagpur between 1:00 and 1:30 p.m. which example is the only one of its kind.

Address—Nagpur, C.P.

Moore, W. Arthur, Editor, "The Statesman", Calcutta; Classical scholar of St. John's College, Oxford, 1900-1904; President, Oxford Union Society, 1904. Born in 1880. Married Maud Miloon, daughter of George Maillot. Educated at Campbell College, Belfast and St. John's College, Oxford. Secretary, Balkan Committee, 1904-08, during which time travelled extensively in all the Balkan countries. Special Correspondent of *The Times* for Young Turk Revolution, 1908, and in Albania; special correspondent, 1909, for "Daily Chronicle," "Daily News" and "Manchester Guardian" at siege of Tabriz Persia. Joined foreign and war staff of *The Times*, 1910; Persian Correspondent, 1910-12; Russian Correspondent, 1913; Spain, 1914; Albanian Revolution, 1914; Retreat from Mons and Battle of Marne, 1914; obtained commission in Rifle Brigade; served Dardanelles, 1915; Salonika, 1915-17; General Staff Officer, flying 1918, with military mission (General Sir G. T. Bridges) in Constantinople and the Balkans; Squadron Leader R.A.F., demobilised May 1919; despatches twice; M.B.E. (military), Serbian White Eagle; Greek Order of the Redeemer; Middle-Eastern Correspondent of "The Times," 1919-22, visiting Egypt, Palestine, Syria, Mesopotamia, Persia, Caucasus, India, Afghanistan; M.L.A. (Bengal) 1926-33. Publications: "The Miracle" (By 'Antrim Oriol,' Constable, 1908); "The Orient Express" (Constable 1914).

Address—"The Statesman," Calcutta.

Mukerji, Sir Lal Gopal, B.A. I.L.B. Born on 29th July 1874. Married Shrimati Nalini Devi. Educated at Ghazipur Victoria High School and Muir Central College, Allahabad. Practised at Ghazipur, 1896-1902; Joined Judicial Service of United Provinces, 1902; was Munisiff from 1902-14; Subordinate Judge and District and Sessions Judge from 1914-23; was deputed to Legislative Department of Government of India as an officer on special duty, 1921-22; was appointed to officiate as Judge of High Court in December 1923; was additional Judge of the High Court, 1924-26; was made permanent

Judge in March, 1926; Knighted in June 1932; was appointed to officiate as Chief Justice in July 1932; and again in October 1932. Retired from High Court on 20th July, 1934.

Publication—"Law of Transfer of Property," 1st Edition 1925, (2nd Edition 1931).

Address—Allanabad.

Mylapore, Bishop of.—**Rt. Rev. Charles De Sa Fragoso, D. D.** Born on 28th April, 1876, at Santo Thirso, Oporto, Portugal. Educated at the Grand Seminary of Oporto. Ordained priest in 1898 and was secretary to his predecessor Dr. Castro, present patriarch of the East Indies, from 1900-15; Domestic Prelate to His Holiness from 1930; Consecrated Bishop of Mylapore diocese on 18th January, 1934.

Address—Bishop's House, San Thome Mylapore, Madras.

Naidu, Sarojini Mrs., Fellow of Royal Society of Literature since 1924. Born in



Hyderabad, Deccan, on the 13th February 1879. She was educated at Hyderabad, King's College, London; and Girton College, Cambridge. published 3 Vol. of poetry in English which have been translated into all Indian vernaculars and some of the European languages. Some of the poems have been set to music. She is a fluent orator and her lectures and addresses on questions of social, religious, educational and national progress have earned for her a reputation all over India. She is specially connected with Women's Movements in India, and welfare of Indian students. She was President of the Indian National Congress in 1925. She joined the Non-Co-operation Movement; was imprisoned on 23rd May, 1930 and was unconditionally released on the 26th January 1931; Member, R.F.C. 1931. She was again imprisoned in January 1932.

Address—Golden Threshold, Hyderabad, Deccan.

Natarajan, Kamakshi, B. A., Editor, "The Indian Social Reformer", Bombay. Born on 24th September 1868, he received his early education at St. Peter's High School, Tanjore, Presidency College, Madras, Government College, Kumbakonam and Law College, Madras. Starting life as Head Master of the Aryan High School, Triplicane, Madras, he took to journalism and became Asst. Editor "The Hindu", Madras. He presided over the Madras Provincial Social Conference held at Kurnool in 1911, Bombay Provincial Social Conference held at Bijapur in 1918, Mysore Civic and Social Progress Conferences in 1921 and National Social Conference at Ahmedabad in the same year. He was General Secretary, Indian National Social Conference 1923-24. President, 40th Indian National Social Conference held at Madras in 1927. For over two years he was Editor of the "Indian Daily Mail." Author of very many publications including a reply to Miss Katherine Mayo's "Mother India".

Address—"The Indian Social Reformer" Office, Fort, Bombay. Or "Kamakshi House", Bandra, Bombay.

Natesan, The Hon'ble Mr. G. A., B. A., Ex-Member of the Council of State; Editor,

"The Indian Review," Head of G. A. Natesan & Co., Madras, has made his mark in the public life of India as journalist, publicist and politician. Born on the 25th August 1873 in an obscure village in the Tanjore District, he was educated at High School, Kumbakonam; St. Joseph's School, Triplicane; H. H. School, Triplicane;



Presidency College, Madras. Graduated from the Madras University in 1897. From the very beginning he showed great interest in public affairs. He was Fellow of the Madras University and Commissioner, Madras Corporation. He was an ardent congressman in the early years of that institution, and belongs to the School of Dadabhai, Mehta, and Gokhale. He joined the Moderate Conference in 1919. As a Liberal he organized the Madras Liberal League of which he was secretary for several years and was elected Joint Secretary of the National Liberal Federation for the second time at its session at Madras, 1929. He represented the Madras University at the Universities' Conference met in Simla, 1924, and at Delhi, 1929. Nominated to the Council of State in 1924 and was re-nominated in 1931. He visited Canada on Empire Parliamentary Delegation, 1928. He was appointed Chairman, Retrenchment

Committee for Stores, Stationery, and Printing. Appointed member of the Indian Tariff Board, September, 1933. He was presented with a public address in Madras in his 61st birthday, August 24th, 1933. Publications: "Partiotic literature and Speeches of Public men"; "What India Wants"; "Autonomy within the Empire"; "Satyagraha in South Africa".

Address—"Mangala Vilas", Luz, Mylapore, Madras.

Nariman, K. F., B. A., LL. B., M. L. A., Advocate Bombay; Mayor, Bombay Corporation



(1935); President Bombay Provincial Congress Committee and a Member, Working Committee, Indian National Congress. Member of the Municipal Corporation and Improvement Trusts. For some time Member, Legislative Council and leader of Congress Swaraj Party in the Bombay Council; also leader of the Congress Nationalist Party in Municipal Corporation. Successfully fought the famous Harvey-Nariman case when after a long and protracted trial he was acquitted of the charge of defamation. In the course of the trial he thoroughly exposed several frauds and scandals of the Development Department. Since 1929, Elected President of the Bombay Provincial Congress Committee and as such led the Civil Disobedience movements in Bombay, being the first to commit a Salt Satyagraha; imprisoned four times in the course of both movements. Elected member of the All-India Congress Committee and later on in 1930 also of the Working Committee of the Congress. Since the movement in 1930, he has suspended practice and has devoted himself to Congress and Nationalist work, taking prominent and leading part in all civic and public activities in the City of Bombay, at the same time participating in many All-India Congress and Nationalist activities in the country. In 1928 he started Youth Leagues in the Bombay Presidency, being elected first President of Bombay Presidency Youth League and later on these Youth organ-

isations spread in the country and in 1929 was elected President of All-India Youth Conference at Calcutta. Since his release in October 1933, he has re-started his Congress and Civic activities in Bombay being re-elected unopposed to the Municipal Corporation in a bye-election and is at present engaged in Congress re-organisation work. Shortly after his release, he published a book called "Whither Congress" dealing with Congress policy and programme, attempting to divest Congress politics from religious tinge and spiritualism. The book was favourably reviewed and widely circulated all over India. Address—Roadymoney Terrace, New Worli, Bombay.

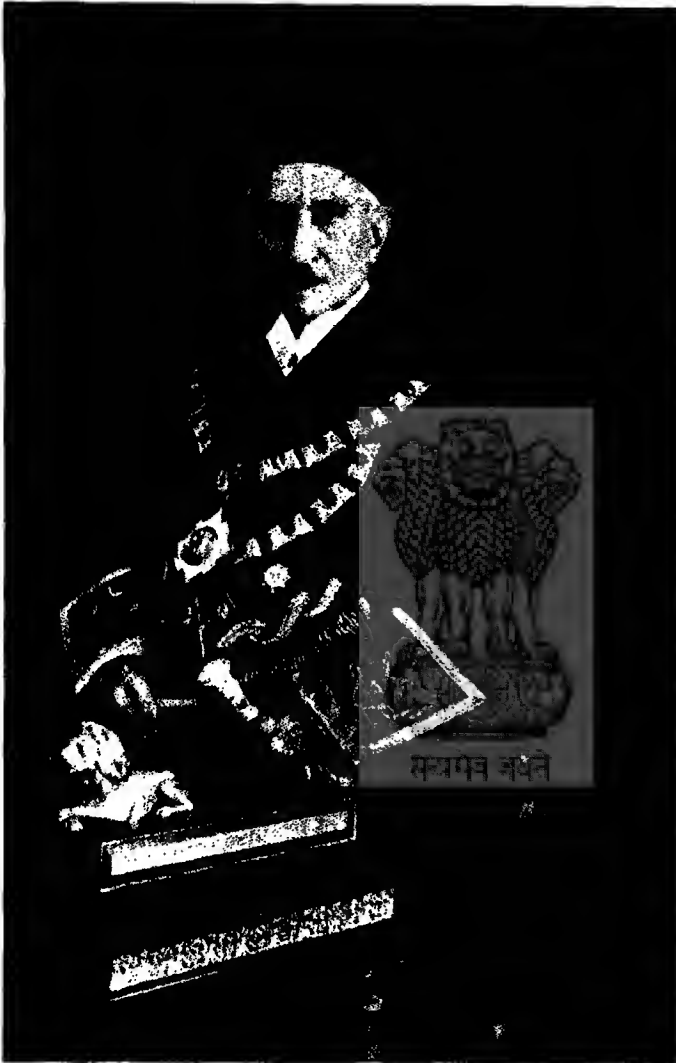
Nawaz, Begam Shah, is the daughter of the late Sir Muhammad Shaffi, K.C.S.I. Born on the 7th of April, 1896. Educated at Queen Mary's College, Lahore. Married in 1911, Mian Shah Nawaz, Barrister, Lahore. Entered public service at a very early age when still in purdah. At her instance, the All-India Muslim Women's Conference passed resolution against polygamy, 1917. Gave



up purdah in 1920 and since then actively engaged in educational and social reform matters; Member of several important hospital and maternity and welfare committees, Member of the Punjab Board of Film Censors since 1926; first Muslim woman to represent her sex in All-India Muslim League Council of the All-India Muslim League; Vice-President of Provincial Executive Committee and Member, All-India General Committee of the Red Cross Society, Punjab, at Delhi, 1927; first woman to be elected as Vice-President of the 42nd Social Reform Conference, Lahore, 1929; acted as her father's Hon. Secretary when he attended as a delegate to the Imperial Conference, London, 1930; Woman delegate to the Indian Round Table Conference (1930-32); Presided at the Central Punjab Women's Conference, 1933, and Delhi Women's Conference, 1934; Delegate to the Third Round Table Conference, 1933, and Member, Indian Delegation, Joint Select Committee, 1934. Invited by the League of Nations as collaborator 1932; Member, Lahore Municipal Committee since 1932; Delegate to League of Nations Advisory Commissions for protection and Welfare of Children, 1935; Member, Board of Education Punjab. Publications, "Husan Hara Bogum" in Urdu; several pamphlets on educational and social matters; regular contributor to various women's journals in India.

Address—Iqbal Manzil, Lahore.

Nariman, Sir Temulji Bhicaji, Kt., M.R.C.P., (Edinb.), Hon. Causa, Chief Physician Parsi Lying-in-Hospital, President, College of Physicians and Surgeons. Born on 3rd September 1848,



at Navsari, he was educated at Elphinstone College, Grant Medical College, Bombay. Married in 1852 to Lady Soonabai, daughter of Dastur Hormusjee Meherji Rana of Navsari and has two sons and two daughters. He was elected a Fellow of Bombay University in 1888; J.P., in 1889 a Syndic in Medicine in 1891, and Dean in Faculty of Medicine from 1901-02. He was a Member of Bombay Legislative Council in 1909, Provincial Advisory Committee in 1910; Bombay Medical Council in 1913 and Bombay Municipal Corporation for more than 15 years. He has been Sheriff of Bombay from 1922-23. He is the Grand Old man of Freemasonry this side and is the first Indian to be elected to the high office of Grand Master, a tribute both to himself and to the

Parsi community to which he belongs.

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Nehru, Pandit Jawaharlal, M. A., Bar-at-Law; President, Indian National Congress.



Born in 1889. Educated at Harrow School and Trinity College, Cambridge; Bar-at-Law (Inner Temple), Advocate, High Court Allahabad; Secretary, Home Rule League, Allahabad, 1918; Member, All-India Congress Committee since 1918; Imprisoned in 1921 and 1922. General Secretary, All-India Congress Committee, 1929; President, Indian National Congress, Lahore, 1929-30; imprisoned for leading Salt Satyagraha in April 1930, and released in January 1931; again imprisoned in 1932 for C. D.

movement; released and again imprisoned in 1934 and released in 1935 owing to wife's illness. Has travelled in Russia and extensively in Europe. Elected President Indian National Congress, Lucknow in April 1936; Elected a third time as President, Indian National Congress at Faizpur in 1936.

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Noon, The Hon. Malik Sir Firoz Khan, Kt., M.A. (Oxon), Bar-at Law. Born



on 7th May, 1893. He was educated at Aitchison & Chiefs College, Lahore, Wadham College, Oxford and Inner Temple, London. Passed B.A., 1916; M.A., 1920. Married in 1914 Lady Alan Mutton Noon. Advocate of the Lahore High Court, and elected Member of the Punjab Legislative Council 1921. Appointed

Minister for the Local Self-Government Medical and Public Health in 1927 and Education Minister from October 1930. Was created Knight in January 1933. Chairman of Punjab Branch, Indian Red Cross Society and St. John Ambulance Association. Appointed High Commissioner for India in London since 1936.

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Norris, Roland Victor, D. Sc. (Lond), M. Sc. (Manch), F.I.C., Director, Tea Research Institute of Ceylon. Born on 24th October 1897. Educated at Ripon Government School and Manchester University. Research Assistant, Manchester University, 1909; Research Scholar, Lister Institute, 1910-11; Baill Memorial Fellow, 1911-13; Physiological Chemist, Imperial Bacteriological Laboratory, Muktesar, U.P., 1914; War service, 1914-18; Ind. A.S., Agricultural Chemist to Madras Government 1918-24; Prof. of Bio-Chemistry, Industrial Institute of Science, Bangalore, 1924-29.

Publications: Numerous Scientific Papers.

Address—St. Coombe, Talawakelle, Ceylon.

Ogilvie, The Hon. Lt. Col. George Drummond, K.C.I.E. (1886), C.S.I. (1932),



C.I.E. (1925); Agent to the Governor-General in Rajputana. Born on 18th February 1882. Married Lorna Roma, daughter of the late T. Roma Esq., J.P., of Charlton House, Charlton Kings, Gloucestershire. Educated at Cheltenham College, and R.M.C., Sandhurst. Entered Indian Army in 1900; Appointed Indian

Political Department, 1905; Assistant Secretary Government of India Army Department, 1915; Major, 1915; Lieut.-Col., 1926; Dy. Secretary, Government of India, Foreign and Political Department, 1919; Offg. Political Secretary Government of India, 1923. President, Council of State, Jaipur, 1925; Resident in Mewar, Rajputana, 1925-27; Secretary, Indian States Committee, 1927-29; Resident in Kashmir, 1929-31; Agent to the Governor-General in Central India, 1931-33.

Address—Mount Abu, Rajputana.

Pakenham-Walsh, Ernest, B.A. (Dublin). Puisne Judge, Madras High Court. Retired 1935. Born on 19th June 1875. Educated at Birkenhead School and Trinity College, Dublin. Passed I.C.S. in 1898 and came to India in 1899. Served in various Districts of Madras Presidency on the Executive and Judicial side. Appointed District Judge, 1919 and Special Judge, Malabar Tribunal, 1922-23; Acted Judge, High Court, Madras, 1928-29; 1931 and 1932. Permanent Judge, High Court, Madras, since 4th July 1932.

Address—Kynghsme, Warren Road, Guildford.

Pakenham-Walsh, Rt. Rev. Herbert, D.D. (Dub.), Principal, Bishop's College, Calcutta. Born on 22nd March 1871. Educated at Chard Grammar School, Birkenhead School, and Trinity College, Dublin. Ordained Deacon in 1896 and worked as a Member of the Dublin University Brotherhood, Chota Nagpur, India, 1896-1903. Ordained as Priest in 1902 and was appointed Principal, S.P.G. College, Trichinopoly, 1904-07; Head of the S.P.G. Brotherhood, Trichinopoly; Warden, Bishop Cotton School, Bangalore, 1907-14; Bishop of Assam, 1915-22.

Publications: "St. Francis of Assisi" and other poems; "Nisbeth", "Altar and Table"

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(S.P.C.K.); Evolution and Christianity" (C.I.S.); "Commentary on St. John's Ep." (S.P.C.K.), etc.

Address—Bishop's House, 224, Lower Circular Road, Calcutta.

Pandalai, The Hon'ble Mr. Justice K. Krishnan, B.A., B.L., Bar-at-Law, I.L.D. (Lond.) 1914; Judge, High Court, Madras (retired). Born in April 1874. Married J. Narayani Amma. Educated at Mavalikara, Trivandrum and Madras. Practised law in the State of Travancore from 1896 to 1911. Proceeded to England and was called to the Bar in 1912. Judge, High Court, Travancore, 1913-14; awarded I.L.D. by London University for thesis on Malabar Law. Practised at Madras 1914-19; appointed Judge, Small Cause Court, 1919; Chief Presidency Magistrate, 1924; Judge, High Court, 1928. Publications: Editor of Series of Science "Primers in Malayalam"; author of "Primer on Chemistry"; author of "Succession and Partition in Malabar Law".

Address—Lanark Hall, Rudall's Road, Vepery, Madras.

Pannirselvam, The Hon'ble Rao Bahadur A.T., Bar-at-Law, Ex-Hon. Member, Government of Madras. Born on 1st June 1888, he was educated at St. Joseph's College, Trichinopoly, Gray's Inn, London, and Peter House, Cambridge. Was appointed Government Pleader and Public Prosecutor, Tanjore; was President, Secondary Education Board, Tanjore; Chairman, Municipal Council, 1918-20; President, Educational Council, 1922-24 and President, District Board Tanjore, 1924-30. Created Rao Bahadur in 1928. Member of The Round Table Conference. Member, Legislative Council since 1930.

Address—"Solva Vilas", Tanjore.

Parkinson, Joseph Earnest, I.M.S., Educational Commissioner with the Govern-

ment of India. Born in 1884. On joining the Indian Educational service in 1913, he was appointed Vice-Principal of the C. T. College, Lahore. After holding various appointments in the service, he returned to the College as Principal in 1926. He officiated as Director of Public Instruction and



Under-Secretary to the Punjab Government

in 1933 and again in 1935. Throughout his career, he has taken the greatest general interest in educational problems. One of his particular lines of study has been rural education and in this connection he has also published a book.

Address—Simla or New Delhi.

Paranjpye, Raghunath Purshottam, M.A., (Cantab); B.Sc., (Bom.); D.Sc. (Cal-



cutta); Vice-Chancellor, Lucknow University. Son of Purushottam Keshav Paranjpye; Married Sahai Joshi (died 1931); One daughter (Miss Shakuntala B.A., B.Sc.). Born on 16th February 1876 at Mirdi, Ratnagiri District. He was educated at Maratha High School, Bombay, Fergusson College, Poona, St. John's College, Cambridge, Paris and Gottingen. He stood first in all University Examinations in India and went to England for further studies as Government of India Scholar. He was bracketed Senior Wrangler at Cambridge in 1899 and was made Fellow of St. John's College. He was appointed Principal and Professor of Mathematics, Fergusson College, Poona, 1902-24. He has taken a conspicuous part in all social, political and educational movements. He is an Hon. Associate of the Rationalist Press Association. He was Vice-Chancellor of Indian Women's University, 1916-20. He was nominated a member of Bombay Legislative Council, 1913-15. He represented the University of Bombay in the Legislative Council, 1916-23 and 26. He was awarded the Kaiser-i-Hind Gold Medal in 1916. He was Minister of Education, Bombay Government, 1921-23 and Minister of Forests and Exotic in 1927. As a member of the Reforms Inquiry Committee in 1924, Auxiliary and Territorial Force Committee in 1924 and Indian Taxation Inquiry Committee 1924-25, he has done useful work. He represented India at the Intl. Labour Conference 1927-30, and was

a member of the Governing Body of the International Educational Cinematograph Institute at Rome, 1928-31. He was a member of India Council, 1927-32.

Publications—"Short Lives of Gokhale and Karve," "The Crux of the Indian Problem."

Address—Fergusson College Road, Poona, or Lucknow University.

Parlakimidi, Raja of, Sir Krishna Chandra Gajapathi Narayana Deo,



Raja (Por) 1918; Raja (Hereditary) 1922. Born on 26th April 1892, he was educated at Raja's College, Parlakimidi and Nowington College, Madras. Was Recruiting Officer during the Great War, Mado Hony. Second Lieutenant of His Majesty's

Indian Land Forces, 1918, and was promoted to the rank of Captain. Was a Member of the Royal Agricultural Commission and a Member of The Round Table Conference. Maintains a second grade college, two girls schools, a Sanskrit college and other educational and charitable institutions. He was appointed Chief Minister, Orissa Govt. in April 1937.

Address—Parlakimidi, Ganjam Dist.

Parmanand Bhai, M.A. (Punjab University), Member, Legislative Assembly and Arya Samaj Leader, is one of the leaders of Hindu Mahasabha; Life member of D. A. V. College. He visited South Africa as Arya Samaj missionary and was bound down for three years. He visited British Colonies in North America. He was sentenced to death in 1915 in connection with First Ghadar Conspiracy, but the sentence was later on commuted to one of transportation for life. He was a prisoner in the Andamans till 1920. Went on Ilungur Strike for two months and was released. He then became the Chancellor of Punjab Vidyalaya and a leader of Hindu Sangathan Movement.

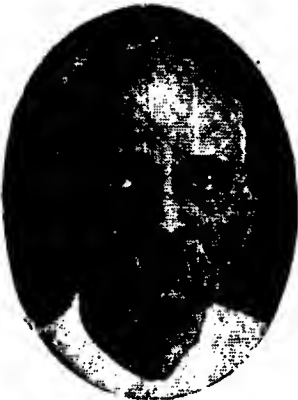
Address—Lahore.

Patro, Rao Bahadur, Sir A. P., Kt., B.A., B.L., is a landholder and one of the leaders of the Ganjam Bar, and has been a successful administrator of local and municipal institutions for over twenty five years. Sat on the Committee for the revision of the District Municipalities and Local Board Bills. He visited

Great Britain and the Continent in 1918 to study local and municipal institutions and their financial resources, and the organization of vocational education. Takes a keen interest in the development of agriculture and in the scheme of setting up co-partnership in land cultivation. Has made a special study of the economic condition of agriculturists and ryots. He is an old Congressman. Has been responsible for the Madras University Reorganization, 1928 Act, and Andhra University Act. He was Minister for Education, P.W.D. and Excise, Govt. of Madras, 1921-26; Chairman of the Local Council Committee to co-operate with Indian Statutory Commission; President, S.L. Liberal Federation, Madras in 1926; President, Ganjam District People's Association; Chairman of the All Parties Conference, elected at Delhi, Feb., 1930. Elected President and Leader of the All-India Committee of the Justice Non-Brahmin Movement in 1931. Delegate to the League of Nations, 1931, representing India. Was Delegate to the Round Table Conference in 1931 and 1932. He was a Member of the Consultative Committee presided over by H. H. the Viceroy. He was a Member of the Indian Delegation to the Joint Parliamentary Committee on Indian Reforms, 1933. Publications: "Studies in Local Self-Government, Education and Sanitation", and "Rural Economics."

Address—"Holloway Garden," Pantheon Road, Egmore, Madras.

Patel, Vallabhbhai Jhaverbhai, Bar-at-Law. Born of a Patidar family at Karamsad



near Nadiad; matriculated from the Nadiad High School. Passed District Pleaders' Examination and began practice on the criminal side at Godhra; went to England and was called to the Bar at Middle Temple. On return from England started practising in Ahmedabad. Entered public life in 1916 as an associate of Mr. M. K. Gandhi, who had established

his Satyagraha Ashram at Ahmedabad. Came into prominence as a Satyagraha leader first at Kaira and then in the Nagpur National Flag agitation and elsewhere, and in the Bardoli no-tax campaign. On suspension of Non-Co-operation Movement and incarceration of Mr. Gandhi, joined Ahmedabad Municipality for the first time and became its President, 1927-28. President, Indian National Congress, 1931. Sentenced several times in the C. D. Movement and was detained in jail under Regulation III of 1918. Released in July 1934.

Address—Bhadra, Ahmedabad.

Pochkanawala, Sir Sorabji Nusserwanji, Kt. Managing Director, Central Bank



of India, Ltd., was born on 9th August 1881. He completed his education at New High School and St. Xavier's College, Bombay. He had a very humble start in life and it is through sheer merit and integrity, that he has reached the position he now occupies. He gathered experience in banking work by joining the Chartered Bank of India, Australia and China and later on the Bank of India. He is to a great extent responsible for the founding of the Central Bank of India, Ltd., with the late Sir Phirozeshah M. Mehta as its first Chairman. He was made Certified Associate of the Institute of Bankers (London) in 1910 and was appointed Member of the Government Securities Rehabilitation Committee by the Government of India in 1921. He takes a keen interest in the agricultural

and industrial developmet of the country. Appointed Chairman of the Ceylon Banking Commission, set up by the Government of Ceylon to formulate proposals for the establishment of a state Bank for Ceylon and to inquire into other banking and financial questions concerning the Island in 1932. Appointed Chairman of the Committee of Banking and Commercial experts set up by the U.P. Government to look into the question of financial aid to Industries, 1934-35. He married Bai Sakarbai Ruttonji.

Address—"Buona Vista," Marine Parade, Worli, Bombay.

Pattani, Sir Prabhashankar Dalpatram, K.C.I.E., President, Council of State, Bhavanagar; Ex-President of the Council of Administration, Bhavanagar State and Member Council of State. Born in 1862, he has had his education at Morvi, Rajkot and Bombay. He was a member of the Executive Council of the Government of Bombay from 1912-15; Member of the Bombay Legislative Council in 1916 and of the Imperial Legislative Council in 1917. He was also a member of The Council of India from 1917-19. He attended as Delegate to the Assembly of the League of Nations at Geneva in 1932. He has the best qualities of a statesman and has never been found wanting. His love of his country is strikingly illustrated by his devoted service, which he has continued to an age when many men would have sought the ease of retirement. Throughout his career he has always been distinguished for his rare modesty. He was a delegate to the third Round Table Conference.

Address—Anantwadi, Bhavanagar.

Prasad Kunwar, Jagdish, C.S.I., C.I.E., O.B.E., Member, Governor General's Executive Council, has had a remarkable career. He received his education at Allahabad and Lincoln College, Oxford. Passed I.C.S. in 1902. He joined the U.P. Government as Special Reforms Officer and later on became Judicial and Educational Secretary. He was appointed the Chief Secretary, being the first Indian to hold this post. He became the Home Member of the U.P. Government and was one of the outstanding figures in the Council. He is the best speaker and debator on the official bench. He joined the Viceroy's Executive Council from April 1935. He is a fine sportsman, cricketer, and tennis player of repute.

Address—New Delhi and Simla.

Purshotamdas Thakurdas, Sir Kt. (1923); C.I.E., (1919); M.B.E. Cotton Mer.



chant. Born on 30th May 1879, he received his education in the Elphinstone College, Bombay. As a cotton merchant, he soon came to prominence and became President of the East India Cotton Association. Sheriff of Bombay in 1920. He was a member of Lord Lucan's Retrenchment committee and the Royal Commission on Indian Currency and Finance (1925). He has kept somewhat aloof from the hurly-burly of modern politics though he never fails to speak out his mind when occasion demands it. He was a delegate to the Round Table Conference 1930-33; President, East India Cotton Association and Director Reserve Bank.

Address—11, Ridge Road, Malabar Hill, Bombay.

Rau, Sir Raghavendra, M.A. (Madras University); Financial Commissioner of Railways. b. 24th May 1889. m. Satyabhama Rau. Educ. Kundapur High School, Mangalore Government College and Madras Christian College. Entered the Indian Audit and Accounts Service in 1912 as the result of a competitive examination. After serving in various Accounts Offices, entered the Government of India Secretariat Finance Department in 1921. After five years during which he was Under Secretary and Deputy Secretary in that Department and was attached to the Lee

Commission as an assistant secretary on the financial side, joined the Railway Department in 1926. Became Director of Finance in 1928, and officiated as Financial Commissioner of Railways for the first time in 1929 and was appointed substantively to that post in 1932. Knighted February 1937.

Address—Railway Board Government of India, Delhi and Simla.

Raghavendra Rao, The Hon. E., Bar-at-Law; First Prime Minister of the Central



Provinces and Berar. Educated at Bilaspur and England, he started his practice in Bilaspur. Joined the Congress movement and was President of the Provincial Congress Committee. He was elected to the C. P. Legislative Council in 1924.

Was Leader of the Swarjya Party and became Minister, C. P. Government twice. He was appointed Home Member in 1930. He was Governor of the Province during Sir Hyde Gowan's absence on leave. Re-elected to the Central Provinces and Berar Legislative Assembly in 1933 and was appointed as the Chief Minister on 1st April 1937.

Address—Secretariat, Nagpur, C.P.

Radhakrishnan, Sir S., Kt., M.A., D.Litt. (Hon.), I.E.S., Spalding



Professor of Eastern Relations and Ethics at Oxford. King George V, Professor of Philosophy and President, Post Graduate Council in Arts, Calcutta University; Member of the International Committee on Intellectual co-operation. Born on 5th Sept. 1888. Educated at the Madras Christian College; was

for some time Professor of Philosophy, Presidency College, Madras; Mysore University Upton Lecturer in Comparative Religion Manchester College, Oxford Hibbert Lecturer, 1929-30. Vice-Chancellor, Andhra University, Waltair.

Publications: "Philosophy of Rabindranath Tagore"; "The Reign of Religion in Contemporary Philosophy"; "Indian Philosophy in the Library of Philosophy"; "Philosophy of the Upanishads"; "The Hindu View of Life"; "The Religion we need"; "Kalki, or the Future of Encyclopaedia Britannica"; "An Idealist View of Civilization"; "East and West in Religion"; "An Idealist View of Life"; article on "Indian Philosophy" in Encyclopaedia Britannica, and several others on Philosophy and Religion in Mind, "International Journal of Ethics," "Hibbert Journal", etc.

Address—Oxford, London.

Rahim, The Hon. Sir Abdur, M. A., (1919). K.C.S.I. (1924.), President, Legislative



Assembly. Born in September, 1867. Married Nisar Fatima Begum. Has three sons—Mr. Z.A. Rahim (B. A. Oxon; Bar-at-Law & Advocate, Calcutta High Court; Mr. J. A. Rahim I. C. S., Sub-Collector, Berhampore, Madras; Mr. S.A. Rahim, student and a daughter Mrs. A. I. Majid (wife of Captain A.I. Majid, 4/19 Hyderabad

Regiment, Benares). Educated at Government High School, Madnapore, Presidency College, Calcutta. Called to the Bar (Middle Temple), 1890; practised as Advocate, Calcutta; Presidency Magistrate, Calcutta, 1900-03; Puisne Judge, Madras High Court, (1908-20); Fellow, Madras University since 1908; Member, of the R. Commission on Public Services, 1913-15; officiated as Chief Justice, Madras, July to October 1910 and July to October 1919. Member, Executive Council, Government of Bengal, 1920-25; Member, Bengal Legislative Council, 1925-29; Leader of the Bengal Muslim Party; Minister on two occasions for short periods; Member, Legislative Assembly 1931; Leader of the Independent Party in the Assembly from 1931; Leader of the "Opposition" in the Assembly, 1933-34; Member of the Joint Parliamentary Committee in England, April to December 1933; leader of the Indian Delegation to the Empire Parliamentary Associations Conference in England, May 1935. Publications: "Principles of Mahommedan Jurisprudence".

Address—217, Lower Circular Road, Calcutta.

Raja, Rao Bahadur, M.C., M. L. A. Born in 1883, he was educated at Madras Christian College. Became a School Master in 1906. As Secretary to the All-India Adi-Dravidi Maha Jana Sabha and a Member of a Madras Labour Advisory Board and Madras Soldiers' Board, he has done very useful work. Nominated Member, Madras Legislative Council. Hon. Presidency Magistrate: Member of the Senate, Madras University and a Member of the Secondary School Board and the Chingleput District Board. Gave evidence before the Royal Commission. Was elected to the Central Advisory Committee to the Simon Commission; presided over the All-India Depressed Classes Leaders' Conference in 1926; and over the All-India Depressed Classes Conference in 1928, 1931 and 1932; has been elected President of the All-India Depressed Classes Association. Member of the Provincial and All-India Servants of the Untouchables Society. Gave evidence before the Indian Franchise Committee in 1934. Elected Vice-President of the All-India Hindu Maha Sabha, and President of the All-India Postal and Telegraph Administration Officers Association; took a leading part in the Poona Settlement on behalf of the Depressed Classes in 1932. Led a deputation of the leaders of the Depressed Classes of India before The Viceroy in 1933. Appointed Special Hon'y. Presidency Magistrate for the city of Madras in 1932. He is a Member of All-India Public Accounts Committee and Standing Committee for Emigration of the Legislative Assembly. Secretary of the Centre Party of the Legislative Assembly and Secretary of the Film Group of the Central Legislature. Was a Member of the Indian Central Committee. Publications: "The Oppressed Hindus," "King George", etc.

Address—"L'Allegro", St. Thomas' Mount, Madras.

Rajagopalachariar, C. B. A., B. L., Vakil. High Court Madras. Elected Member,



Madras Legislative Assembly (University Constituency), 1937. Born in 1879, he was educated at Central College, Bangalore, Presidency College and Law College, Madras. Joined Bar in 1900 and practised at Salem. Chairman, Salem Municipality, 1917-19; Joined Non-Co-operation Movement in 1920 and was

imprisoned in 1921; Edited "Young India" during Mr. Gandhi's imprisonment; Secretary

Indian National Congress, 1921-22; Member Council of the All-India Spinners' Association; Secretary, Prohibition League of India; Director, Dakshina Bharat Hindi Prachar Sabha; sentenced to 21 months' imprisonment and released as a preliminary to the Gandhi-Irwin Settlement; imprisoned again under the Ordinances; released on 6th July, 1932; President, Indian National Congress after the conviction of Dr. Kitchlew; took prominent part in the Yeravada settlement of the Depressed Classes Issue in 1932; imprisoned once again in the Civil Disobedience Campaign on 7th August, 1933; released on 6th February 1934; Member, All-India Working Committee of Indian National Congress; was President, Tamil Nadu Congress Committee; Founded Gandhi Ashram at Tiruchengode, Salem.

Address—Tiruchengode, Salem District.

Rajendra Prasad, M.A., M.J., President, Indian National Congress, Bombay (1934).



Born in 1884 in a village of Chapra, he was educated at Presidency College, Calcutta. Married Srimati Rajhansi Devi in 1898. After a brief career as Professor, University Law College, Calcutta, 1914-16, he entered the profession of law and soon became the leader of the Patna Bar. Member, Senate

of Patna University, since its foundation; resigned in pursuance of Non-Co-operation Resolution; Secretary, Bihar Provincial Congress Committee; President, Bihar Provincial Conference, 1920. Registrar "Bihar Vidyapith"; founded Patna Law Weekly; Chairman, reception Committee, Gaya Congress, 1922; jailed twice, 1930 and 1932 during Civil Disobedience Movement.

Address—Patna.

Raman, Sir Chandrasekhara Venkata, Kt., M.A., Hon. Ph.D. (Frieberg), Hon. LL.D. (Glasgow and Bombay), Hon. D. Sc. (Calcutta, Bonarès, Dacca, Madras & Paris), F. R. S.; Noble Prize winner for Physics, (1930); Director, Indian Institute of Science, Bangalore. Born on 7th November, 1880. Educated at A. V. N. College, Vizagapatam and Presidency College, Madras. Married Lokasundarammal. Enrolled Officer, Indian Finance Dept. 1907-17; Palit Prof., Calcutta University 1917-33; Hon. Secretary, Indian Association for the

Cultivation of Science, 1913-33; British Association Lecturer (Toronto) 1924; Research Associate, California Institute of Technology, 1924; President, Indian Science Congress, 1928; Matteucci Medalist, Roma, 1929; Hughes Medalist of the Royal Society (1930); Fellow of the Institute of Physics, Asiatic Society of Bengal, Honorary Member Indian Math. Society, Indian Chemical Society, and Patna Medical Association; Hon. Fellow, Zurich Phys. Society and Royal Phil. Society, Glasgow. President, Indian Academy of Sciences held at Bombay in December 1935.

Publications: "Experimental Investigations on Vibrations"; "Theory of Bowed Instruments"; "Molecular Diffraction of Light"; "Music Instruments"; "X-ray Studies"; and numerous scientific papers in the Indian Journal of Physics which was established by him and in British and American Journals.

Address—Indian Institute of Science, Bangalore.

Ramaswami Aiyar, Sachivothama Sir C. P., K.C.L.E. (1925), C.I.E., (1923),



Dewan of Travancore since 1936; Fellow of the Madras University. Son of late Mr. C. R. Pattabhirama Iyer, Vakil, and afterwards Judge of the City Civil Court, Madras. Born on 12th November, 1879. Educated at Wesleyan High School. Presidency College and Law College, Madras. Married Sithammal, granddaughter of C. V. Ranganatha Sastri, the first Indian Judge in Madras and has three sons. Joined the Madras Bar in 1903 and enrolled specially as an Advocate in 1923;

Fellow of the Madras University 1912; Member of the Madras Corporation 1911; served on many committees; Member of the Indian National Congress and was its All-India Secretary 1917-18; Madras Delegate to Delhi War Conference; Trustee of Pachayappa's College Trusts, 1914-1919; gave evidence before the Southborough Commission on Indian Reforms and the Madras Committee on Finance; also before Montagu and Lord Chelmsford; gave evidence in London before the Joint Parliamentary Committee on Indian Reforms, 1919; University Member of the Legislative Council, Madras, 1919; Member of the Committee to frame rules under Reform Act, 1919; Member of Legislative Council under Reformed Constitution for Madras, 1920; engaged from 1910 in almost all heavy trials in Madras; one of the Indian Representatives in the Assembly of the League of Nations at Geneva, 1926 and 1927; Rapporteur to the League of Nations Committee on Public Health 1927; Law Member of Madras Government from 1923-28; Vice-President of the Executive Council 1924; Initiated the Mettur Irrigation Project and Pykara Hydro-Electric Scheme; Resigned Membership of the Madras Government, March 1928 and rejoined the Bar. Delivered the Sri Krishna Rajendra University Lecture at Mysore, 1928; represented the State of Cochin before the Butler Enquiry Committee, 1928; Delegate to the Indian Round Table Conference and Member of the Federal Structure Committee, 1930; Member of the Council of State, 1930; Sometime Member of Legislative Assembly; sometime Law Member to the Government of India; delivered Delhi University Convocation Address, 1931; Tagore Law Lecturer, Calcutta University, 1932; Member Commerce and Railways Department, Government of India, 1932; member, Consultative Committee of the Round Table Conference, 1932; Chairman of Committee appointed by the Chamber of Princes to consider the White Paper, 1933; member of the Joint Select Committee of Parliament, 1933; delegate to the World Economic Conference, 1933; drafted a new constitution for Kashmir, 1934. Constitutional and Legal Adviser to His Highness the Maharaja of Travancore from 1931-1936; was Member, Wheeler Committee.

Publications:—Various pamphlets and articles on Financial and Literary topics. Clubs: National Liberal Club, London; Royal Automobile Club, London; Cosmopolitan Club, Madras.

Address—Bhakthi Vilas, Trivandrum.

Ramaswami Mudaliar, Diwan Bahadur Sir A., Was an elected member, First and second Madras Legislative Councils and Council Secretary for the first term of the Reformed Council; member, Non-Brahmin Deputation in connection with the Montford

Scheme of Reforms and gave evidence before the joint committee in 1919; was president of the first All-India Non-Brahmin Conference held in Belgum; was hon. editor of "Justice" for several years; was elected president of the Madras Corporation in 1928 and re-elected in 1929; member, Council of State, 1930; member, First, Second and Third Round Table Conferences held in London; member, Age of Consent Committee, Francoise Committee and Army retrenchment Committee; associated with many public bodies in the city of Madras. Knighted in 1937.

Address—"Chamundi Villa," Laudor's Gate Street, Vepery, Madras.

Ram Sarn Das, The Hon'ble Rai Bahadur. Lala, C. I. E., Kaiser-i-Hind Gold Medal (1914); Member, Council of State; Mill Owner, Landlord, Zemindar and Contractor. Born 30th November 1876. Educated at Government College, Lahore. Was Member, Punjab Legislative Council; Member elected to the Council of State since its inception representing Punjab Non-Mahommedan constituency and one of its Chairmen, President Sanatan Dharma College; Managing Committee; President, Sanatan Dharma Pratidinhi Sabha, Punjab; Chairman, Central Bank of India, Ltd. Advisory Committee for Punjab Branches; Ex-President, Northern India Chamber of Commerce; Director, Trans-Continental Airways Ltd., British India Corporation, Cawnpore; Director Punjab Matches Ltd.; Chairman, Board of Directors, Sunlight Insurance Co., of India Ltd.; Delegate to the Committee on Reserve Bank of India held in London, 1933.

Address—1, Egerton Road, Lahore.

Ramunni Menon, Diwan Bahadur, Sir Konkoth, Kt. (1933), M. A. (Cant.), Member, Council of State. He belongs to the well-known Konkoth House of Trichur, Cochin State. Born at Trichur on 14th September 1872. Married V. K. Kalliani Amma, of Trichur and has two sons and one daughter. Educated at Maharajah's College, Ernakulam, Presidency College, Madras and Christ's College (Scholar), Cambridge. Entered the Madras Educational Department in 1898; Professor of Zoology, 1910; retired, 1927. Connected with the Madras University since 1912; Life Member of the Senate; nominated to the Madras Legislative Council on two occasions; represented the Madras University at the Congress of the Universities of the Empire at Edinburgh, 1931; Chairman, Inter-University Board, 1932-33; Vice-Chancellor, Madras University, 1928-34.

Address—Vepery, Madras.

Ranchhodlal, Sir Chinubhai Madhowlal, 2nd Baronet (1913), is the son of 1st

Baronet and Sulochana, daughter of Chunilal Khushalrai. In 1916 he succeeded his father who was the first member of a Hindu community to receive a Baronetcy. Born on 18th April, 1906. Married in 1924 Tanumati, daughter of Javerilal Bulakhiram Mehta of Ahmedabad. Heir, son, Udayan, born on 25th July, 1929.

Address—Shantikunj, Shahibag, Ahmedabad.

Ray, Sir Profulla Chandra, Kt., C.I.E., D.Sc. (Edin.), Ph. D. (Cal.), Palit Professor

of Chemistry, University College of Science, Calcutta. Born in 1861. Educated at Calcutta and Edinburgh Universities. Graduated at Edinburgh; D. Sc. 1887; Hon. Ph. D., Calcutta University, 1908; Hon. D. Sc., Durham University, 1912. President, National Council of Education, Indian Chemical Society.



Founder and Director, Bengal Chemical and Pharmaceutical Works, Ltd.

Address—College of Science, Calcutta.

Raza Ali, Sir, Syed, Kt. (1935); C.B.E., B.A. LL. B. (Allahabad University); Agent of the Government of India in South Africa. Born on the 29th of April 1882. Married to daughter of his mother's first cousin. Educated at Government High School, Moradabad and Mahomedan College, Aligarh. Started practice at Moradabad in 1908 and was a radical in politics; returned to U.P. Legislative Council, 1912; took prominent part in Cawnpore Mosque agitation; elected Trustee of Aligarh College; gave evidence before Idington Commission and Southborough Committee; returned unopposed to U.P. Council in 1916 and 1920; was one of those responsible for introducing separate Moslem representation in Municipal Boards in U.P.; took active part in negotiating the Congress League compact in 1916; same year settled at Allahabad; identified himself with the Swaraj and Khilafat movements but strongly differing from non-co-operation programme; became independent in politics in 1920; member of Council of State 1921-26; elected member of Delhi University Court; was member of North West Inquiry Committee and signed majority report; headed two deputations of Moslem members of Indian Legislature to Viceroy in 1922 and 1923 in connection with Turkish question; gave non-party

evidence before Reformers Inquiry Committee in 1924; President, All India Moslem League, Bombay Session, December 1924; Member, Government of India's Deputation to South Africa (1925-26); Substitute Delegate, Government of India's delegation to Assembly of League of Nations, Geneva 1929.

Publications:—"Essays on Moslem Questions" (1912); "My Impressions of Soviet Russia" (1930).

Address—Durban; South Africa.

Reilly, Lieut. Colonel Sir Bernard Bawdon, K.C.M.G. (1934), C.I.E. (1926), O.B.E. (1918), Chief Commissioner, Resident and Commander-in-Chief, Aden. Born on 25th March, 1882. Educated at Bedford School. Joined Indian Army, 1902; entered Political Department, 1908; served in India and Aden in various appointments. Officialised as Political Resident, Aden, 1925 and 1926, and as Resident and Commander-in-Chief, Aden, in 1930 and 1931. Appointed as Resident and Commander-in-Chief in March 1931 and as Chief Commissioner, Aden, in April 1932. Appointed as his Majesty's Commissioner and Plenipotentiary to his Majesty the King of the Yemen in December 1933 and concluded a treaty with the Yemen in February 1934.

Address—The Residence, Aden.

Roy, Dr. Bidhan Chandra, M.D., M.B.C.P., F.R.C.S., a leading physician of Calcutta and a staunch Congressman. He took a leading part in the Non-Co-operation movement and helped the late D. Das in organising the Swarajya Party in Bengal. Took part in the Civil Disobedience movement of 1930 and 32. He was the first secretary of the Congress Parliamentary Board. He was elected Mayor of Calcutta in 1933.

Address—Calcutta.

Russel, Sir Guthrie, Kt. (1932), B.Sc., A.M. Inst. C.E., M. Inst. E. (India), J.P., Chief Commissioner of Railways; Hon. Col., N.W. Railway Regiment; Member of the Council of State. Is the son of the Rev. John and Mrs. Russell, Lochwinnoch, Scotland. Born on 19th Jan. 1887. Married Florence Hoggie, daughter of the late Rev. Peter and Mrs. Anton Kilsyth, Scotland. Educated at Glasgow Academy and Glasgow University; graduated B.Sc. in 1907. Served Engineering apprenticeship with Messrs. Niven and Haddin, Civil Engineers, Glasgow, in 1907-10; and then joined the staff of the North British Railway. Appointed Asst. Engineer, Great Indian Peninsula Railway, 1913; Resident Engineer, 1910; Asst. Secre-

tary to the Agent, 1920; Deputy Agent Junior, 1922; Controller of Stores, 1923; services lent to the Oudh and Rohilkhand Railway, 1925; Deputy Agent Senior, 1925; appointed offg. Agent, Great Indian Peninsula Railway, 1926; confirmed as Agent 1927; appointed Member Engineering, Railway Board 1928; Chief Commissioner of Railway, 1929; President of the Institution of Engineers (India), 1933-34.

Address—Government of India, Simla and Delhi.

Saklatvala, Sir Nowroji Bapuji, Kt. (1933), C.I.E. (1923), J.P., Chairman, Tata Sons, Ltd. Born on 10th Sept. 1875. Married Coolbai, daughter of Mr. Hormasji S. Badliwala. Educated at St. Xavier's College. Chairman, Bombay Millowners' Association 1916; Employers' Delegate from India to the International Labour Conference, Geneva, 1921; Member, Legislative Assembly representing Bombay Millowners' Association, 1922.

Address—Bombay House, Fort, Bombay.

Sapru, Rt. Hon. Sir Tej Bahadur, K.C.S.I. (1923), P.C., M.A., LL.D. Born on 8th Dec. 1875.



Educated at Agra College, Agra, Advocate, High Court, Allahabad, 1896-1926; Member U.P. Legislative Council 1913-16; Member, Imperial Legislative Council, 1916-20; Member, Lord Southborough's Functions Committee, 1918-19; Member of Moderate Deputation

appeared as a witness before Lord Selborn's Committee in London, 1919; Member, All-India Congress Committee 1906-17; President, U. P. Social Conference, 1913; U. P. Political Conference 1914; U. P. Liberal League, 1918-20; Fellow, Allahabad University, 1910-20; Member, Benares Hindu University Court and Senate and Syndicate; Law Member of the Governor General's Executive Council (retired 1922); Member of the Imperial Conference in London 1923; presided over the All-India Liberal Federation, Poona, 1923; Member of the Reforms Enquiry Committee, 1924. Member, Round Table Conference, 1930-32 and Joint Parliamentary Committee, 1933. Joint author with Mr. M. R. Jayakar of Memorandum to J.P.C. in Reforms in 1934. Publications: Has contributed frequently to the press on political, social and legal topics; edited the Allahabad Law Journal, 1904-17.

Address—19, Albert Road, Allahabad.

Sarkar, Sir Jadunath, Kt. C. I.E., M. A. (English Gold Medal), Hon. Member of Royal Asiatic Society of Great Britain (1923); Member of the Indian Hist. Record Comm. Sir James Campbell Gold Medalist (Beni. Br. R.A.S.); Premchand Roychand Scholar (Mount Gold Medal); Vice-Chancellor, Calcutta University 1926-28; Indian Educational Service (ret.) Born on 10th. December 1870. Married Kadambini Chaudhuri. Educated at Presidency College, Calcutta. Some time Univ. Professor of Modern Indian History, Hindu University of Benares 1917-19; Sir W. Meyer Lecturer, Madras University 1928; Reader in Indian History, Patna University 1920-22 and 1932; Member Legislative Council, Bengal 1929-32. Publications: "India of Aurangzeb"; "Statistics, Topography and Roads" (1901); "History of Aurangzeb" 5 Vols. "Shivaji and His Times" etc.

Address—Auckland Road, Darjeeling.

Sassoon, Sir (Ellice) Victor, 3rd Baronet, 1909, son of 2nd Baronet and Leontine, daughter of A. Levy. Born on 30th December 1881, he was educated at Harrow, Trinity College, Cambridge. He is Chairman, Messrs. E. D. Sassoon & Co. Ltd., and has evinced great interest in the welfare of a number of public institutions. Late Captain R. A. F. He was a member, Legislative Assembly 1922-23 and again 1926-29; Member of the Royal Commission for investigation of labour conditions in India 1926. His interests in racing and other sports are well known. He invariably leads the list of winners in Western India Races. Within the last few years he has changed the venue of his commercial activities to Shanghai though he still retains his interests in Bombay.

Address—Bombay.

Sastri, The Rt. Hon'ble V. S. Srinivasa, P. G., 1921., G. II. (1930). Vice-Chan-



cellor, Annamalai University. Born on 22nd September 1869, he was educated at Kumbakonam, South India. He started life as a humble school master in Madras, but the late Mr. Gokhale soon found out the hidden greatness of the man and took him as a member of the Servants of India Society in 1907. He succeeded Mr. Gokhale as first member in 1915. His public activities may be summarised thus:—Member, Madras Legislative Council 1913-16; elected member Imperial Legislative Council 1916-20; closely associated with Mr. Montagu during his tour in India 1918; member, Southborough Committee; witness joint Parliamentary Committee, Indian Reforms Bill, 1919; member, Indian Railway Committee; represented India at the Imperial Conference, 1921, at the League of Nations and at the Washington Conference in the same year. He was appointed Privy Counsellor and received the Freedom of the City of London in 1921 and was chosen as the first High Commissioner of India in South Africa 1927-29. Member, Royal Commission on Labour, 1929; Member, Round Table conference, 1930, 1931, 1932 and of Joint Parliamentary Committee, 1933. He was deputed in November 1936 with Mr. G. S. Bozman, as adviser to study the conditions of Indian Labour in Malaya. His exhaustive knowledge on political, financial, and industrial questions and his masterly way of presenting facts and figures in the choicest language have secured for him a reputation all over the Empire.

Address—Servants of India Society, Bombay (or) Poona.

Saunders, The Right Rev. Charles John Godfrey, M.A. Bishop of Lucknow. Born on 15th February 1888. Married Mildred Robinson Hebblethwaite; one son

and two daughters. Educated at Merchant Taylors' School, London; Scholar of St. John's College, Oxford, Cuddason College, Oxon. Deacon 1911; Priest 1912. Diocese of Lucknow; S. P. C. Mission Cawnpore 1911-16; Indian Ecclesiastical Establishment, Chaplain at Roorkee, 1917; Cawnpore, 1917-18; Chakrata, 1921; Staff Chaplain, Army Headquarters India, 1921-24; Metropolitan Chaplain, Calcutta, 1925-28; Bishop of Lucknow 1928.

Address—Bishop's Lodge, Allahabad.

Setalvad, Sir Chimanlal Harilal, K.C.I.F., (1924); LL.D., Advocate, High Court,



Bombay. Born in July 1866, he received his education at the Elphinstone College Bombay. He began life as a Pleader and then as an Advocate of the High Court of Bombay. His legal knowledge and his powers of cross-examination soon brought him to the front in the legal profession in which he has a strong lead. He began taking active part in public life from his early days and the following have been some of his chief activities in this direction: member of the Southborough Reform Committee, 1918 and Hunter Committee 1919. He was appointed additional Judge, Bombay High Court in 1920 and was member of the Executive Council of the Governor of Bombay 1921-23 and Vice-Chancellor of the Bombay University 1917-1929. President, All-India Insurance Companies, 1935. In politics, he belongs to the Liberal Party.

Address—Setalvad Road, Malabar Hill, Bombay.

Shaukat Ali, Maulana, M.L.A., was born on 10th March 1873 at Rampur State. He was educated at the M. A. O. College, Aligarh. He worked in the Government

Opium Department for 17 years. He was Secretary and Organizer, Aligarh Old Boys' Association; Trustee, M.A.O. College. Organised collection of funds for Aligarh University. He was interned during the Great War. Prominent leader of the Khilafat Movement, 1919-20, and of Non-Co-operation Movement; Secretary, Central Khilafat Committee; Founder and Secretary, Kkuddam-I-Kaaba Society. Appointed member, Round Table Conference to represent Muslims; travelled in Muslim lands and helped in organizing the World Muslim Conference; visited Egypt, Palestine, Syria, Iraq, Zeman and Hejaz. Invited to America, to deliver lectures about India and Islam in 1933.

Address—"Khilafat House", Love Lane, Bombay.

Sethna, The Hon'ble Sir Phiroze Cursetjee, Kt., B.A., J.P., O.B.E. Member,



Council of State, was born on 8th October 1866. He was General Manager for India, Sun Life Assurance Company, of Canada. Member, Indian Merchants' Chamber and Bombay Municipal Corporation of which he was once the President. He is Chairman of the Central Bank of India Ltd. He has also played

an important part in national and international affairs as well as in the Commercial and industrial development of Bombay City.

Address—Ridge Road, Malabar Hill, Bombay.

Singh, Jogendra, The Hon'ble Sir, Minister for Agriculture, Punjab Government. Born 25th May 1877, he was educated at home. He was a member, Sugar and Sandhurst Committees; served in Patiala state for more than two years; Editor, "East and West." Publications: "Nurjehan", "Kamla".

Address—1, Bromhead Road, Lahore.

Sikandar Hyat Khan, The Hon. Captain, Sirdar Sir, K.B.E. (1938), M.B.E. (1920), Premier, Punjab Government. Born on 5th June 1892. Educated at M. A. O. College, Aligarh, and University College London. During War was recruiting officer; commission in 2-67th Punjabis (now 1/2nd Punjabis); served on N.W.F. and in the 3rd Afghan War. Appointed to Brigade Head-

quarters Staff; was the first Indian to command a company on active service; returned to the Punjab Legislative Council by landholders constituency; non-official Member of Police Enquiry Committee 1926; Personal Assistant to Mela Officer during Prince of Wales' visit; elected by the Punjab Council to the Provincial Simon Committee which elected him as its Chairman; was connected with the Boards of eleven Companies including Messrs. Owen Roberts, the Punjab Portland Cement Co., Wah Stone and Lime Company, North India Constructional Engineers and the Frontier Mining Syndicate; appointed Revenue Member, Punjab Govt., 1929, for three months and became permanent Revenue Member in 1930; appointed to act as Governor, July to October, 1932; was again appointed to act as Governor, 15th Feb. to 9th June, 1934. Representative of the Reserve Bank of India in London.

Address—51 Lower Mall, Lahore, Wah. (District Campbellpore).

Sinha, Sachchidananda, Bar-at-Law., Patna.—First elected Deputy President, Indian Legislative Assembly; First Indian Finance Member of the Government of Bihar and Orissa, 1921-26; Vice-Chancellor of the Patna University, 1936. Born, 10th Nov. 1871. Educated at the Patna College and City College, Calcutta, and called to the Bar (Middle Temple) 1893; Advocate, Calcutta High Court, 1893; Allahabad High Court, 1896; Patna High Court, 1916. Founded and edited "The Hindustan Review" from 1899 till 1920, and resumed the editorship in 1926. Twice elected member, the Imperial Legislative Council; elected member, the Indian Legislative Assembly, 1920; also elected its first Deputy President February 1921. Established and endowed in 1924 the Srinati Radhika Institute, in memory of his wife, which contains, besides the largest public hall in India, the Sachchidananda Sinha Library, a splendid collection of classical and current works in English. Visited England in 1927. Became Managing Editor of "The Indian Nation", Patna, in 1931. Appeared before the Joint Parliamentary Committee in 1933. Convocation lecture at the Lucknow University, 1935. Vice-Chancellor, Patna University, 1936.

Publications:—"The Partition of Bengal or the Separation of Bihar"; "Speeches and Writings", etc.

Address—Patna, Bihar.

Sircar, Sir Nripendra Nath, K. C. S. I. Cr. 1936, Kt. 1931, M.A., B.L., Law Member



of the Executive Council of the Governor-General of India, since 1934; son of Nagindra Nath Sircar; grandson of Peary Churn Sircar, one of the pioneers of English education in India. Married Nabanalini Basu, only daughter of Durgadas Basu; eight sons. Educated at Presidency College, Calcutta,

Lincoln's Inn. Practised at Bhagalpur in Bihar as Pleader since 1897; Member, Subordinate Judicial Service, 1902-05; Advocate-General of Bengal, 1928-34; Delegate to Third Round Table Conference and Joint Parliamentary Committee on Indian Reforms; First Honoursman in Bar Final Michaelmas Term, 1907; Honours in Mathematics; Physics and Chemistry in B.A., M.A. in Chemistry; Holder of Foundation Scholarship, Presidency College. Recreations: Travelling. Clubs: Calcutta, Imperial Gymkhana Club and Chemsford Club, New Delhi.

Address—Law Dept., Simla, India; 36-1, Elgin Road, Calcutta.

Sivaswami Ayyar, Sir P. S., K. C. S. I. (1915); C.S.I. (1912); C.I.E., (1908), Retired Member, Executive Council, Madras. Born on the 7th February, 1864. Educated at the S.P.G. College, Tanjore, Government College, Kumbakonam and Presidency College, Madras. High Court Vakil, 1885; Assistant Professor, Law College, Madras, 1893-99; Joint Editor, Madras Law Journal, 1893-07; first Indian Representative of the University of Madras in the Madras Legislative Council, 1904-07; Advocate General, 1907; Member of Executive Council, Madras, 1912-17; Vice-Chancellor, University of Madras, 1916-18; Vice-Chancellor of Benares Hindu University, 1918-19; Elected to the Indian Legislative Assembly by the districts of Tanjore and Trichinopoly, 1920; President of the Second and Ninth Sessions of the National Liberal Federation at Calcutta, 1919; and Akola, 1926. Member of the Indian Delegation at the Third Session of the Assembly of the League of Nations at Geneva 1922; Nominated Member of the Indian Legislative Assembly, 1924.

Publications: "Indian Constitutional Problems" (1928).

Address—Sudharma, Edward Elliot Road, Mylapore, Madras.

Smith, Sir Osborne Arkell, Kt., (1928); K.C.S.I., (1937); K.C.I.E., (1932); Lately Governor of the Reserve Bank of India. Born on 26th Dec. 1877.

His banking career started in Australia in the Bank of New South Wales, and after several years in that institution he joined the Commonwealth Bank of Australia in 1913 as Manager of the Canberra Branch. His ability soon placed him in the van of those marked out for promotion and in 1923 he was transferred to London where, becoming Manager of the Bank there, he gained an insight into the working of the City money market. His financial acumen was soon recognised. In 1926 when the proposal to set up a Central Bank in India was mooted, Sir Osborne's name was put forward as being the man best qualified for the post. He came to India in 1926 as Managing Governor-Designate of the Imperial Bank and after a few months was officially appointed Managing Governor. In 1929, Sir Osborne became senior Managing Governor of the Bank, a post which he retained until his appointment as first Governor of the Reserve Bank as from January 1st, 1935. Sir Osborne tendered his resignation in October last, which was accepted with regret by the Government of India.

Sri Prakash, B.A., (All.), I.L.B., (Cantab.), Bar-at-Law, M.L.A. Born on August 3rd, 1890. He received his education at Benares and Cambridge. Served as professor of history, Hindu University (1914-17) and then on the editorial staff of "The Leader," Allahabad (1917-18) and subsequently was Assistant Editor "The Independent" in 1919. He founded the Hindi paper "Aj" in Benares with the help of Shri Shivaprasad Gupta in 1921 and was its Editor for some time. He took a prominent part in the Non-Co operation Movement of 1921 and the Civil Disobedience Movement of 1930 and 1932 during which period he suffered imprisonment twice. Has been Professor and Vice-Principal Kashi Vidyapith since its foundation in 1921. Was appointed General Secretary of the Indian National Congress at the Lahore Congress, 1929. Was a member, All-India Congress Committee 1918-36, President of the U.P. Committee 1934 and the U.P. Provincial Congress Committee. He presided over the U.P. Provincial Political Conference (1934) and the Karnataka Provincial Political Conference in 1935. Elected member of the Indian Deputation Assembly, 1936.

Address—Sevastnana, Benares City.

Srivastava, The Hon. Sir Jawala Prasad, Kt., (1934), D. Sc. (Agra), D. Litt.



(Luck.), M.Sc. Tech. (Vict.), A.M.S.T., A.I.C., M.L.C., Minister of Education and Agriculture, U.P., Rais and Landlord, Bansi Dist. Basti U.P. Born on 16th August 1889. Married on 2nd February 1907, Kailash daughter of the late Munshi Mahadeo Prasad (Retired Deputy Collector,

Jampur). Educated at Christ Church College, Cawnpore, and Muir Central College, Allahabad. Proceeded in 1908 to England as Govt. of India State Technical Scholar; joined Manchester College of Technology and obtained degree of M.Sc., Tech. in 1911; won several distinctions; travelled extensively in Europe; returned to India in April 1912 and took up appointment as Industrial Chemist under U.P. Govt. During the War, served in the Indian Defence Force and did a great deal of work for the Indian Munitions Board; in 1919 gave up Government Service and took to private business; acquired interest in several concerns including the Cawnpore Dyeing and Cloth Printing Co. Ltd., The New Victoria Mills Co Ltd., and The Indian Turpentine and Rosin Co. Ltd., for the control of which he is still responsible. Was elected unopposed to the U.P. Legislative Council in 1926 by the Upper India Chamber of Commerce and was re-elected in 1930. Served as Chairman, U.P. Simon Committee in 1928 and for three years as Hony. Chairman Cawnpore Improvement Trust, appointed Minister of Education, U.P. on the 7th February 1931; acquired the "Pioneer Newspaper" in 1932 and established it as an organ of landholders and business community. Awarded honorary degree of D.Sc. by Agra University Novr. 1936, & Hon. degree of D. Litt. by Lucknow University in Decr. 1936.

Address—Secretariat, United Provinces Government, Lucknow.

Stone, The Hon'ble Mr. Justice Sir Gilbert, Kt., Bar-at-Law, Chief Justice Nagpur High Court. Born in 1886, he was educated at Caius College, Cambridge, and was called to the Bar from Lincoln's Inn, in 1911. He practised at the common Bar and later on did a considerable amount of work on the Chancery side and in the Admiralty Courts. He was away from the Bar from 1915-20 when he was appointed Secretary of the Coal

Industry Commission. On his return to the Bar, he was made legal Adviser to the Imperial Institute. He contested various Parliamentary Constituencies during the period of Coalition on behalf of it and afterwards on behalf of National Liberals, in 1922-23 and in 1924. He was a member of Mr. Lloyd George's Coal and Power Committee and a draughtsman with Mr. Phillip Kerr and Mr. Ramsay Muir of part of the Committee's report. He was largely responsible for the setting up of the Weir Committee which led to the institution of the Grid system of distributing electricity. He has published fifteen volumes on Mining Law in the British Empire. He was also Editor of "Porter on Insurance" and of the workmen's compensation section of county courts' practice. He is also the author of several historical publications including "Rents Restriction Acts" and a case book on Insurance. He takes a keen interest in politics and industrial developments. He was appointed Puisne Judge of the Madras High Court in 1930. Knighted in Jan'y, 1936. Appointed Chief Justice, Nagpur High Court in 1936.

Address—High Court, Nagpur.

Stewart, The Hon'ble Thomas Alexander, K.C.I.E. (1937); C.S.I. (1935);



I. C. S., Member of the Governor-General's Executive Council in charge of Industries and Labour Dept. Entered the I.C.S. in 1911 and served in the United Provinces until he went on military service in 1918. He was Assistant Collector, Imperial Customs Service, Deputy Rice

Commissioner, Rice Commissioner and Collector of Customs, Raigoon for four years from 1919. He was also Collector of Customs, Madras in 1925; and in Bombay 1928, when he became Collector of Salt Revenue, Bombay. He was appointed additional Secretary, Commerce Department, Government of India in 1932 and officiated as Secretary in the following year. He joined the present appointment on 8th April, 1937.

Address—New Delhi or Simla.

Sulaiman, The Hon'ble Sir Shah Muhammad, Kt. (1929); M. A. (Cantab);



L.L.D., (Dublin and Aligarh), Bar-at-law; Judge of the Federal Court of India from October 1937. Born in 1886. After a brilliant college career at Allahabad he went to Cambridge where he took Mathematical Tripos, Part II, in 1909, and Law Tripos in 1910. He was called to the Bar in the latter

year. Sir S.M. Sulaiman joined the Allahabad High Court in 1912, and became an acting Judge at the age of thirty-four in 1920. Later he became a Puisne Judge and permanent Chief Justice after 1932. He was Vice-Chancellor, Aligarh Muslim University in 1929-30.

Address—11, Edmonston Road, Allahabad.

Surve, Rao Bahadur Dadasaheb Appasaheb, Prime Minister of Kolhapur.



Born on 7th Feb. 1903, he was educated at Baldwin High School, Bangalore. He joined the Kolhapur State Service in February 1922 and became Chief Secretary to H. H. the Chhatrapati Maharaj of Kolhapur (1925-29) and acting Dewan (1929-31). Mr. Surve is an out and out Maharatta and comes of a noble family. His Highness has shown a fine sense of discrimination and keen desire to infuse young blood into the service by placing him at the helm of the government machinery. Mr. Surve, the youngest Prime Minister Kolhapur has had to discharge the onerous duties of

Dewan and it was no wonder that his selection was hailed with joy by all classes of His Highness' subjects. On account of his relationship with the Royal family of Kolhapur, Mr. Surve has the additional advantage of being a happy link between the people and their ruler. He married Kumari Shantadevi, daughter of the late Akojirao Nimbalkar, Inamdar of Nej. Mr. Surve has, during the comparatively short period of his service, distinguished himself by his loyal and devoted services to the State and also by a fair record of progress shown in various branches of administration. He had attended the Round Table Conference first as an adviser to State's delegation and second time as a Delegate, representing the Kolhapur State. Created Rao Bahadur, June 1934.

Address—New Palace, Kolhapur.

Syedna Taher Saifuddin Saheb His Holiness Sardar (Mullaji Saheb), High Priest of Dawoodi Bohra Shia Mahommedan community and First Class Sardar of Deccan. Fifty-first incumbent of the post of Dai-tur Mutlaq, which has been in existence for nearly 900 years having been founded in Yemen where his predecessors were once Sultans. They have enjoyed many privileges and received high honours from various ruling princes in India from time to time and also from the British Government.

Address—Surat; and Haifi Mahal, Malabar Hill, Bombay.

Tagore, Sir Rabindranath, Kt., D. Lit. (Calcutta University), Founder Principal,



Viveka Bhārati University, Bolpur, Bengal. (Santiniketan). Born in 1861, he was educated privately. Lived at Calcutta first and later on went to the country at the age of 24 to take charge of his father's estates, where he wrote many of his works. At the age of 40 founded school at Santiniketan.

in 1921 turned it into a centre of International Culture. This has been his life-work ever since. Visited England in 1912, and translated some of his Bengali works into English; Nobel Prize for Literature 1913. Publications: In Bengali about 85 political works; dramas, operas, about 38; story books, novels, 19; over 50 collections of Essays on Literature, Art, Religion and other subjects

and composed over 3000 songs published periodically in small collections with notations. In English, "Gitanjali", 1912; "The Gardener", 1913; "The Crescent Moon", 1913; "Chitra", 1913; "The King of the Dark Chamber", 1914; "Kabir's Poems", 1915. "Fruit-Gathering" 1916; "Stray Birds", 1916. "Hungry Stones and other Stories", 1916; "My Reminiscences", 1917; "Sacrifice and other Plays", 1917; "The Cycle of Spring" 1917; "Personality", 1917; "Nationalism", 1917; "Lover's Gift and Crossing", 1918; "The Home and the World", 1919; "Gitanjali and Fruit-Gathering" 1919; "The Fugitive" 1921; "The Wreck", 1921; "Glimpses of Bengal" 1921; "Thought Relics", 1921; "Creative Unity", 1922; "Greater India", 1923. "Red Oleanders", 1924; "Talks in China", 1924; "Broken Ties", 1924; "Red Oleanders", a drama, 1925; "Fireflies" 1928; "Letters to a Friend" (Unwin) 1929; "Thoughts from Tagore" (Macmillan) 1929; "The Tagore Birthday Book", 1929; "The Religion of Man" (Unwin), 1931.

Address—Santiniketan, Bolpur, Bengal.

Tambe, Shripad Balwant, B.A. LL.B., Nagpur. Born on 8th December 1875. Educated at Amraoti, Elphinstone College, Bombay, and Government Law School, Bombay. Started life as Pleader at Amraoti; was Member and Vice-President of Amraoti Town Municipal Committee; President Provincial Congress Committee Member, C. P. Legislative Council, 1917-20 and 1924; President, C. P. Legislative Council, March 1925; Home Member, Govt. of Central Provinces; Acting Governor Central Provinces, 1929; Member, Indian Franchise Committee, 1932.

Address—Nagpur, C. P.

Tate, Lieut. Colonel John Greery, (on leave) Agent to Gov. Gen. for the Deccan



States and Resident at Kolhapur. Born on 14th August 1884. Married first A.I.M. L. (d. 1919) daughter of the late W. C. Stevenson of Knockan, Londonderry, Ireland; second to C. D. Anderson, daughter of the late Capt. F. R. Mc. De. Butts, Royal Artillery, and widow of Captain H. E. A. Anderson, Indian Police. Educated at St. Columba's College, Dublin; St. Lawrence College, Ramsgate, Kent; Royal Military College, Sandhurst. Commissioned 18th Jan. 1905; appointed 127th (Q. M. O.) Baluch. L. I. 1906; Appointed Bombay Political

States and Resident at Kolhapur. Born on 14th August 1884. Married first A.I.M. L. (d. 1919) daughter of the late W. C. Stevenson of Knockan, Londonderry, Ireland; second to C. D. Anderson, daughter of the late Capt. F. R. Mc. De. Butts, Royal Artillery, and widow of Captain H. E. A. Anderson, Indian Police. Educated at St. Columba's College, Dublin; St. Lawrence College, Ramsgate, Kent; Royal Military College, Sandhurst. Commissioned 18th Jan. 1905; appointed 127th (Q. M. O.) Baluch. L. I. 1906; Appointed Bombay Political

Department, 1909; Foreign and Political Department, Government of India 1924; served on N. W. Frontier India and in East Africa 1917-18.

Address—The Residency, Kollhapur, Deccan.

Todhunter, Sir Charles George, K.C.S.I. (1921), Private Secretary to H. H. the Maharaja of Mysore. Fellow of the Royal Statistical and Royal Historical Societies. Born on 16th. Feb. 1869. Educated at King's College, Cambridge; Members' prizeman, Cambridge University, 1888. Married Alice, O.B.E., K.-i.-D., daughter of Captain C. Josack, 93rd. Highlanders. Served in I. C. S. Madras, also conducted special inquiries into Customs and Excise matters in Kashmir, the C. P. and C. I. States; Secretary, Indian Excise Committee, 1906; I. C. of Excise and Salt to the Govt. of India, 1909-1910; President, Life Saving Appliances Committee, 1913; Secretary to Govt. of Madras, 1915; Member of Board of Revenue, 1916; Member of Executive Council, 1919-24; President, Indian Taxation Inquiry Committee, 1924-25; Member, Council of State, 1926.

Address—Vasanth Mahal, Mysore.

Tottenham, George Richard Frederick, C. I. E. (1930), Secretary Army Department, Government of India. Born on 18th November 1890. Married Hazel Joyce, second daughter of the late Major Gwynne, R. W. Fusiliers. Educated at Harrow and New College, Oxford. Joined I.C.S. in 1914; served in Madras Presidency as Asst. Collector and Sub-Collector and as Under and Dy. Secretary to Govt. till April 1924; with Army Dept. of Government of India, as officer on special duty Deputy Secretary and Secretary since 1929 except for one year with the Government of Madras as Retrenchment Secretary, 1931-32.

Address.—c/o Messrs. Grindlay & Co., Ltd.,
54 Parliament Street, London, S.W.1.

Turner, Charles William Aldis, K.C.I.E., (1937); C.S.I. (1933), C.I.E. (1928), I.C.S., Chief Secretary to Government of Bombay. Born on 30th July 1879. Educated at King Edward VI School, Norwich and Magdalen College, Oxford. He was appointed Asst. Collector, Bombay Presidency in 1903. As Settlement Officer, Dharwar District from 1909 to 1910; as Under Secretary, Revenue and Finance Departments, Bombay from 1912 to 1915; as Cantonment Magistrate of Ahmednagar from 1917 to 1919; and as Collector, Ahmednagar from 1919 to 1921, he has shown exceptional abilities in doing his duties with tact and patience. He was Personal Assistant to Lord Leo (Chairman, Public Services Commission) from 1923 to 1924

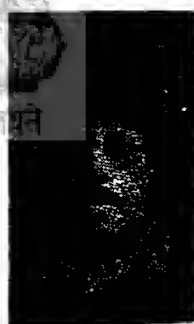
and has acted as Secretary, Political Department in 1924 and Secretary General Department from 1924 to 1929. He was Secretary Political Department and Reforms Officer, 1930.

Address—Secretariat, Bombay.

Umar Hayat Khan Tiwana, The Hon'ble. Col. Nawab Rana Malik, Sir, K. C. I. E., C. B. E., M. V. O., Member Council of State and Member of the Council of the Secretary of State for India. Born in 1874, he was educated at Aitchison Chief's College, Lahore. Was given Hon. Commission in the 18th K. G. O.; Attended King Edward's Coronation Durbar at Delhi; Served in Somaliland; Joined Tibet Expedition; was attached to the Late Amir of Afghanistan; Attended King George's Coronation Durbar at Delhi; Active Service in the Great War in France and Mesopotamia; Mons. Star, 1914; Member, Provincial Recruiting Board; represented Punjab, Delhi War Conference in 1918; Served in the 3rd Kabul War (mentioned in despatches); made Colonel; Member Esher Committee, 1920; President of the National Horse breeding and Show Society of India.

Address—Kira, Dist. Shahpur Punjab.

Usman, The Hon. Sir Mahomed, K. C. I. E. 1933. B.A. Born in 1884, he was



educated at Madras Christian College. Married the daughter of Shifu-ul-Mulk Zynulabudin Sahib Bahadur, B.A. Counsellor, Corporation of Madras, 1913-25; Hon. Presidency Magistrate, 1916-20; Fellow of the Madras University 1921-34; Member, Town Planning Trust, 1921-25; Chairman of Committee on Indigenous

System of Medicine, 1921-23; Member, Publicity Board, 1918 and 1921-22; President, Muthialpet Muslim Anjuman, Madras; President, Board of Visitors to Government Mahomedan Coll. and Hon. visitor to Government School of Arts and Crafts, 1923-25; Member, Madras Excise Licensing Board 1922-25; Gave evidence before the Reforms Committee and the Jail Committee. Elected Member Legislative Council, 1921-23. Sheriff of Madras 1924; President of the Corporation of Madras, 1924-25; Member Executive Council 1925-34; President, Madras Children's Aid Society, 1926-28; President, Madras Discharged Prisoners' Aid Society, 1925-28; Chairman, H. R.

H. The Prince of Wales' Children's Hospital Fund; Chairman, the British Empire Leprosy Relief Association, Madras, 1925; President, Mohammedan Educational Association of Southern India. Made Khan Sahab in 1920; Khan Bahadur in 1921; Kaiser-i-Hind Second Class, 1923; Knighted 1928; K.C.L.E. 1933. Officiating Governor of Madras, May to August 1934.

Address—Teynampet Garden, Teynampet, Madras.

Udani, Manilal Hakemchand, M.A., L.L.B. (Bombay) F.L.L.C., M.A. (America) is



one of the leading advocates of Kathiawar and a prominent citizen of Rajkot. His father was a magistrate in Jetpur for many years. He belongs to a very respectable family and in the Jain community he holds a high position. Having passed Matric in 1902 from Rajkot, he took his B.A. in 1906, M.A. in 1908, and L.L.B. in 1911 from the Bombay University and received very high education and culture. He started his profession as a vakil in the High Court of Bombay from 1912 and was very successful at the Bar. He took part in all public activities in Bombay and was one of the General Secretaries of the Bharat Jain Mahamandal. He was spoken of highly for his intelligence and ability in papers read in those early days of his life. In 1913 he was invited to Benares especially for delivering lectures in the Jain Conference with Prof. Horman Jacobi, Dr. Strauss and Mrs. Annie Besant, and his lectures were very instructive. He came to Rajkot in 1916 and has been

practising in Kathiawar as an advocate. He has been very successful at the Bar of Rajkot and his activities in all the fields are very well known. He is spoken of highly by high judicial officers and has a very bright career. He is taking an active interest in all social and religious activities and is helping them. He was nominated by the Hon'ble A. G. G. W. I. S. Agency as one of the Members of the Rajkot Civil Station Committee from 1933 to 1936 and also as a member of the Water Works Committee in 1933. He has been a Member of the Red Cross Committee, Rajkot. His wife Surajbai is an intelligent lady and has taken part in religious and Red Cross activities. He is a well-known writer and an eloquent speaker. He has published three books, viz., "Garland of Moral Precepts," which is translated into Gujarati and Hindi, "Sanjay Dharma," and "Atina-Vichar." He was given a Silver Jubilee Medal in 1935 on the occasion of the Silver Jubilee of His late Imperial Majesty. He is taking keen interest in founding a Jain College in India. He holds a high public reputation, in the States of Kathiawar, and in the Government. Recently he was appointed a special Hazar Court Judge by the Rajkot State for heavy appeal work.

Address—Rajkot.

Urquhart, Dr. William Spence, M.A., D. Litt., D. D., D. L., Principal, Scottish Church College; Vice-Chancellor, Calcutta University, 1928-1930. Born in 1877. Married Margaret Macaskill, daughter of Rev. Murdoch Macaskill, Dingwall. Educated at Aberdeen University; New College, Edinburgh; Marburg University and Göttingen University. Professor of Philosophy, Duff College, Calcutta, 1902; Scottish Church College, 1908; Member, Indian Universities Congress, 1924 and 1927; Dean of the Faculty of Arts, Calcutta University, 1927 and 1931; Vice-Chancellor, Calcutta University August 8th, 1928, to August 7th, 1930; Chairman of the Inter-University Board, India, 1931-32. Principal Scottish Church College since 1928. Appointed Croull Lecturer, Edinburgh University, 1934-35.

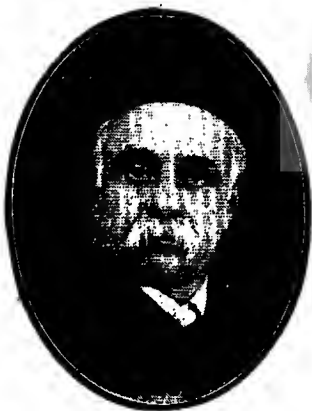
Publications: "The Historical and the Eternal Christ," 1916; "Pantheism and the Value of Life," 1919; "Theosophy and Christian Thought," 1922; "Vedanta and Modern Thought," 1928; Contributor to Encyclopedia of Religion and Ethics.

Address—Principal's House, Scottish Church College, Calcutta.

Varma, Sukhdeo Prasad, B. A., Barrister-at-Law; Judge of the high court of Judicature at Patna since 1934. Born 14th January 1885; Son of Babu Sant Prasad, Soulor Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector. Married in 1899, J. Varma and has three sons and two daughters. Educated at Muzaffarpore; Delhi; Presidency College, Calcutta, B.A.; London. After graduation proceeded to England; called to Bar, Middle Temple, 1910; in 1910 started his practice as an advocate at Muzaffarpore; while still in practice worked for a short time as a Professor of English in the Muzaffarpore College; in 1912 he moved to Patna as a Lecturer in the Patna Law College, a post which he held for eight years and also joined the District Bar; transferred his practice to High Court at Patna on its establishment in 1916; in 1924 officiated as Assistant Government Advocate and in 1932 as Government Advocate of the Patna High Court. Recreations: A keen tennis player and an excellent hand at chess; also fond of gardening and music. Clubs: New Victoria Jubilee, Patna.

Address—Frazer Cross Road, Patna.

VAKIL, Chhotubhai Gulabdas Bhaidas, B.A., LL.B., Advocate, Surat. Born



in 1878, he was educated at Mission High School, Surat; and Navasari, and Elphinstone Colleges, Bombay. He has two sons and four daughters. Younger son Gaupati is B.A., LL.B., and is practising in Surat as an advocate. His father is the late Gulabdas Bhaidas, who, leader of the Surat Bar, practised for sixty years and died in 1927 at the age of eighty-six. The late Gulabdas spent thousands of rupees on the education of boys and girls. Chhotubhai graduated in 1905. LL. B., 1907. Commenced practice at Surat, 1908. Elected to Surat Borough Municipality 1931. Member of Muni-

cipal Standing Committee, and Managing Committees of Sarvajnik Education Society; Union Education Society; Mahila Vidyalaya, Surat, and Nagric Mandal, Surat. President, Bar Association, Surat (1935); Vice-President, Surat Borough Municipality (1936); Chairman of Law Committee, Surat Municipality (1937).

Address—Sangadiwad, Gopipura, Surat, B.R. & C.I. Railway.

Vakil Krishnalal Surajram, B.A., (Bom.), M. Ed. (Leeds), M.R.S.T., F.R.G.S.,



I.E.S. (Retd.), Principal Teachers' College, Kolhapur. Born at Surat, 1878. Received primary and secondary education at Surat. Surat Government High School Scholar from 1892-1895. Joined the Elphinstone College, Bombay, 1896. Passed the B.A. Examination, 1899. Started life as a teacher in the Gokuldas Trijpal High School Bombay, 1900, and in the Bharda New High School, Bombay 1901. Served as Secretary to Professor T. K. Gajjar for a few months in 1902. Left Bombay and joined the Union High School, Surat, in June 1902, and the Government High School Ahmedabad, in July 1908. Appointed an Assistant Deputy Educational Inspector, Ahmedabad, 1906. Transferred to the Mahalaxmi Training College for Women, Ahmedabad, 1907. Transferred as an Assistant Deputy Educational Inspector, Panch-Mahals and Rewa-Kantha Agency, 1911. Wrote, for the Department, geographies of Panch-Mahals and Rewa-Kantha Agency, and published Bhool Songs in 1915. Transferred as an Assistant Deputy Educational Inspector, Surat, 1912, and as Superintendent, Office of the Director of Public Instruction, 1914. Appointed Head Assistant to the Director of Public Instruction, 1917, and Inspector of Training Schools, Bombay Presidency, 1918. In the latter capacity organized and established twenty district training schools at different centres in the Presidency

and compiled "Instructions to Teachers for the Teaching of Nature Study and School-Gardening" on behalf of the Department. Went to England 1922, entered the University of Leeds, and took the degree of M. Ed., 1923. Attended the Imperial Educational Conference, London, 1923, as an official delegate of the Bombay Government and was the only delegate to advocate introduction of vocational bias in education in India from the age of eleven or twelve. Admitted to the I. E. S. and appointed Educational Inspector N. D., 1924. Gave evidence before the Lee Commission; nominated as a Fellow of the Bombay University, elected as a Member of the University Boards of Studies in Teaching and Gujarati, and co-opted as a member of the School Leaving Examination Board, 1924. Served as a Chairman of the Matriculation Geography Syllabus Committee, as Senior Paper-Setter in Geography at the Matriculation Examination, as an Examiner at the B. T. Examination, as a member of University Inspection Committees of registered High Schools and the Secondary Training College, Bombay, and as a member on the Provincial Selection Board. Attended the Imperial Education Conference, London, 1927, as the official delegate of the Government of Bombay and represented the University of Bombay at the Centenary Celebrations of the University of London; attended the New Education Fellowship World Conference at Locarno (Switzerland) and represented the University of Bombay at the Centenary Celebrations of the University of Toronto (Canada). Visited Japan and the Philippines and studied the Japanese and Philippine systems of education. Elected Fellow of the Royal Geographical Society, London 1928, served as a member of the Primary, Secondary and Vocational Education Committee and as President of the History and Geography Committee appointed by Government and gave evidence before the Hartog Committee of the Simon Commission, 1928. Transferred as Educational Inspector, S. D., July, 1929. Elected Member of the National Geographical Society, Washington D.C. (U.S.A.), 1928, and Member of the Royal Society of Teachers, 1933. Retired in October, 1933. Presided at the Bombay Presidency Secondary Teachers' Conference at Bordj in February, 1934. Organized a new Teachers' College at Kolhapur on behalf of the State authorities in June, 1934.

Is a member of the National Education Association, Washington D.C. (U.S.A.), and of its Department of Supervisors and Directors of Instruction, the National Society for the Study of Education, U.S.A., the New Education Fellowship (England), and the Nursery School Association (England), and a Vice-President of the All-India Federation of Teachers' Association.

Address—Kolhapur.

Venkatachalam Chetty, Sami, Merchant and Member, Legislative Assembly. Educated at Puchiyappas' College, Madras. Was councillor, Madras Corporation, for several years; elected, President, Madras Corporation, 1925-26; elected to the Second, Third, and Fourth, Madras Legislative Councils. Elected to the Indian Legislative Assembly in 1935.

Address—"Sounya Griha", 61, Govindappa Naik Street, Madras.

Venkata Reddi, The Hon'ble Rao Bahadur, Sir, Kurma Nayudu



Kt., K.C.I.F., (1937); Chief Minister to the Government of Madras. Born in 1875, he was educated at Arts College, Rajahmundry, Madras Christian College, and Madras Law College. Married R. Laxmi Kantamma. Led the non-Brahmin Deputation to the Joint Parliamentary Committee on Indian Constitutional Reforms in 1919; member of the Imperial Legislative Council, 1920; Minister of Agriculture and Industries to the Madras Government, 1920-23; member of the Madras Legislative Council, 1920-26; member of the Senate of the Madras University, 1924-26; member of the Syndicate of the Andhra University, 1924-26; Appointed Indian Delegate to the League Assembly at Geneva, 1928, and agent to the Government of India in S. Africa, 1929-32; Member of Executive Council of the Government of Madras, 1934. Acted as Governor of Madras for some time.

Address—Secretariat, Madras.

Venkatasubba Rao, The Hon'ble Mr. Justice Sir M., Kt., B.A. B.L., Judge, High Court, Madras. Born on 18th July, 1878.

Educated at the Free Church Mission Institution, Christian College and Law College, Madras. He was enrolled as an Advocate in 1903 and built up a large and leading practice on the original side of the High Court. He was appointed Election Commissioner, 1921-22; appointed to the High Court Bench on 17th November, 1921; President, Annadamm Samajam; The Madras Seva Sadan, and District Scout Council; Vice-President, Provincial Scout Council; member, Indian Delimitation Committee; knighted in January 1936.

Address—Spur Tank Houses, Spur Tank Road, Egmore, Madras.

Vesey, Major-General Sir Ivo Lucius

Beresford, K.B.E., (1923;) C.B. 1921; C.M.G. 1919; D.S.O., 1917; late "The Queen's Regiment;" G.O.C. in-Chief Southern Command, Poona, since 1935. Born on 11th August, 1876. He is the second son of late Major-General George H. Vesey and Constance, second daughter of George Marshall. Married in 1918, Geraldine, eldest daughter of late Vice-Admiral Francis J. Foley and has two sons. Served in the European War (C.M.G., D.S.O.); Director of Recruiting and Organisation, War Office, 1919-23. Director of Organization and Staff Duties, Air Ministry, 1923-29; Major-General 1928; Commanded 48th South Midland Division, T.A., 1930-31; Director of Staff Duties, War Office, 1931; Officer Legion of Honour and of the Crown, St. Michael and Lazarus, Croix-de-Guerre. Club—Army and Navy.

Address—Command House, Poona.

Vijayaraghavachariar, C., of Salem.

Born in 1852. Educated at the Presidency College, Madras. Elected Member, Madras Legislative Council, 1895-1901; elected Member Imperial Legislative Council, 1918-16; President, Madras Provincial Conference at Calicut, 1900; President, Special Provincial Conference at Madras, 1918, for considering the Montague Chelmsford Reforms; President Nagpur Indian National Congress, 1920.

Address—'Arama', Salem.

Vijayaraghavacharya, Diwan Bahadur Sir T., K.B.E. (1926); Retd. Vice-Chair-



man, Imperial Council of Agricultural Research from 1929. Born in Aug. 1875, he was educated at Presidency College, Madras. Joined Provincial Service, 1898; Revenue Officer, Madras Corporation, from 1912 to 1917; Secretary to the Board of Revenue, 1917-18; Director of Land

Records, 1918; Deputy Director of Industries, 1918-19; Diwan of Cochin, 1919-22; Collector and District Magistrate, 1920; Commissioner for India, British Empire Exhibition, 1922-25; Member Legislative Assembly, 1925-26; Director of Industries, 1926; also Director of Fisheries, 1926; opened Canadian National Exhibition, August, 1926; Member Public Service Commission, 1926-29. Chairman, Indian Central Cotton Committee, 1935.

Address—New Delhi and Simla.

Visvesvaraya, Sir Mokshagundum, K.C.L.E., D. Sc., B.A., L.C.F. M.I.C.F. Born



of a very poor family on 15th September, 1861, he has carved his way through the world by his sheer ability and intelligence. He passed his B.A., from the Central College, Bangalore, and L.C.F. from the College of

Science, Poona. Beginning life as Asst. Engineer in the P.W.D., Bombay, in 1884, he retired as Superintendent Engineer, Govt. of Bombay in 1908. He then became Special Consulting Engineer to the Nizam's Government in 1909. When that special work was over he joined the Mysore service as chief engineer. From engineer he became the Dewan of the State which he administered more than seven years during which period the State earned a name for brilliant and progressive administration throughout the British Empire. You cannot say what he is not efficient in. He is the cleverest engineer where engineering skill is required. He is the astutest politician where political questions have to be thrashed out. He is the best scholar where literary abilities are required. He is a man of all-round intelligence and abilities, and is an Indian first and everything else afterward. He has travelled extensively in Europe, America, Japan and other countries, and also travelled a round the world in 1919-20. His services are often requisitioned by various municipalities, including the Bombay Corporation, for retrenching and improving their administrations. His addresses to the Mysore Assembly and the various speeches delivered by him when in Mysore are masterpieces in literature. Whatever differences he may have had with a section of the Mysore public, Mysore admits that he is the creator of modern Mysore. Publications: "Re-Constructing India" (P. S. King & Son, Ltd., London).

Address—Uplands, High Ground, Bangalore.

Wadia Ardeshtir Ruttonji, B.A. (Bom. & Cantab.), Bar-at-Law, Professor of Philosophy,



University of Mysore. Born on the 4th June, 1888. Educated at Girtton House High School, St. Xavier's High School and Wilson College, Bombay. At the Middle Temple, London; for Bar. At St. Catherine's, Oxford: Diploma in Economics and Political Science (with distinction). At Fitzwilliam Hall,

Cambridge. Moral Science Tripos. Married Tehmina Homeji Postwalla. Professor of English and Philosophy at Wilson College, Bombay, 1914; Lecturer in Psychology, University of Bombay, 1914-16. Professor of Philosophy, Mysore University since 1917; Dean of the Faculty of Arts, Mysore University, 1927-30; Officiating Director of Public In-

struction in Mysore, 1930-31; President of the All-India Federation of Teachers' Associations at Patna, 1926; President, Indian Philosophical Congress at Decca in 1930; Delegate of the Mysore University to the Fifth Congress of the Universities of the British Empire, London and Edinburgh, 1931; President, Fourth All-Karnataka Hindi Prachar Conference, 1932. President Cochin Teachers' Conference in 1935. President Mysore State Education League, 1933; and President of the League's Education Committee since 1933. Secretary, Inter University Board 1932-37.

Publications: "The Ethics of Feminism"; "A Text-Book of Civics"; "A Handbook of Moral Instruction for Teachers"; "Civilisation as a Co-operative Adventure" (The Principal Miller Lectures in the University of Madras 1932); "Pragmatic Idealism in Contemporary Indian Philosophy" (Library of Philosophy series). "Journal of Ethics", the "Journal of Philosophical Studies", the "Philosophical Quarterly", the "Aryan Path". Edited the Mysore University Magazine, 1928-30.

Address—The University, Mysore.

Wadia, Sir Cusroo N., Kt., C.I.E., Millowner. Born in 1869. Educated at Kings' College, London. He joined his father's firm in 1888 and he was Chairman of the Bombay Millowners' Association in 1918. He was made Knight in 1932.

Address—Podder House, Cumballa Hill, Bombay.

Wadia, Sir Nasserwanji Nowrosjee, K.R.E., C.I.E., M.L.M.E., M.I.St.E., J.P. F.C.P.S. (Hon.); Millowner, Bombay. Born on 30th May, 1873, he was educated at St. Xavier's College, Bombay. Married Evelyn Clara Powell. He was Chairman of the Bombay Millowners' Association in 1911 and 1925.

Address—Strachey House, Podder Road, Bombay.

Wagh, Purushottam Wasudeo, M.L.A., Merchant, Municipal Corporator, Bombay. Born on 18th November 1902 at Malwan (Ratnagiri Dist.). Educated at Topiwala High School, Malwan and H.P.T. College, Nasik. Married in 1921 with Miss Dwarkabai, grand daughter of late Anant Shivaji Dosa Topiwale of Bombay. His father, late Wasudeo Parshuram came to Bombay from Malwan, started business as a commission agent for export and import business in 1915. After studying up to Inter Arts, Mr. Purushottam Wasudeo, the subject of this sketch, joined his father's business in 1925. Was elected a Director of Indian Co-operative Steam Navigation and Trading

Co., for one year in 1932; Also Director, Forward Assurance Co., Bombay 1932; was a Director, Deccan Merchants Co-operative Bank 1933; Vice-President of the Co-operative Bank 1934; elected to the Bombay Corporation from "G" ward, having topped the poll in 1935. Elected to the Bombay Legislative Assembly from Ratnagiri Dist. South General Rural Constituency in 1937.

Address—Moti Bazaar, Bombay, 2.

Walvekar, Balaji alias Baburao Bhawansa, Member of the Bombay Legis-



lative Assembly (Congress Ticket) 1937, Landlord, Merchant, and Ex-President Poona City Municipality (1934-35). Born in Poona on 12th December, 1897. Education hampered by early poverty. Made money in war period (1914-18) in carpet manufacture and afterwards made a big fortune in book making. A popular figure, Member, Poona City Municipality since 1932, and was elected its President in 1934. As Municipal president his career was very popular. Presented a civic address to Mahatma Gandhi in 1934 when he visited Poona on his Harijan tour,—a memorable escape of Mahatma Gandhi when an attempt to bomb him was made. While president he organized an Industrial Exhibition in Poona (1935).

Topped the poll in the Bombay Legislative Assembly election under new reforms from General Rural Poona District, Eastern Division Constituency on Congress Ticket.

A Congress sympathiser and ex-president of A Ward Congress Committee, Poona City. A man of charitable disposition whose charities are too numerous to mention.

Address—398 Vetal Path, Poona City.

Wali Mahomed Hussanally, Khan

Bahadur, B.A., LL.B., is the son of the late Hon'ble Khan Bahadur Hussanally Bey, Effendi, Majidi Turkish Consul and Founder of the Sind Madrasah-ul-Islami, Karachi. Born on 6th December, 1880, he was educated at Elphinstone College and Government Law School, Bombay. His varied activities include: Municipal Councillor, Karachi, for about twenty years; member, Legislative Assembly for seven years; member and chairman, Municipal and District School Board, Karachi; Fellow Bombay University; President, Shahi Jirga, Jacobabad, for eight years; member, War League; Secretary, Sind Mahomedan Association; member, Sind D.J. College Board; President, Educational Conference, 1931; served Government in various Departments for thirty-three years; retired Deputy Collector.

Address—Barkat Manzil, Bunder Road, Karachi.

Wazirhasan, Sir Saiyid, Kt., B.A., LL.B., Advocate, High Court, Allahabad and ex-Chief Judge of Oudh. Educated at Government High School, Balha, Muir Central College, Allahabad, M.A.O. College, Aligarh. Joined the Lucknow Bar in 1903; Secretary, All-India Moslem League from 1912-19; was instrumental in bringing about Hindu-Moslem Pact of 1916; appointed Judicial Commissioner of Oudh in 1920; Chief Judge of Oudh, February, 1930; Retired in May, 1934.

Address—Wazir Hassan Road, Lucknow.

Webb, Sir Montagu De Pomeroy, Kt. 1921. C.I.E., C.B.E., Member of Council of the East India Association; Vice-President, Anti-Slavery and Aborigines Protection Society; Chairman, Daily Gazette Press Ltd. Karachi. Born at Clifton, 1869; married 1908. Educated privately. Member of Indian Fiscal Committee, 1921-22; late member of the Indian Legislative Assembly and late Chairman, Karachi Chamber of Commerce.

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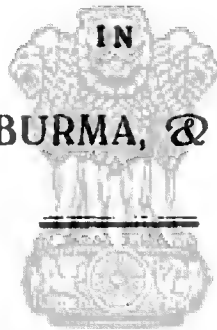
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Abdul Hamid, Khan Bahadur, Sir, Kt., (1933); C.I.E., (1928); C.B.E., (1918). Born 16th October 1881, son of the late Diwan Baksha and Mutwala Begum. Married in 1908, Iqbal Begum, daughter of Khan Saheb Sheikh Amirud-Din; three sons. Educated Lahore Government College. Called to Bar Lincoln's Inn, Judge, 1910; Revenue and Home Minister of Kapurthala State, 1911-14; Chief Minister, Kapurthala State, 1915-35; Delhi Coronation Durbar Medal, 1911; title of Khan Bahadur, 1916; Fellow of the Punjab University and Member of Punjab Legislative Council, 1921-23; chairman Central Areas Banking Enquiry Committee, 1929-31; delegate to the League of Nations Assembly at Geneva, 1931.

Address—7a Chamber House Lane, Lahore, Punjab, India.

Abdul Qadir, Khan Bahadur, M. A., Revenue Secretary, Government of Bihar.



Born at Panipat, Punjab in 1880, he was educated at M.A.O. College, Aligarh. Passed B. A. in 1899; M.A. in 1901. After serving in his own college as an assistant Professor for four years, he joined the Calcutta-Madrassa as Assistant Headmaster. He was appointed to the Bengal Provincial Civil Service in 1906,

and posted to Ranchi in connection with Settlement operations. Was appointed as Deputy Superintendent of Census in Patna and Hazaribagh in 1911. He was the first Indian to receive Secretariat training in Revenue and Judicial Department. Acted as personal Assistant to the Director of Land Records, 1921-25. Became Khansahab in 1926 and Khan Bahadur, in 1933. Appointed Collector of Gaya in 1933, and Deputy Commissioner of Ranchi in 1934, and to the present post in 1935.

Address—Secretariat, Patna.

Abdul Hamid, Capt., M., B.A. (Hons.) (Madras) 1918; B.A. Hons. (Oxon) 1922; M.A., 1929; member of the Royal Society of British Teachers; Principal, Government Muhommadan College, Madras. Born on 20th November 1896. Educated at Madras Christian College; Balliol College, Oxford; and London School of Economics. Was District Educational Officer, Bellary, Guntur, and Malabar; personal Assistant to the Director of Public Instruction, Madras, 1928 and 1932; Special Officer for writing the Quinquennial Report on Education, 1932; Principal, Government Muhommadan College, Madras from 1934. Honorary Secretary, Madras Rotary Club; District Scout Commissioner, Madras South Centre; Secretary, Madras Students' Information Bureau. Was for three months with the Indian Defence Forces and held the rank of captain in the A. I. R. O.; contributed to S.P.C.A., National Health Association, Muhommadan Educational Association, the Orphango Mount Road, and Mylapore School for the Deaf.

Address—Government Muhommadan College, Madras.

Abdul Qaiyum, Nawab Sir Sahibzada, C.I.E. (1908); K. C. I. E. (1917); was born in 1866. He was formerly in Foreign and Political Department, Government of India and Political Agent, Khyber Black Mountain Expedition, 1888 (despatches); Samana Expedition 1891; Tirah Expedition 1897-98 (despatches, Khan Bahadur); Zakka-Khel Expedition, 1908 (C.I.E.); on Indo-Afghan Boundary Commissions, 1894-95; has been an M.L.A., since 1923; received title Nawab, 1916, and Kaisar-i-Hind Gold Medal, 1929. One of the founders of, and Life Honorary Secretary of Islam College, Peshawar; Member Indian Round Table Conference; Chief Minister, N.W.F.P. Government.

Address—Peshawar.

Abdul Rahim Baboo Hakeem, Khan Sahab, the first Muslim President of the Malagaon Municipality. Born on 6th June, 1897. Educated at Malagaon and Garud High School, Dhanua. Married in 1912 to Miss Rabia Khatoom, daughter of Md. Cassum. (Two sons and three daughters). Belongs to the Momin weaver's community. A very popular leader of the Muslims of Malagaon. His father, Baboo Hakeem, is a well-known Unani Hakeem at Malagaon. After studying up to Matric Mr. Abdul Rahim commenced taking part in public affairs. Was elected uncontested Municipal Councillor on Jan. 7 1923. Has been President of Urdu Library, Malagaon, for one year; chairman Malagaon

Urban Co-operative Bank for two years; an elected member of the Malegaon Municipality for the last eleven years. Chairman Municipal Managing Committee for two years; chairman Dispensary Committee for one year; Has been elected President, Malegaon Municipality since 10th April, 1934; Has been Vice-chairman school board of the local authority for the last two years; also a member of the Executive Committee of Malegaon Anjuman Moin-tullaba (Poor Boy's Aid Fund). Elected to the Bombay Legislative Assembly in 1937.

Address—Hakeem Manzil, Malegaon Dist.,
Nasik.

Abdur Rahman Khan, His Afghan Majesty's Consul, Bombay. Born at Kabul in



1899. After his early education from 1906 to 1918 he received education in Islamic law and theology till 1922. In 1923 he was appointed Secretary in the Western Department of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs. In 1924 was appointed Secretary to the Afghan Legation at Paris when His

late Majesty Mohamed Nadir Shah, the martyr, was Afghan Minister there. In 1926 was appointed Vice-Consul at Bombay. In 1927 was appointed as Officiating Director of the department of Cipher of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs. In 1928 was appointed as Premier Secretary to the Afghan Legation at Paris. In 1929 was appointed member of the Commission of the Northern Boundaries. In 1932 was appointed as Deputy Director of the Department of Jurisprudence of the Ministry of Affairs, and worked mostly in the Foreign Boundary Commission on the Frontier Affairs. In 1934 was made a member of the Commission for demarking Afghan-Iran Frontier. In the beginning of 1935 was nominated as President of the Commission appointed for the decision of Southwest Afghan Iran Frontier. On the 4th July, 1935 was appointed as His Afghan Majesty's Consul at Bombay.

Address—Royal Afghan Consulate,
Walkeshwar Road, Bombay.

Abdulrazak Abdulla, Landlord, Managing trustee of several charities and a corporator, Bombay Municipality, Bombay. Born on 30th March, 1910, at Bombay. Educated at Imperial

High School and Davar's College of Commerce, Bombay. His maternal grandfather, late Haji Saboo Sidick, was a sugar merchant, and his father, late Mahomed Laboo Sidick have made charities to the amount of sixty lakhs of rupees, which are devoted to educational purposes, sanatoriums, Musfarkhanas, and to the poor and the crippled. The largest of the charities is the "Mahomed Haji Saboo Sidick Institute," for which a sum of twenty-two lakhs of rupees has been set apart for teaching arts and crafts to the poor Muslims, and the foundation of which building was laid on Sheppard Road at Byculla by Sir Frederic Sykes in 1934. His paternal grandfather, the late Haji Imaul Habib also left ten lakhs of rupees in charities for mosques and the poor widows' fund. His father, late Abdulla Rahom Bawla, died in 1922, leaving two sons. The eldest, Abdul Kader Bawla, who was also a corporator, died at the age of twenty-five, having fallen a victim to the well-known "Bawla Murder Plot" enacted in broad daylight near the Hanging Gardens in Bombay. The younger, Mr. Abdul Razak, is the subject of this sketch. After completion of his education, Mr. Abdul Razak joined family business and the burden of managing several charities, which duty he is performing with great ability and tact. Was elected to the Bombay Corporation in 1935.

Address—21 Souter Street, Byculla, Bombay.

Abdul Sattar, Khan Bahadur, General Contractor, Quetta and Karachi. Born on 21st January 1884, at Karachi. Educated at Sind Madressa School, Karachi. Has four sons and four daughters. A Cutchi Memon, his great-grandfather, Haji Tharia, came to Karachi when Sind was conquered. His grandfather, Haji Mohammed, started a business of supplying tents and kits to the Karachi; military and started at Kotri a general store when Karachi was not a port. When his father, Khan Bahadur Haroon, took up military contracts, he had to travel on foot to Quetta as there was no railway. After completion of his education, Khan Bahadur Abdul Sattar joined the family business at the age of eighteen. The Hardinge Bridge, the High Court, and the Reclamation works at Karachi were built by Khan Bahadur Haroon. Later the Government House at Delhi, some portions of the Secretariat, and the Council Chambers, were built by him. Khan Bahadur Haroon expired at Karachi on 26th November, 1926. A leader of Cutchi Memon Community at Quetta and Karachi, Khan Bahadur Abdul Sattar is a municipal Councillor and a first class independent special Hon. Magistrate at Quetta; president of Muslim Anjuman Islamia and Muslim Orphanage, Baluchistan. Created Khan Bahadur in 1922.

Address—Karachi and Quetta.

Abdul Satarkhan Amirkhan, Landlord, Merchant and member Bombay Legislative Council, comes from a very respectable Mahommedan family most of whom were in military service of the British Government. His great-grandfather, Ahmedkhan, Subedar Major Sardar



Bahadur, in particular rendered services with distinction in the Indian Army in times of peace and war. Mr. Abdul Satarkhan started business life as iron merchant in Godnadi, Sirur, and was also military contractor for some years. He came to Poona in 1914 and took up the tobacco trade in which he has built up a reputation and a flourishing business. He has been a Municipality Councillor since 1928 and his popularity has returned him on several occasions to the City Municipality with the greatest number of votes. He is also a member of the Municipal School Board, and has always taken a very keen interest in municipal affairs for the public good. He was also a president of the Anjuman Fidayano Islam, Poona City, and in this capacity devoted untiring and unstinted efforts in the interests and activities of that body of the education of the

Mahommedan community including provision for free board and lodging for Mahommedan boys.

On the arrival of the Simon Commission in Poona in October, 1928, he rendered valuable services and assistance in suppressing the activities of the boycotters and was perhaps the only merchant to keep open in the City, though his shop was heavily stoned during the general hartal that was declared at this time. The Governor and Sir John Simon were greatly pleased to acknowledge his services by sending him letters of thanks in recognition of meritorious services rendered.

He married in 1912 a daughter of Mr. Hamja Khan Sher Khan and has three sons and three daughters.

Address—Nanas Peth, Poona City.

Mr. Abdul Satarkhan was elected to the Bombay Legislative Council from Central Division Mahomedan Rural Constituency in 1937. He is very generous and charitable.

Address—563 Nana Peth, Poona City.

Abdussamad Khan, Sahebzada, Sir C. I. E., Kt. (1934), Kaiser-i-Hind (First Class), Chief Minister, Rampur State. Born in September 1874, he was educated under private tutors. He married a princess of the ruling family of Lohuroo State. He was appointed Private Secretary to His late Highness, 1894-1900, and became Chief Secretary, 1900-1930. In 1930 he was appointed Chief Minister and was deputed as an adviser to Indian States Delegation, Round Table Conference, 1931; Imperial Economy Conference, Ottawa, 1932. He was a delegate to the Assembly of the League of Nations on behalf of Indian States in 1933.

Address—The Mall, Rampur State, U. P.

Abercrombie, Sir John Robertson, Kt., Merchant and Director, Messrs. Wilson Latham & Co., Ltd. Born on 11th June 1883, he received his education at Cheltenham College. Married Elsie Mauds, daughter of Mr. E. W. Collin, late I.C.S. He came to India in 1910, and joined I.A.R.O., in February 1925 and 18th K.G.O. Jancurs in Franco in April 1916, and where he remained in active service up to February, 1919. He has been awarded Military Cross and his name is mentioned in despatches. He was Vice-President, Bombay Chamber of Commerce in 1926 and its President in 1930. He was a member Legislative Council, Bombay, from 1925 to 26, and was re-elected in 1930. Knighted in 1935.

Address—Central Bank Building, Bruce Street, Bombay.

Abraham, Very Rev. Fr. T. K., Vicar-General, Syrian Knanaya Diocese of Malabar,



subordinate to the Holy See of Antioch. Born on 21st February, 1873. He was ordained deacon on 7th May 1886, and made priest on 16th August, 1894, by Mar Joseph Dionysius, Metropolitan of Malabar. Became Vicar of the Parish of Kallichery in 1905 and appointed Vicar-General by

Mar Severious Metropolitan of the Knanaya

Diocese. He is manager of several Boys' and Girls' schools. Is in charge of Missionary activities in the Diocese as the Superintendent of Missions. Holds Trusteeship of the Diocese jointly with Mr. M. M. Abraham B.A., B.L., and of the Mar Severious Education Fund in connection with Mr. E. P. Mathew B.A., B.L. Enjoys exemption from attending Civil Courts, under orders of the Government of Travancore.

Address—St. Mary's Church, Kallichery, Changanore, Travancore.

Abeyagoonsekera, Edwin W., Member, State Council (Nuwara Eliya); J. P., for the Island and Proprietary Planter.

Address—"Wudawela Wulauwa", Karandagolle and Kandy, Ceylon.

Abhyankar, R. N., LL. B. General Secretary, The Commonwealth Assurance Co., Ltd.



Poona City. Born on 7th November, 1897. Educated at Wadi, New English School, and Fergusson College, Poona. Passed Matric 1914, B.A., 1919. Joined the Military Accounts Service. Left Law College, Bombay, during the Non-Co-operation Movement 1920. Served as a teacher in a National School at Poona and became a Congress-propagandist. Joined the Mulshi Satyagraha and was sentenced to six months' imprisonment. Resumed his legal studies and became an office assistant to Mr. Marathay, Actuary. Passed LL. B. and was recommended by Mr. Marathay for the post of Secretary of the General Assurance Society of Ajmore, 1927. Mr. Abhyankar served there for one full year but his ambitions would not allow him to be at rest. He wanted to start an independent office in Poona. With the help of Mr. N. C. Kelkar and other directors he started the Commonwealth Assurance Co. Ltd., in November, 1928, and since then he is working as its managing agent. The Com-

pany received a unique response all over India. Mr. Ahhyankar has recently started another concern, the Hindu Benefit Society, Ltd., which carries on provident insurance business, and which is a pioneer concern of Maharashtra in this respect. He is the secretary of Maharashtra Swadeshi Sangh, and he has with the help of his few friends organized Maharashtra Chamber of Commerce. He is one of the promoting directors of the Brihan Maharashtra Sugar Syndicate, Poona. He has also recently started, with the help of friends, the Presidency Industrial Bank, Ltd., of which he is the chairman. He is also a secretary to the "Paissa Fund" Institution, Talgaon.

Address—Budhwar Peth, Poona City.

Acheson, James Glasgow, C. I. E. 1929; Resident in Waziristan since 1935; son of John Acheson, J.P., Portadown, Co. Armagh; Married, 1917, Violet Catharine French, daughter of Lt. Col. C. W. Field, I.A. Has two sons and two daughters. Educated in St. Andrew's College, Dublin; Trinity College, Dublin. Entered Indian Civil Service, 1913; posted to United Provinces, whence in 1917 transferred to political service in Baluchistan; on special duty with Anglo-Afghan Conference at Mussoorie; 1920; member of British Mission to Kabul, 1921; Deputy Commissioner, Dera Ismail Khan (N.W.F.P.), 1923-24; political Agent, North Waziristan, 1924-26; deputy secretary to Government of India in the Foreign Department, 1927-29; (officialised as Foreign Secretary 1938, 1931 and 1935); on deputation to Imperial Defence College, 1929-1930; Deputy Commissioner, Peshawar, 1932-34. Recreations: Shooting, fishing. Club: United Service, Simla.

Achrekar, Atmaram Bhimaji, M.A., LL.B., Legal Practitioner, Satara City. Born on 17th September 1892, he was educated at the Fergusson College, Poona, the Wilson College, and the Government Law College, Bombay. He entered Bombay Municipal Service, 1916-17, and served in the Military Accounts Department (War), 1917-19. He was enrolled a member of the Satara Bar and practised for four years till 1924. He was General Secretary of the Deccan Non-Brahmin League from 1922-23. He gave up legal practice at the end of 1924, having been invited by the Indore Durbar to join the Indore State Service as District and Sessions Judge, and subsequently he joined the Kolhapur State Service in May, 1926, and has served the State in different capacities such as Legal Remembrancer, Nayab-Diwani, Finance and Home Minister, member of the Huzur Judicial Bench and of the State Council. He was a member Bombay Legislative Council till 1937.

Address—Satara City.

Adam Hajee Mohammad Sait, Khan Bahadur, merchant and landlord. Born



In 1895 at Cochin. Started business in 1909. He is the chief distributor of Messrs. Parry and Co., Ltd.; Messrs. Carreras India Ltd., ("Passing Show" Cigarettes) Calcutta; Agent, The Korala Soap Institute, Calicut, for Madras, Chingleput, N. Arcot, S. Arcot, Chittoor and Nellore Districts; Agent Messrs. Lipton's Ltd., Madras. He was twice the Secretary of the Southern India Chamber of Commerce. Appointed Sheriff of Madras for the year 1933 and was the first sheriff of Madras among the Cutchi Memon Community in the Madras Presidency. Was a member of King George V Silver Jubilee Committee and was awarded with a Silver Jubilee Medal. Created Khan Bahadur in 1934. He is a Member of The Anjuman Islam Association; The Mohammedan Educational Association, Madras; and a number of Charitable Institutions in Madras; a nominated Director of the Central Board of the Reserve Bank of India by H. E. The Viceroy; Member of the Advisory Committee of the Indian Territorial Force; The Government Presidency College, Madras; The Government Ophthalmic Hospital, Madras; Director, The Cochin State Power and Light Corporation Ltd., The Cochin Textiles Ltd., The Orr's Columbia House, Mettur Chemical and Industrial Corporation Ltd., the Rano (Madras) Ltd., Madras, and some more companies.

Club: Cosmopolitan, Madras.

Address—Mohammed Buildings, Bunder Street, George Town, Madras.

Adcock, William Robert Colquhoun. M.A., LL.B., M.R.S.T., Bar-at-law; Advocate, Lahore High Court. Born in 1883 (son of late Edmund Adcock H.E., I.C.S.). Was educated at Christ's Hospital; Peterhouse, Cambridge (Scholar); Squire Scholar in Law, Cambridge University; Abingdon School, 1906; Ceylon, 1909; Nigeria Education Department, 1910-19; Principal of La Martiniero College, Calcutta, 1920-23; Ataliq, Bhopal, 1923-24; Ataliq Nawabzadagan, Maler Kotla State 1924-26, 1927-28; Principal Maler Kotla College, 1926-27; called to Bar, 1913; seconded R.F. and Nigeria Regt., 1914-19; served Cameroun, France, Nigeria; Freeman of London, 1917; President, Association of Headmasters of European Schools in India, 1922; Vice-President, 1923.

Clubs: British Empire; Bengal, Calcutta.
Address—Judhiana, Punjab, India.

Addison, Maj.-Gen. George Henry. C.B. (1933); C.M.G. (1918); D.S.O. (1915); R.F.; Additional Financial Adviser Army Headquarters, India, since 1936. Born on 13th May, 1876 (son of Lt.-Col. G.W. Addison, late R.F.). Was married in 1905 to Margaret, daughter of R. Henderson, and has one son and one daughter. Educated at Wellington; R.M. Academy, Woolwich; Fellow-Commencer, Kings College, Cambridge, 1920-23; B.A. (Honours Mod. Sc.) 1922; M.A., 1927. Entered army, 1895; served South Africa, 1899-1902 (Queen's medal three clasps, King's medal, two clasps) European War, 1914-18; awarded third class order of St. Anne of Russia (with swords), 1916. Lieut. 1898; Capt. 1904; Adjutant, 1914; Major, 1914; Lt. Col. 1922; Col. 1926; A.A.G. at War Office, 1927-30; Chief Engineer, Aldershot, 1930-31; Engineer-in-Chief, India, 1932-36; retired pay, 1936.

Clubs: Army and Navy, M.C.C.
Address—Army Headquarters, India.

Addison, Sir James. Kt. (1935); Judge, High Court, Lahore. Born on 13th November, 1874, (son of James Addison, J. P., Whitehills, Boyudie, Banff). Was married in 1908 to Vera Mary Dolphino, daughter of James Alfred Cones, and has one son and one daughter. Educated at Banff Academy, Aberdeen University, (M.A., B.Sc.); Simpson Prizeman in Mathematics; Greig Prizeman in Physics; David Tennant Gold Medallist, and Fullerton Mathematical Scholar. Entered Indian Civil Service, 1902; District Judge, Delhi, 1909; Special Land Acquisition Officer, New Delhi, 1912; Judge, Small Cause Court, Simla, 1917; District and Sessions Judge, Rawalpindi, 1920; Additional Judge High Court, Lahore, 1925; Acting Chief Justice High Court, Lahore, 1935. Club: East India United Service.

Address—High Court, Lahore.

Advani, Pritamdas Bhojraj. M.Sc., Tech. (Manchester), M.I.E., J.P.; Director of Industries with the Government of Bombay since August, 1928. Born in May 1891, he had his education at N. H. Academy, Hyderabad, (Sind) and Victoria University, Manchester. Married Parvati C. Vyaswani. He became an assistant in the Metropolitan-Vickers Electrical Company, Manchester, 1917, and returned to India as assistant in the Metropolitan-Vickers Electrical Company, Bombay, in 1919. He was manager of the Metropolitan-Vickers Electrical Company, Bombay Branch, 1922-28.

Address—63, Pedder Road, Bombay.

Aga Mastafakhan, Miss B. O.B.E., cousin of H. H. The Aga Khan G. C. S. I.,



G.C.I.F., G. C. V. O., and a social worker, Poona. Born in Mesopotamia. Educated at Convent of Jesus and Mary, Poona, and Clare Road Convent, Bombay. Has been a delegate to several sessions of the All-India Women's Conference. Member of the Local Committee of the All-India Women's Conference. Was the Persian delegate to the All-Asian Women's Conference at Lahore, 1930. Member of standing Committee of the All-India Women's Conference held at Lahore. Has received a small gift from H. E. Lord and Lady Willingdon as a memento of her social work. Mentioned in despatches for valuable services in connection with the Great War and was awarded a War badge. Created O.B.E. She has very strong ideas on social problems. She insists on the abolition of the old custom of extravagant expenses in connection with marriage, especially in the case of the poor.

Address—Aga Khan's Bungalow,
Near Railway Station, Poona.

Aga Shah Rook Shah, Nawab Shah Rook Yar Jung Bahadur, is the grandson of H. H. the first Aga Khan and first cousin to H. H. the Aga Khan, G. C. S. I., G. C. I. E., G. C. V. O. He is educated in English and Persian. He married the oldest daughter of Aga Sahabuddin Shah in 1897. He was Hon. A. D. C. to H. E. H. the Nizam of Hyderabad, G. C. S. I., G. B. E., in 1918. Hon. Private Secretary to H. H. the Aga Khan in 1900. He was the President of the suburban municipality, Poona, from 1925-30. He is the founder and president of Servants of Islam Society, Poona, and the Faiz-ul-Islam Club, Poona. He has been a Director Queen Mary's Technical School for Disabled Indian Soldiers, Kirkcaldy, since 1923; member of committee, Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, Poona, since 1926; member of Committee, Released Prisoners' Aid Society, Poona, 1927, and Fellow of Royal Society of Arts (London). He was nominated a member of the Bombay Legislative Council. He is a prominent figure of the Ismailia Community and takes a keen interest in all the social, educational and economic conditions of the Mahomedan community in general. His activities in Rural uplift are well-known, and he is a member of almost all the associations and clubs in Poona.

Address—11, Connaught Road, Poona.

Agar, Lt.-Col. John Arnold Shelton, D.S.O., (1918). Married in 1923 to Kathleen Douglas, the only daughter of H. Douglas Robertson, Indian Police, retired, and has two sons. Served European War, 1914-18 (despatches, D.S.O., Bt. Lt. Col.).

Address—Tangakello, Lindula, Ceylon.

Agarwala, Lala Girdharilal, B.A., Advocate, Allahabad High Court. Born on 16th February 1878 he was educated at Agra College, B.S.M., London. Married a sister of Lala Banwari Lal Gupta, B.A., LL.B. Was a Member, First Legislative Assembly, was Director, Moradabad Spinning and Weaving Mill for ten years, and of Baharal Cotton Gin and Press Co. Ltd., for six years; elected member of the first Bar Council, Agra Province; secretary, United Province (Hindu Sabha); president Agarwal Sava Samiti; member, Hindu Law Research Society; member, Court Benares Hindu University; president Defenseless Prisoners' Aid Society, Secretary, All-India Bankers' Chamber.

Address—83 George Town, Allahabad.

Ahmed, Kabeerud-din, Bar-at-Law, Landholder and Advocate, High Court,



Calcutta. Born in 1886, he was educated at Malda Government High School and Magdalen College, Cambridge. Called to the Bar in 1910. Member, University Court Dacca. Elected member, Bengal Legislative Council, 1920; Elected member Legislative Assembly, 1921-23, 1924-26, 1927-30, 1931-34; and in 1935. Founder of Parli-

amentary Muslim Party in Indian Legislative Assembly, 1924-26, and its chief whip; member, Democratic Party in Indian Legislature 1921-23; member of the Royal Commission on Labour 1929-31; elected president Bengal Agricultural Conference, 1917; founder and president, Indian Seaman's Union, Calcutta, 1922-27, and its elected patron in 1929.

Address—10, Hastings Street, Calcutta, and Konsalt Malda, Bengal.

Ahmed, Dr. Ziauddin, M. A., (Cantab), Ph. D., (Göttingen), D. Sc., C.I.E., Vice-



Chancellor, Aligarh Muslim University. Born in 1878. Was educated at Aligarh and Allahabad; passed B.A., with distinction from Allahabad University and M.A., from Calcutta University, 1898. Obtained Government of India State Scholarship, Research Degree from Trinity

College, (Cambridge), 1903, and Sir Isaac Newton's Studentship, 1904; became Fellow Royal Astronomical Society, and member, London Mathematical Society, since 1904; joined Göttingen University and obtained Ph. D. 1906; studied in Paris and Bologna (Italy) for one year, after spending four months in Al-Azhar University (Egypt), where he studied Arabian Astronomy; joined M. A. O. College, Aligarh, as Professor of Mathematics, 1907; member, Industrial Conference, associated actively with the foundation of Aligarh University; member, Calcutta University Commission, 1906; principal, M. A. O. College, 1918; first Pro-Vice Chancellor, 1921; represented Allahabad University in United

Province Legislative Council, 1919; member, Sioon and Shea Committees on Indianisation of Army; resigned post at Aligarh to join Legislative Assembly representing Eastern District United Province; presided over All-India Educational Conference, Lahore, 1933; member, Railway Statutory Board Committee; went to England representing Assembly, 1933; re-elected member Assembly as an independent candidate, 1934; elected Vice-Chancellor, Aligarh Muslim University, 1935. Publications:—"History of Education" (1914), "System of Education in England, Germany, France and America," (1929), "System of Examination" (1933).

Address—Aligarh.

Ahmad, Nazir, M. Sc., Ph. D., F. Inst. P. Director, Cotton Technological Laboratory, Bombay. Born in June, 1898. Was educated at M.A.O. College, Aligarh, Government College, Lahore, and Peter House, Cambridge. Married in August, 1936, to Miss Razia Aslam. He was the Head of the Science Department, Islamia College, Lahore, 1925-30; Assistant Director, Cotton Technological Laboratory, Bombay, 1930-31; Fellow, Punjab University, 1927-30. Is a member, Advisory Board and Council, Imperial Council of Agricultural Research since 1933; Fellow Bombay University since 1935.

Address—Cotton Technological Laboratory, Bombay, 19.

Akbar, Hon. M. T., K.C., (1925), Puisne Judge Supreme Court of Ceylon since 1929. Was born, on 15th June, 1880 (son of late M. S. J. Akbar, M.M.C., merchant and planter). Married in 1917. Was educated at Royal College, Colombo; Emmanuel College, Cambridge (Scholar); Bar-at-Law, 1904; Crown Counsel, 1909; Solicitor-General and Member Legislative Council, 1924-29; acting Puisne Judge Supreme Court, 1925; acting Attorney-General, 1927; Member Executive Council, Ceylon, 1927-29; Chairman and Founder of the Prevention of Crime Association of Ceylon.

Publications: "Assistant Editor in Roman-Dutch Law," "Burges' Colonial Laws," Vol. IV.

Address—Colombo, Ceylon.

Alam, Dr. Sheik Mohamed, B.A. (Oxon); B.A. LL.B., LL.D., T.C. (Dub); Bar-at-Law, is a prominent member of the Muslim Nationalist Party. Born in 1897. Joined the Non-Co-operation Movement of 1921; jailed during Satyagraha Movements of 1930-32; member, Congress Working Committee, 1931-33; Founded "Taryak", an Urdu daily; member of the Punjab Legislative Council.

Address—Lahore.

Ali Abdullah Yusuf, C.B.E. 1917; M.A., LL.M. (Cantab.); Fellow of the Royal Society of Literature; Fellow of the Royal Empire Society. Member of the Royal Institute of International Affairs; member of the Royal Asiatic Society; Barrister-at-law. Born on 4th April 1872, son of late Khan Bahadur Yusuf Ali. Educated, Wilson College, Bombay, Bombay University, St. John's College, Cambridge. Joined Indian Civil Service, 1895; assistant Magistrate and Collector, Saharanpur, 1896; joint Magistrate in charge Karwi sub-division, 1899; assistant Sessions Judge and additional Sessions Judge, Saharanpur, 1902; subsequently Deputy and Commissioner and District Magistrate, Conda, Sultanpur and Fatehpur; Under-Secretary to Government of India, Finance Department 1907; on special duty with Government of India, and acted as Deputy Secretary, 1911-12. Retired from Indian Civil Service, 1914. President, U. P. Industrial Conference, Agra, 1909; President, All-India Mohammedan Educational Conference, Nagpur, December 1910; Lecturer on Hindustani, Hindi, and Indian Religions, Manners and Customs, School of Oriental Studies, London University, 1917-19. Chairman of special committee on shellac, and on gums, rosins, and essential oil; and member of the Committee on India Imperial Institute, 1916-19. President of Indian Students' Prisoners of War fund, 1916. Lecture Tour in Denmark, Sweden and Norway, April-May 1918, and in Holland, October-November 1920; Sarfi-Khas Counsel, Hyderabad, Deccan, 1919-20; Revenue Minister Hyderabad Deccan, 1921-22. Lucknow Bar, 1922-24; Principal Islamia College, Lahore, 1925-27; Fellow and Syndic, Punjab University; member of Court, Aligarh University; educational tour through the Near East; one of India's representatives to the ninth Assembly of League of Nations, 1928; world tour, through America, Hawaiian Islands, Japan, China, Philippines, Straits Settlement, Ceylon and India, 1929-30; through Canada from Halifax to Victoria as guest of National Council of Education, 1932; Executive Committee of World Conference for International Peace Through Religion; President Sind Azad Conference, 1932; President All-India Muslim Conference, Calcutta, 1932; Member Punjab University Enquiry Committee, 1932-33; Principal, Islamia College, Lahore, and Fellow of the Punjab University in 1935.

Publications:—"Tifa and Labour in India," 1907; "The Indian Mohammedans," 1907; "Mestrovic and Serbian Sculpture," 1916; "Indian Section" in "Expansion of the Anglo Saxon Nations," 1920; sixth edition "Wilson's Anglo-Mohammedan Law," 1930; "Muslim Educational Ideals," 1923; "Making of India," 1925; "Islam As a World Force," 1926; "India and Europe," 1926; "Three Travellers to India," 1927; "Social and Economic Conditions in

"Mediaeval India" (in Urdu) 1928; "Fundamentals of Islam," 1929; "Personality of Mohammed the Prophet," 1929; "Moral Education; Aims and Methods," 1930; "Personality of Man in Islam," 1931; "Imam Hussain and his Martyrdom," 1931; "Mediaeval India," 1932; "Religious Polity of Islam," 1933; "English Translation and Commentary on the Quran," 1934-37; "Life and Literature," 1936; "Religion and Social Equality," 1936; "Islamic History, Its Scope and Content," 1936; articles in Indian and English magazines and papers. Recreations; walking, riding, travel, tennis, chess.

Address—B, Mansel Road, Wimbledon, S.W.

Ali Imam, Sir Syed, K.C.L.E. (1914), C.S.I. (1911). Born on 11th February 1869. Called to Bar Middle Temple, 1890; Standing Counsel Calcutta High Court; president the first session of the All-India Muslim League held at Amritsar in 1908; member Muslim League deputation to England, 1909; member Governor's Legislative Council, Bengal, 1910; Fellow of Calcutta University, 1908-12; law member of Governor-General's Council, 1910-16; Puisne Judge, of Patna High Court, 1917; member Executive Council of Bihar and Orissa, 1918; president of the Executive Council the Government of the Nizam of Hyderabad in 1919; First Indian Representative to the League of Nations' first meeting in 1920.

Address—Marian Manzil, Patna, and Bolla Vista, Hyderabad (Deccan.)

Allabax Dangre Kalal, Municipal Councillor and Abkari Contractor, Sangli. Born in



1892. Educated at Sangli. Married Anjirbai, daughter of Chandsahob of Tasgaon, and has two sons and three daughters. The family came from Mun in Satara district and settled in Sangli fifty years ago. After education Mr. Allabax joined his father's business and has been a

municipal councillor, Sangli municipality, for the last six years, and has been on the managing committee for the last four years. During the elections he received mainly the support of Hindu voters. He is a trustee of Jinnah Masjid and a member. Anjuman Islam, Sangli.

Address—Sangli, S.M.C.

Allimahomed, Gulamhusein Moloo-bhai, J.P., Share, Stock and Exchange Broker,



Bombay. Born in 1886, he was educated at Bhurda New High School, Bombay. After leaving school in 1904, he joined his father, Gulamhusein Moloo-bhai, in latter's business as a stock exchange broker. After the death of his father, continued the business under the name and style of Gulamhusein Moloo-bhai. A keen business man and of obliging nature, he was elected a director on the Board of directors of the Native Share and Stock Brokers' Association in 1932. He is President of Bundoalibhoy Mohomedbhoy Free Dispensary and also takes keen interest in all charitable work. Married in 1910 to Mariam, daughter of Fazal Alloo-bhoy Mooraj, and has five daughters and two sons. His eldest son, Mohomedhusein, after taking education in England, settled down in business of Exchange and his second son is studying in England.

Address—Moloo-bhoy House, 11, Harkness Road, Malabar Hill, Bombay.

Allan, Robert George, C.I.E. (1936), M.A. Cantab., late Indian Agricultural Service. Born on 7th November, 1879. Was Principal Agricultural College, Nagpur, 1907; officiating Director of Agriculture, Central Provinces, 1926; Director of Agriculture, United Provinces, 1931; retired from service in 1935, and joined the Baroda State Service as Director of Agriculture.

Address—Baroda.

Alwar Chetti, Rao Bahadur, C. T.
Partner, V. Porumal Chetti & Sons, Madras.



Born on 19th August 1885, he received his education at the Christian College and Presidency College, Madras. Went to England and the Continent to study trade conditions in 1922; attended the Wembley Exhibition in 1924. Visited England and Continent in 1929, and China and Japan in 1931 and

England in 1937 to witness the Coronation. Was sub-Secretary in the Prince of Wales' Reception Committee, 1922; was councillor, Corporation of Madras, 1921-22; secretary, National Indian Association since 1917; made Rao Bahadur in 1928. Club: Madras.

Address—Gorleston, Harrington Road, Chetput, Madras.

Amarasekara, A.C.G.S., Mudaliyar. Artist, Principal of the Atelier School of Art, Vice-president, Ceylon Society of Arts; licentiate member of the Faculty of Arts, London; Exhibitor in Paris and London Galleries; life member, Ceylon Cottage Industries Society; member of India Society, London; vice-president, Ceylon Hon. Chiefs' Association and member managing Committee, Colombo Museum.

Address—"The Atelier," Reid Avenue, Colombo.

Amarasuriya, H. W., Member State Council (Galle); Proprietary Planter Citrus Group, Akkimaana.

Address—Talbot Town Office, Galle, Ceylon.

Ameresekere, H. E., Retired Mudaliyar; M.P., Vice-President, Paddy Growers' Association; President, Medical Club; Member Local Land Advisory Committee.

Address—"Parana Pattuwa Walauwa," Hambantota, Ceylon.

Amarjit Singh, Major Maharajkumar, C. I. E., 1935; M.A. (Oxon); Indian Army; Commandant Kapurthala State Forces. Born on 5th August, 1893 (son of H. H. the Maharaja of Kapurthala). Married in 1922 to Sophie Adjemoff. Was educated at Military Theresianum Academy, Vienna; Christ Church, Oxford. Served in France during European War as Second Lieutenant in Indian

Army; Recruiting Officer, Kapurthala State, 1917-18; (Hony. Captain in Indian 1914-15 Star, British War Medal, Allied Victory Medal); King's Indian Recruiting Medal; Hony. A.D.C. to Commander-in-Chief in India, 1926-30; British Staff Officer to General Gouraud, Military Governor, Paris, during his tour in India, 1928-29; Hony. Major in Indian Army 1930; King's Silver Jubilee Medal, having attended Silver Jubilee, 1935.

Clubs: Western India Turf, Willington, Sports, Bombay, Calcutta.

Address—Kapurthala State, India.

Amersey, Manmohandas Madhavadas, Mill-owner, Cotton-Exporter to Japan and Europe and a partner in Messrs. Amersey Damodar, Madhavadas Amersey & Co., Amersey & Sons, and The Madhusudan Mills Ltd., Bombay. Born on 10th July, 1890. Educated at Elphinstone High School, Bombay. Married in 1923 to Miss Shakuntla, daughter of Dharmadas Tribhovandas Verjeevandas, and has two sons and one daughter. Has been a member of Indian Merchants' Chamber Committee and of East India Cotton Association; was secretary, Hindu Gymkhana for fifteen years, and president of the All-India Cricket Selection Committee. The Amersey brothers have donated one lakh and fifty thousand rupees towards the Madhavadas Amersey High School at Andheri. Mr. Amersey is an active partner of the firms of his family and has travelled through Europe, China, Japan, and America acquiring a sound knowledge of business and finance.

Address—Madhukul, Carmichael Road, Cumballa Hill, Bombay.

Anantam, Rev. Dhannavada, B.A. (Madras), Hon. Chaplain to the Bishop of Madras and Hon. Canon of St. George's Cathedral, Madras; missionary of the Church Missionary Society. Was born in 1850 of Brahmin parents, father a Government official; embraced Christianity and was baptized in 1866. Married twice and has two sons. Was educated Noble College, Masulipatam. Master in Noble College, 1871-87; prepared for Holy Orders in the C.M.S. Divinity School, Madras, 1888; ordained, 1889; itinerating missionary in the Telugu Country, 1889-93; engaged in the revision of the Telugu Bible, 1897-1900; Principal of the C.M.S. High School, Beawada, 1894-96, and 1901-11; visited Britain twice 1912 and 1926; retired, 1921. Publications: worked on the committees for the revision of of Telugu Bible and the Common Prayer Book; edited a Telugu Lexicon for the Madras School Book Society; edited two monthly magazines (in Telugu) for more than forty years; prepared several standard theological works and minor publications.

Address—Basavangudi, Bangalore City.

Anderson, George Henry Garstin, D.S.O. (1918), M.C., Principal, Services and General Dept. India Office, since 1930. Was born on 22nd April, 1896 (son of late J. D. Anderson, Litt. D., I.C.S.). Married in 1924 to Doris Constance, daughter of late E. J. Gross, M.A., President of Gonville and Caius College, Cambridge, and has two daughters. Educated at Perse School, Cambridge; Caius College, Cambridge. Joined Rifle Brigade, 1915; served European War, operations in France and Belgium, 1915-18 (despatches, D.S.O., M.C., and Bar); Adjutant, 2nd Battalion Rifle Brigade, 1918-21; entered Indian Civil Service, 1921; served as personal assistant to Chief Commissioner, Delhi; entered India Office, 1925.

Address—Horsloo, Oxted, Surrey.

Anderson, Frederick, C.I.E. (1926), B.Sc., Chief Engineer, United Provinces. Was born on 19th June, 1884. He was educated at Edinburgh University, B.Sc. Joined Indian Service of Engineers in 1905.

Address—United Provinces.

Aney, Madhav Shrihari, B.A., B.L., (Cal); M.L.A., Pleader. Born on 29th August



1880. Married Yashna (died 1925). Educated at Morris College, Nagpur. Was appointed a teacher Kashibai Private High School, Anirauti, 1904-07; joined bar 1908 at Yotmal; Vice-President, Indian Home Rule League; President Birar Provincial Congress Committee, 1921-30; joined Civil Disobedience

Movement; President Indian National Congress, 1933; Member Legislative Assembly of Birar, 1924-26, 1927-1930 and 1935; Member, Congress Working Committee, 1924-25 and 1931-34; founded Yotmal District Association, 1916; Member Nehru Committee; Vice-President Responsivist Party; General Secretary, Congress Nationalist Party, 1934; Leader Congress Nationalist Assembly Group, 1935; General Secretary, Anti-Communal Award Conference Working Committee, 1935. Publications: "Collection of Writings and Speeches" (in Marathi).

Address—Yotmal, Birar.

Annamalai Chettiar, S.A.A., Ex-M.L.C. Merchant and banker and Hon. Magistrate. Born in 1902, he is the fourth son of the late S.A. Annamalai Chettiar and belongs to one of the most respectable and richest Nattukottai fami-

lies of South India. He has business connections in Madras and Burma. He has visited the British Empire Exhibition and the Continent of Europe, including Germany where he studied aviation for nearly two months and obtained a certificate, being the first Indian aviator. He is the Managing Director of the Kanadukathan Electric Supply Corporation, Ltd. The S. A. Annamalai Chettiar Hospital at Kanadukathan opened by His Excellency Viscount Goschen in 1925 is the outcome of the efforts of his family. He takes much interest in sports and is the owner of some race horses. He was a representative of S.I. Chamber of Commerce in the S. I. Ry. Advisory Committee in 1930.

Address—"Sea View" High Road, San Thome, Mylapore, Madras.

Angadi, Rao Bahadur Shanmukh Ningappa, L.L.B. Ex.-M.L.C., a leading



member of the Belgaum Bar comes of a well-known Lingayat family and is the youngest son of Mr. Ningappa Angadi, a wealthy landlord at Snnadhalli Gokak Taluka, Belgaum. Born on 17th January, 1894, he had his education at Rajaram High School, Kolhapur, and Deccan College, Poona. He passed L.L.B. from the Government Law School, Bombay, and started life as a pleader in Belgaum. His public work covers a period beginning from 1923 when he was nominated as a member of the Taluka Local Board, Gokak, and elected member of the District Local Board, Belgaum. He was the first elected President of the District Local Board (1926-29). He showed remarkable ability in all the civic movements and was elected to the Bombay Legislative Council in 1923 representing Belgaum District Non-Mohammedan Rural Constituency. He was made a Rao Bahadur in July 1926. His activities cover a wide field such as:—

Member Franchise Committee; member Finance Committee; member University Senate; member, Presidency Road Board Committee; President, Gadag Co-operative Conference; President Bijapur Ryots Conference; Divisional Road Board Committee; member and chairman Indian Territorial Force Committee for some time. He is the President of the District Local Board, Belgaum, elected second time, and Belgaum District Scout Commissioner. In all these public activities he has secured for himself a fair and honoured name in Western India. He takes a keen interest in all the social, educational, and political activities in Karnataka and also much interest in the Karnatak Lingayat Education Society, Belgaum. He was a Member of the Bombay Presidency Delimitation Committee.

Address—Fort, Belgaum.

Appu Nair, Rao Sahab P. B.A., B.L., Bar-at-Law, (certificate of honour), Secretary to the Government of Madras, Legal Department and Remembrancer of Legal Affairs. Born in June 1889, he received his education at the Victoria College, Palghat, the Presidency College, Madras and the Law College, Madras. Called to the Bar in 1928. Was awarded Special Prize by the Gray's Inn and bonus by Government. Studied Parliamentary practice and procedure at the House of Commons, London, for six months. Practised at Madras for six years as a lawyer; Registrar, Court of Small Causes, Madras, for one year; deputed to the Legislative Department to the Government of India for legal training, in 1930. Was Under Secretary to the Government Law Department, 1930-34; Deputy Secretary to Government (Public Department), 1934-36; nominated special member of the Madras Legislative Council for the consideration of the Marumakkathayam and Nambudiri Bills. He was made Rao Sahab in 1933.

Address—Secretariat, Madras.

Apte, Shridhar Laxman, Managing Agent Long Life Insurance Co., Ltd., Poona, and Ex-Chairman, Poona Merchants' Co-operative Bank, Ltd., Poona. He was born at

Bhanghorwadi, Lonavla, on 25th December, 1894, and was educated at Junnar in Poona District. He was in Government Service from 1912-1921. He became manager of the Poona Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd., Poona, in 1921; and the skill and abilities shown by him as manager enabled him to become the managing director of the bank in 1927. He has represented the urban banks in the Presidency as a director at the Bombay Provincial Co-operative Bank, Ltd., from 1930-34. His numerous activities as Hon. Secretary of the Maharashtra Divisional Co-operative Institute, Poona, and Hon. Treasurer of the Deccan Agricultural Association and many other industrial and agricultural institutions in Poona and Bombay have secured for him a fair and honoured name in Western India, and no one has a word to say against his sincerity in public work. His suggestions are always practical and he never mixes himself in the hurly-burly of politics. He is a keen advocate of rural uplift and takes considerable interest in matters affecting agriculture and cottage industries. He established the Long-Life Insurance Co. Ltd., in 1933.

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Armour, John Stuart, I.E.S., M.A., (Glasgow) 1910; B.A., (Oxon) 1913; Principal Patna College since (1935). Born on 25th January, 1885. Educated in Glasgow University, and Balliol College, Oxford. Married on November 4th, 1915, to Miss Elizabeth Veronica Gibson, (two sons and two daughters). He passed M.A. and B.A. with honours in English and History. He was Linko Fellow in English at Glasgow University, 1910-13; Professor of English, Patna College from 1914; Principal of G. B. B. College at Munassarpur, 1930-35. He is the Vice-President of the Patna University Athletic Club and Debating Society. War service G. S. O. III attd. Intelligence (Mesopotamia).

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Ardeshir, A.C., was educated at St. Vincent's High School and Deccan College, Poona; graduated 1906 with the highest distinction in B.A., passing first class first and carrying off all available history prizes and scholarships; fellow of the Deccan College 1906-1908, M.A., 1908, studied



law for nearly two years in Bombay but further studies for domestic reasons were interrupted and he had to join business where he has been successful in his varied undertakings. In December, 1917, after his marriage with Sarah Dhanjishah Bolton he made a tour by motor car of Southern India and Ceylon, which then claimed distinction as a record in the era of motor-ing. A detailed account of this six months' extensive tour was written by him and published with photographs in 1919 and 1920 in a series of twenty-four articles "From Poona to Cape Comorin (and Ceylon) and back again along the East and West Coasts" in "Indian Industries and Power." As a result of this tour, art, archaeology, and engineering fascinated him.

Designed and built his magnificent residence at Yeroda (Poona) 1920-22, built the Lloyd Polo Club 1924, and the Eves Estate of Sir Victor Sassoon, 1925-28, Poona. Took to

racine seriously in 1927 and is the only member of his community to win almost all classical races throughout India for thoroughbreds and Arabs. Reintroduced and established the Australian horse and the Arab mare on the Indian Turf by the smashing victories recorded by his famous animals. Organized the Western India Race Horse Owners' Association and his activities on the turf as its secretary from 1930-35 are well-known. Appointed acting steward, 1935, and elected member of the committee and steward, 1936, of the Royal Western India Turf Club. Immensely interested in Indian art and possessing one of the finest collections of Mughal paintings in India, his knowledge and vast study of this latter subject fully entitle him to be considered an expert in this branch of Indian Art.

He has a daughter, Mheroo Ardeshir Bomanji adopted by his brother-in-law and sister, Sir Dhunjibhoy and Lady Bomanji, and a son, Sohrab, A. C. Ardeshir.

Address—"Firdaus", Yerrowda, Poona.

Arndt, Rev. Geo. E. H., M.A., (Cantab), Vicar Christ Church Cathedral, and St. James Church Kottahona; Editor and Manager, "Ceylon Church"; Hon. Secretary, Diocesan Board of Education; Manager, "The Dharma-deepthiya," Cathedral schools.

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Arora, Dr. Harnam Singh, F.R.S., M.A. (1924); B.Sc. (Agr. 1924); Ph.D. (1933); Bar-at-



Law (1932). Lecturer in Economics, Government College, Lahore, since 1936. Born on 12th December 1898. Son of Dr. Ghanu Singh, retired Civil Surgeon. Was educated at Saharanpur, Agra, Aligarh, Lyallpur, Lahore, and London. Won Government Scholarship for two years for securing second position in

the F. Sc. Ag. Examination in 1920. Married on 15th November 1915 to Bibi Sant Kaur. Two sons, Amarjeet Singh, and Man Mohan Singh. Was Professor of Economics, Khalsa College, Amritsar, 1924-28; head of the Economics Department, Khalsa College 1932-36. First entered P. R. S. in 1936. Secretary of the Old Boys' Tennis Club, Government College. He is the Fellow of the Royal Economic Society, London; member, Royal Agricultural Society, England; president of the Round Table Club, Government College, Lahore; member, Agricultural Faculty and the Board of Studies in Economics, Punjab University. Contributed to various educational institutions, etc.

Address—Government College, Lahore, India.

Arulambalam, C., Advocate, Jaffna; Secretary, Jaffna Co-Operative Central Bank, Ltd., Vice-President, Jaffna Saiva Paripalana Sabha; Member, Central Board of Agriculture.

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Aravamuda Aiyengar, Diwan Bahadur, S. M.B.E., comes from a very



respectable family, of the South. He was born in October 1874. His early education was at Kumbakonam (Madras Presidency) and he graduated from the Christian College, Madras, with distinction. He passed his B. L. examination at the early age of nineteen, and soon after approu-

ticed himself to the celebrated voloran lawyer, the late Mr. Eardly Norton. Soon after his apprentice course was over Mr. Aiyengar set up his practice in Hyderabad, Deccan, having chosen that place because of his father's connection with the Gadwal Samasthan (a tributary state within the Nizam's dominions) as legal advisor, judge and Diwan. Very soon he carved out for himself the leadership of the Bar. In the midst of a busy practice at the Bar, he was among the pioneers who started the Hyderabad Co-operative Central Bank at a time when co-operation was unknown in the State. Ever since, he has been guiding the destinies of the bank. He placed his services at the disposal of the Local Government in spite of his lucrative practice at the Bar and at great financial sacrifice. He has commanded the confidence of the Residency and the Government of India, and he was appointed the Under-Secretary to the Honourable the Resident more than once. He was made a Diwan Bahadur in June 1923 and an M.B.E. in 1930. He has been the Government Pleader for the Local British Administration for several years. He is not only the leader of the Bar in the British administered areas of the Hyderabad State, but he is the acknowledged leader of the Bar in the Hyderabad State. He was the president of the local Lawyers' Conference. In addition to his professional duties he takes very great interest in public work; so much so that he is the president or vice-president of various public institutions in Hyderabad, such as the Co-operative Bank, Young men's Improvement Society, the Bar Association, Humanitarian League, the Co-operative Union, Temperance Committee, etc.

Address—Hyderabad, Deccan.

Asaf Ali, M. L. A., Bar-at-Law. Born in 1888, he was educated at Stephens' College Delhi, and Lincoln's Inn, London. Jailed

several times in connection with the Congress Movement. Was Municipal Commissioner, Delhi. Active member, Nationalist Muslim Party; secretary, Parliamentary Board; elected to the Legislative Assembly in 1935.

Address—Kucha Chelan, Delhi.

Ashley-Brown, The Venerable William, Archdeacon of Bombay and Cha-



plain, Poona. Born on 2nd February, 1887, he was educated at St. John's College, Armadale, and Australian College of Theology, Th. L. (Hons.) He was ordained Deacon in 1910, Priest in 1911. Curate Christ Church Cathedral, Grafton, (N.S.W.) in 1910. Vicar Walcott (N.S.W.) in 1911. Vicar Coff's Harbour (N.S.W.) in 1913; Chaplain to Forces (ANZAC) in 1915 (Gallipoli Egypt Western Front); Third Class Chaplain in 1917; Indian Ecclesiastical Establishment in 1917; chaplain, Deolali Concentration Camps in 1917; War Service (Persian Gulf Red Sea 1918-1919); Chaplain Mahableshwar, Ghorpuri, Satara, in 1919; Deolali Concentration Camps 1920-27. Senior Chaplain in 1926; Acon in 1927; Kirkee in 1928, and Poona in 1932. He is the author of various publications. "The Hole in the Board," (Hutchinson's 1928); "Zandi Princess of Abyssinia," (1936), and "The Romance of the Church in W. India," (in preparation) and literary, philosophical and theological essays, short stories and verses in various foreign journals.

Address—St. Mary's Lodge, Poona.

Asprey, Oliver Alfred, Manager, Edwin Duckett and Company. Born 24th November, 1900, he was educated in South India. He married in 1928, Miss Dorothy, daughter of Edwin Duckett of Poona. One son and one daughter. He was secretary and treasurer of Burma Union Mission of Seventh-day Adventists, 1928-30. Later joined the business

of his father-in-law, Edwin Duckett and Company, the pioneer sculptors in the Deccan. Mr. Asprey is a young man of great industrial pursuits, endowed to a remarkable degree with courage, deep religious feeling, and high principles.

Address—2409, East Street, Poona.

Auchinleck, Maj-General Claude

John Eyre, C.S.I. (1936); C.B. (1934); D.S.O. (1917); O. B. E. (1919); Indian Army; Deputy Chief of General Staff Army Headquarters, India, (since 1936); Col. of First Punjab Regt. since 1933. Born on 1884 (son of late Colonel John Claude Auchinleck, R. A.). Married in 1921 to Jessie, daughter of late Alexander Stewart, of Innerhadden, Kinloch-Rannoch, Perthshire. Educated at Wellington College. Served Egypt, 1914-15; Aden, 1915; Mesopotamia, 1916-19, (despatches, D. S. O., Croix de Guerre, O. B. E., Brevet Lt. Col.); operations against Upper Mohmands, 1933, (despatches, C. B.); commanded first battle First Punjab Regt. 1929-30; Commander Peshawar Brigade, India, (1933-36).

Club: United Services.

Address—Army Headquarters, India;

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Augusti, K. Joseph, Managing Director, Palai Central Bank, Palai, Travancore. Born



on first December 1884, in Kayalackakom family with long commercial traditions. He

look to business early in life. Is a pioneer in joint stock enterprise in Travancore. Was one of the first to introduce motor industry in the State. Mr. Joseph Augusti is a landholder and keen business man and commands the respect and confidence of the people at large. Founded the Palai Central Bank, Limited, which is one of the foremost in Travancore in point of capital, assets and importance. Has large interests in the bank besides being its managing director.

Address—Palai, Travancore.

Ayanger, Valangiman Krishnaswami

Aravamudha, M.A., C.I.E. (1928); Secretary Indian Central Banking Enquiry Committee. Born on 15th December 1891, he was educated at Government College, Kumbakonam and Presidency College, Madras. Joined the office of the Accountant-General, Madras, and later on became personal Assistant to the Controller of Currency, Calcutta; was Assistant Secretary, Finance Department, Government of India; joint-secretary to the Royal Commission on Indian Currency and Finance; under-Secretary, Finance Department, Government of India; member of the Joint Committee on the Reserve Bank of India Bill; under secretary to Government of India Commerce Department; Officer on special duty, Finance Department, Government of India; and Secretary, Indian Central Banking Enquiry Committee, Budget-Office, Finance Department Government of India.

Address—Wingate, Simla.

Aziz, Syed Abdul, Barrister-at-Law. Minister of Education, Bihar. Was born in 1885. Educated at Patna College and B.N. College. Called to the Bar in 1911 by the Middle Temple. Enrolled Advocate of Calcutta High Court, 1913, and of Patna High Court, 1916. Founded the Anjuman Islamiya Urdu public library and the Patna Club. President, Anjuman Islamiya and Patna Muslim Orphanage; interested in the development of Urdu language; presided over several literary conferences; returned to Provincial Legislature in 1926 from Patna Division, and again 1930; leader of the Ahrar Party in the Council. Appointed Minister of Education from January 15, 1934.

Address—"Dilkusha," Patna E. I. Ry.

Ba, Sir Maung, Kt. (1934), K.S.M., Member of Executive Council, Governor of Burma, in 1932.

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Baber Shum-Shere Jang Bahadur Rana Sir, Commanding General of the Nepalese Army, G. B. E. (1919),

K.C.I.E. (1916), Hon. Col. British Army (1927), Nepalese Order of the Gurkha Right Hand, 1st Class (1934). Born at Katmandu, Nepal, 27th January 1888; second son of His late Highness Hon. General Maharaja Sir Chandra Shum Shere Jung, G.C.B., G.C.S.I., of Nepal. Married in 1903 to Deva Vukta Lakshmi Devi (two sons and two daughters). Was present at the Delhi Durbar, 1903; visited Europe, 1908; was in charge of shooting arrangements during King George's shoot in the Nepal Terai, (1911); Major General, 1901; General 1914; Commanding General, Eastern Division, 1934; Director-General, Police Forces, Katmandu, 1903-29; Director-General Medical Department, Nepal, 1932; received the First-Class Order of the Star of Nepal with the title of Supendipta Manyabara, 1918; the thanks of the Nepalese Government and a Sword of Honour; European War, (Vaziristan Field Force, 1917) (despatches; special mention by Commander-in-Chief in India and Governor-General in Council; the Nepalese military decoration for bravery; British War and Victory Medals); at Army Headquarters, India, as Inspector-General of Nepalese Contingent during Afghan War, 1919 (despatches, G.B.E.; India General Service Medal, with clasp); represented Nepal at the Northern Command Manoeuvres, Attock, 1925; in memory of his son, Bala Shum Shere, supplied in 1921, at Pokhara, a hill station in Nepal with pipe drinking water at a cost of over a lakh of rupees.

Address—Baber Mahal, Katmandu, Nepal.

Bade, Mahadev Ramkrishna, B. A. (Hon.), B. Sc., Manager, Industrial Settlement,



Belgaum, and life worker Social Service League, Bombay, comes of a respectable family from Ratnagiri District. Born on the 17th April, 1895, he received his early education at Thana High School, Thana, and New English School, Poona. After graduating himself at the Fergusson College, Poona, he became demon-

strator of Biology and Museum Curator in the same College from 1918 to 1919. He served as a teacher at Sholapur and Thana high schools from 1919 to 1923. He then diverted his attention to the welfare of his fellow beings and joined the Social Service League, Bombay, in 1924 when he was Superintendent of the Night Schools, in addition to his work on behalf of the Released Prisoners Aid Society from 1924-28. In 1928 he took up the present appointment, and is doing his very best in the reclamation of the Criminal Tribes. As the responsible head of this industrial Settlement, he leaves no stone unturned for the improvement and betterment of the people whom he has under his control. His thoroughness and conscientious devotion to duty have secured for him the confidence of the public and the department where he serves, in an exceptional measure. As a member of the Committee of Inquiry into the Care of Destitute Children and Young Offenders in 1933, he did very useful work. He was for some time the Secretary of the After Care Society, Belgaum. He is also the Secretary of the District Backward Classes Committee, and manages a Depressed Classes Hostel in Belgaum. Since 1935 he has been appointed as a member of the Advisory Board of the Western India Life Insurance Company, for Karmalak. He has been elected as General Secretary of the "Vanmayas Charcha Mandal," Belgaum, since 1935.

Address—Industrial Settlement, Belgaum.

Baden-Powell of Gilwell, First Baron, Created 1929: Lt-General, Sir Robert (Stephenson Smith)

Baden-Powell, B. (Cr. 1922); G. C. M. G., 1927; G. C. V. O., 1928; K. C. B., 1909; K. C. V. O., 1909; K. L., 1909; C. B., 1900; C. V. O., 1909; L. T. D., F. R. G. S.; Chevalier Order of Christ of Portugal; Grand Cross Alphonso XII; Grand Cross Order of Dannebrog. Born on 22nd February 1857; (sixth son of Rev. Professor Baden-Powell of Oxford and Langton Manor, and Henrietta Grace daughter of Adm. W. H. Smyth K. S. F.). Married, 1912, Olive (G. B. E. 1932), daughter of Harold Somes, L. T. D., Dursley; (one son and two daughters). Educated at Charter House; joined 13th Hussars 1876. After serving in various capacities he was promoted from 13th Hussars to the Command of the 5th Dragoon Guard, 1897; Lt.-Col. Commanding 5th Dragoon Guard, 1897-99; Lt. General Commanding Northumbrian Territorial Division, 1908; retired 1910. Col. in Chief 13 18th Hussars. Founded the organization of Boy Scouts and Girl Guides to promote good citizenship in rising generation, 1908; exhibited sculptures in Royal Academy in 1907. Among his publications are: "Pig-sticking or Hog Hunting," 1889; "Reconnaissance and Scouting," 1890; "Scouting for Boys," 1908; "My Adventures as a Spy" 1915; "Indian Memories" 1915; "Girl Guide," 1917; "What Scouts Can Do," 1921; "Scouting and Youth Movement," 1922; "Adventures and Accidents," 1934.

Recreations—Pig Sticking, (Winner of Rindir Cup) Fishing, Polo, Big Game Shooting. Heir—only son, Hon. Arthur Robert Peter Baden-Powell, born on 30th October, 1913.

Clubs—Cavalry, Beefsteak.

Address—Faxhill, Bontly, Hunts.

Bagchi, Satischandra, B.A., L.L.D., Barrister-at-Law; Principal, University Law College, Calcutta. Born in January, 1882. Educated at Santipur Municipal School, Calcutta, St. John's College, Cambridge, (B. A.), Calcutta University, 1901, B. A., L.L.B., Cambridge, Dublin, L.L.D., Trinity College, Dublin, 1907. Called to Bar, Grays' Inn, 1907. Fellow, Calcutta University, 1909; Tagore Professor of Law, 1915; member of the Faculty of Law, Dacca University, 1931; head of the Department of Law, Allahabad University, 1931-32; Asitosh Mukerji Lecturer in Law, Calcutta University, 1931.

Address—Principal's Quarters, Darbhanga Buildings, University College, Calcutta.

Bagla, Babu Ramniwas, K.L.H. (1935), Saw and Rice Mill Owner, Moulmein. Born



on 10th January, 1907. Was educated at Moulmein. Married in 1919. Was Hon. Magistrate, 1930; Vice-President Moulmein Municipality, 1934; Member, Moulmein Laper Assylum, 1934; Vice-President Teak Timber Traders Association, 1935. Mr. Bagla is the President, Moulmein Municipality, since 1936; Vice-President,

Moulmein Athletic Association since 1934; Member, Moulmein Hospital Committee since 1931; Member, Police Advisory Board since 1934. Has contributed to Free Medical Hall, Free School and Dharamsala.

Address—No. 561, Lower Main Road, P. O. Box No. 1, Moulmein

Bailur, Ganapat Manjunath, Retired
Mamlatdar. Born on 7th January, 1880, at



Bailur, District Kanara. Educated at Honavar and Karwar. Married in April, to Girijabai, daughter of Vitthal Mangosh Bascur of Murdeshwar (six sons and two daughters). After education, appointed Mud Karkun in 1913, and a third class Magistrate in 1924; second class Magistrate in 1928;

first class Magistrate in 1930. Retired on 6th January, 1935. He was instrumental for the new Road Scheme from Satwathi to Lanja which has been taken up by the Local Board. After retirement entered commercial line and started Haffar and Sons, dealers in tea and coffee at Kolhapur.

Address—Shahupuri, Kolhapur.

Bailey, Lt.-Col. Frederick Marshman, C.I.E., 1915; Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary in Nepal since 1935; Indian Political Dept. since 1905. Born on 3rd February, 1882 (son of late Lieut. Col. F. Bailey). Married in 1921 to Hon. Irma Cozenshardy. Educated at Edinburgh Academy, Wellington College, Sandhurst. Attached Middlesex Regt. and Durham L.I. in India, 1900-01; 17th Bengal Lancers, 1901-03; Tibet Expedition, 1903-04; (medal and clasp); awarded Gill Memorial by Royal Geog. Soc., 1912; awarded Macgregor Medal by Royal United Service Institutions of India, 1914, and Gold Medal by Royal Geographical Society, 1916; Political Officer in Mesopotamia and Persia, 1917-18; Livingstone Gold Medal, Royal Scottish Geographical Society, 1920; Political Agent Central India and Resident, Baroda, 1930-32; Resident, in Kashmir, 1932-33.

Address—British Legation, Katmandu, Nepal.

Bakhale, Raghunath Ramchandra, Member, Servants of India Society. Born in December, 1896, he was educated at Sangli High School, Fergusson College, Poona, and Wilson College, Bombay. After serving as a teacher in a private secondary school for one year, he became Sub-Editor, "Dnyan Prakash," a Vernacular daily, for four years. He joined the Servants of India Society as a Life Member in 1923. As a result of his special study of Trade and Industries he has

been very successful as Asst. Secretary of the All-India Trade Union Congress from 1925-29; as Secretary of the Indian Trades Union Federation in 1929; and as Editor of the All-India Trade Union Bulletin from 1924-29; Editor the "Indian Trade Union Record," one of the organisers of the Bombay Textile Labour Union, and its General Secretary since 1926, has given evidence before the Cotton Textile Tariff Board in 1926. He attended the International Textile Workers' Congress at Ghent in Belgium in 1928 as the Indian Textile Workers' Delegate, as also the British Trade Union Congress as External Delegate of the All-India Trade Union Congress in 1928, and has also visited Lancashire (England), Scotland, Germany, Belgium, Holland, Russia, etc., to study the labour organisations and conditions. He was Secretary to the Indian Workers' Delegation for the International Labour Conference at Geneva in 1920. He was a Member of the Bombay Legislative Council as a representative of labour, 1930-37.

Address—Servants of India Society's Home, Bombay.

Bakshi, Chhelshankar Luxmishankar, B.A., L.L.B., Dewan, Jodan. Born 27th Jan-



uary, 1877. Educated at Alfred High School, Rajkot, Wilson and Gujarat Colleges, Bombay and Ahmedabad. Married in 1894 to Miss Sunitkunwar, daughter of Bavulbhai, Umishankar of Jammagar. (three daughters and two sons). Belongs to the well-known Bakshi family, which has given to Kathiawar the best Dewans or Administrators. Passed B.A., 1897, L.L.B., 1901; practised at Rajkot, 1902; appointed Sur Nyayadhisht at Idar, 1904; resumed practice and helped his father in his work as a State Vakil. Served after retirement of his father, as a State Vakil of Wadhwan, Mauwadadar and Mangrol. Served

again at Idar as Sar Nyayadhish, 1911. Joined State Service at Jaspur, as Deputy Manager during the Regency Administration, 1919.

During the Regency Administration he assisted the then Advisor, Khan Bahadur Nasserwanji B. Dhanri, in reorganising the entire system of administration. On K. B. Dhanri's retirement he was appointed Adviser to the Regent Rani Sahela, 1924. Became Dewan, Jaspur State, since the present Ruler assumed powers of the State, 1925.

The dynastic jurisdiction of the State was obtained in 1932, and since then it exercises full jurisdictional powers.

During the tenure of Mr. Chhelshanker's service many reforms have been introduced in the State, such as organization of the regular police for the State; revenue survey; State service regraded and made pensionable; all education made free and all schools housed in their own buildings at State cost; all medical relief, including services of a qualified Midwife and Nurse, supplied free; snakebite cases treated free with anti-venomous serum; all kind of Veth (forced labour) abolished; cultivators granted free of charge permanent heritable tenure with full and alienable rights of ownership over their holdings, with rights of adoption and collateral succession; cultivators protected from usury by special rules for settlement and payment of debts due to money-lenders; Farmers' Co-operative Bank with a Savings Bank established; grant of full ownership to State alienees over their service holdings and exemption from liability of hereditary service; total prohibition of liquor and strict restrictions on the use of opium; incompatible marriages and remarriages and child marriages prohibited; occupation of subordinate land-holders from the jurisdiction of Civil Courts in interse disputes and setting of Arbitration Courts for same; Village Panchayat system with a non-official president, with civil and criminal powers, to deal effectually with matters of everyday occurrence; right of ownership over building sites granted to all; permanent abolition of certain levies such as usually levied on marriages (Kanya-chori), Potter's wheel, Native oil mills, cotton bowing, etc; reduction of duty (CHAUTH) on transfer of immovable property from 33 per cent to 5 per cent; gratuitous help to poor and disabled subjects and parvashi, etc.

Mr. Chhelshanker has, by strict probity and impartiality, filled the post of Dewan with great distinction.

Retired from service in October, 1934. The Ruler has sincerely appreciated his services by extending to him a pension of Rs. 400 a

month, being the full monthly salary he used to get while in active service.

Awarded the H. M. George V's Silver Jubilee Medal, 1936.

Address—Jaspur, (Kathiwar).

Balkrishna, Dr. M.A., Ph. D., F.S.S., F.R.E.S., F.R. Hist. S. Principal and Professor of



Economics, Rajaram College and Inspector of Secondary Education, Kolhapur. Born on 22nd December, 1892, he was educated at the Government High School, Almtan, D. A. V., College, and Government College, Lahore, and School of Economics and Politics, London. He married Miss Dayabai Malsay, B. P. N. A. He was Principal and Governor of Gurukula University, Harwar, for one year; Vice-Principal for six years, and Professor of History and Economics for eleven years. Became Principal of Rajaram College, Kolhapur, in 1924. In addition to his duties as Principal, he is Director of Economic Bureau; President, Kolhapur Scout Association; Chairman, Secondary Teachers' Association; President, Technical School, Col. Wodehouse Orphanage, Shahu D. Proo High School; and Member State Panchayat. He takes an all round interest in the social, educational, and political movements, and is very popular among the students. He is an author of great repute and among his works may be mentioned the following: "Commercial Relations Between India and England," 1924; The "Industrial Decline in India;" "Demands of Democracy," 1925; "Hindu Philosophers on Evolution;" "Shivaji the Great;" Seven Books on History, Economics, Politics and Religion; "Indian Constitution" (in Hindi); "History of India" (in Marathi), and several other books.

Address—Shahapuri, Kolhapur.

Balsara, Pirojshaw Byramjee, Forest Contractor and Timber Merchant, Nasik.



Born in 1892. He was educated at Bulsar in Surat District. Married in 1915 with Dossibai, daughter of Manockjee Valvhiwala of Bulsar. After completion of his education, he served for eight years. Came to Nasik in 1910 and served for nine years in Bulsara & Co. Has been a timber merchant

for the last sixteen years. Has been elected to Nasik Municipality in 1936.

Address—Nasik Station Road, Nasik, G. I. P. Rly.

Balsara, Khan Bahadur Dr. Pirojshah Pestonji, L.M. & S., Retired Civil



Surgeon, Broach. (Presented with a badge for voluntary war service in India). (Created Khan Bahadur, 1932). An orphan, Pirojshah, who was born on the 16th November 1878, received his education at A. V. School, Bulsar, J. N. Petit Parsco Orphanage, and Grant Medical College, Bombay. Married in 1895 to Miss Manekbai, daughter of Hormusjee Ruttonjee Bhoora of Bulsar. (Five sons and one daughter, oldest son is M.A., L.L.B.). Passed L.M. & S., in 1901, worked as Assistant Surgeon in the Port Health Department in 1903; confirmed as Assistant Surgeon 1904; served during war time as Civil Surgeon at Sholapur and Medical Officer i. e. camp of Civil German Prisoners at Shola-

pur; also served for eight years as Assistant Surgeon at Adon and as Civil Surgeon at Broach respectively. Retired on Nov. 10th, 1933, and was presented with a public address by his friends and admirers at Broach. "He was brought up very simply and likes to live in a very simple, plain manner." The address runs: "During the period of your service in Broach while you proved yourself as an able Civil Surgeon working only with the high and noble ideal of service and alleviating sufferings of humanity, without any consideration of class or caste or station in life, and without an eye to pecuniary gain, you never missed the opportunity of giving your best to all healthy and beneficent movements and institutions, intended for the benefit of Broach District. Even while you were discharging your responsible public duties in the several stations you never lost sight of the social and sporting life, which only adds to the efficiency and utility of a public servant in the Station; and one can never forget the fact that you have been throughout your public career a thorough sportsman." It has been resolved at a meeting of his friends and admirers to put an oil-paint photo of his in the hall of the Sanitary Association Museum Hall of Broach and to give a prize every year to a baby in his memory on the occasion of the Annual Baby Week Celebration at Broach.

Address—Mota Parsiwada, Bulsar, B.B. & C. I. Railway.

Bamji, Major Sohrab Rustum, F.R.S.A., J.P., Merchant, Agent to Norwich Union Life Insurance Society and Sole Agent in India, Burma and Ceylon for Safeguard Corporation of New York, Manufacturers of Safeguard Cheque Writers. Born on 18th April 1887. Educated at Fort and Proprietary High School and St. Xavier's College, Bombay. Married on 16th May, 1910, with Miss Mehorbano, daughter of Late Mr. Munchoojee Dhunjibhoj Modi of Bombay (five sons and four daughters). Started life as an Assistant Accountant in Forbes, Campbell & Co., Ltd., Bombay. Chief Accountant and Auditor with a large Commercial firm with six branches at Kohar Gold Fields for two years. Since 1919, started independent business. Appointed Major (Reserve Officer in Army in India) in 1932. Appointed J.P., 1935, Hon. Presidency Magistrate in 1937. Fellow of the Royal Society of Arts, London. Founder and Hon. Secretary Parsi Textile League; founder and Hon. Secretary Parsi Board of Arbitration; founder and Hon. Secretary Grant Road Parsco Association; Hon. Secretary Municipal Schools Committee, "A" Ward. Member of Parsco Anjuman Committee. Member of executive Committee Released Prisoner's Aid

Society, Bombay; and a member of other public bodies. A public speaker, and social worker.

Office Address:—York Building, Hornby Road, Bombay.

Home Address:—Dina House, 658 Purseo Colony, Nadar, Bombay.

Bandaranaike, Sir Solomon Dias, K.C.M.G., 1925; Kt. 1907; C.M.G. 1902; Maha Mudhar and J.P. for the Island of Ceylon. Born 22nd May, 1862. Married Daisy Ezline, eldest daughter of late Hon. Sir S. C. Obeyesekere (one son and two daughters). Educated in St. Thomas College, Colombo. Created Mohandiram of the Governor's gate and invested with the sword and belt of the office by late Duke of Clarence, 1882. Visited England several times. Received Diamond Jubilee Gold Medal, 1897, having been sent as a delegate from Ceylon. Acted in capacity of extra A.D.C. to Duke of York during visit of Duke and Duchess to Ceylon, 1901; Coronation Gold Medal 1902. Retired in 1927 on pension after forty-three years of public service.

Publication: "Remembered Yesterdays", 1929. Recreations: Riding, Driving, Shooting, Horse-breeding, Country life.

Address: Horagolla, Vayangoda, Ceylon.

Banerji, Amiya Charan, I.E.S., Prof. and Head of the Dept. of Mathematics,



Allahabad University; M.A. (Cantab); M. Sc. (Cal.); F.R.A.S. (London); F.N.L. (India). Born on 23rd September, 1891. Was educated at Bhagalpur, Calcutta and Cambridge. Married in February, 1921 to Prabha Niyogi (has two sons and one daughter). Passed M.Sc. first class in 1913; Behar Govern-

ment Scholar to Cambridge 1915, first class Maths. Tripos, part I in 1916, part II in 1918. Was Prof. of Mathematics Muir Central College, 1920; entered I.E.S. 1921; services lent to the Teaching University of Allahabad, since 1922; Junior Selection grade of the Indian Educational Service, 1934. He is the Hon. Secretary, Allahabad Public Library, since 1926; President Secondary Educational Conference, U.P., 1933; Registrar of Marriages under Act III, of 1872; Vice-President, U.P.

Academy of Sciences; Fellow, Royal Astronomical Society (Lon.); National Institute of Sciences, India and U.P.; Academy of Sciences. Mr. Banerji was awarded King George V Jubilee Medal.

Address:—Gyan Kutir, Beli Road, Allahabad.

Banerjee, Dakshina Ranjan, Catering Manager, Taj Mahal, Bombay. Born on 30th



March, 1904 at Calcutta. Educated at Keshav Academy, Calcutta, and Dupleix College, Chandranagar; Bonnett College, Sheffield and the Technological Institute of Great Britain of London. After education, started life as foreman in charge of construction works

of Marshall & Price Co., in and around Bombay, 1920-24; worked in various capacities at the Great Eastern Hotel 1925-34; went to Europe in July, 1934, and visited Italy, France, England, Germany, Switzerland, Australia, and other places where he studied the management of hotels. Returned to India in November, 1934, and joined Connemara Hotel of Spencer's Company, Madras, as an Assistant Manager, where he served till October, 1935. Then joined the Taj Mahal in Bombay as the Catering Manager. Now working as a publicity and Entertainment Manager. He is still a member of Engineers of American Association in New York.

Address:—Taj Mahal, Bombay.

Bannatyne, Major-General, Niel

Charles, C.B., 1934; C.I.E. 1932. Military Secretary, Army Headquarters, India, since 1936. Born on 24th January, 1880 (son of Col. John Millar Bannatyne, Milnburgh, Blantyre, Scotland). Married in 1917 to Theodora, daughter of late Rev. R. G. Wood and has three daughters. Educated at Chettenham College; R.M.C., Sandhurst. Commissioned 1899; served with Somaliland Expedition, 1902-04; European War, 1914-18; N.W. Frontier, 1921-24; N.W. Frontier, 1933; Bt. Lt.-Col. 1919; Lt.-Col., 1922; Colonel 1923; Maj.-Gen., 1935; Commander, Lahore Brigade Area, 1929-31; 1st Infantry (Abbottabad) Brigade, 1931-33.

Club:—United Service.

Address:—Army Headquarters, New Delhi India.

Bandukwalla, Dr. Kalimuddin Tayebali, L.T.C. (Bombay 1919); Ph.D.



(Vienna 1925); Manager and Chief Soap Technologist of "Bombay Soap Factory," Bombay. Born on 5th July, 1895. Educated at Bombay and Vienna. Married Kubabai daughter of late Mr. Ebrahim of Messrs Ebrahim & Co., East Street, Poona, (three sons). Passed the L.T.C. (first class Honours) from Victoria Jubilee Technical Institute, Bombay. Joined the Bombay Soap Factory in 1919. Proceeded to Vienna for further studies in soap technology in 1922. Obtained Ph.D. (technology) in 1925, and after his return to India, joined the Bombay Soap Factory. The Bombay Soap Factory of Bombay stands as a land-mark in Indian Soap Industry. It was started on an humble scale in 1904 by its enterprising proprietors, Messrs Tayebali and Madaali, the father and uncle respectively of Dr. Kalimuddin, the subject of this sketch. Since then, the factory was remodelled several times, and in 1928 it was rebuilt on a grand scale, and its present and up-to-date plant was laid by Dr. Kalimuddin, whose foreign travel and ripe experience is an asset to the factory. Dr. Kalimuddin possesses all the noble qualities of head and heart, and his gentle manners win the regard of every one who comes into his contact. He is also the Director of the Indian Industries Fair, Ltd.

Address:—Ripon Road, Cross Lane, Madanpura, Bombay 8.

Banubai, Aho, G.A. (Indian Women's University); Lady Superintendent, Mahilavidyalaya and Honorary Magistrate, Juvenile Court, Belgaum. Born in December, 1891. Educated at Hingne School, Training College for Men, Poona. Took G. A. degree of the Indian Women's University. A life-member of the Hindu Widows' Home, she served as a supervisor of the Boarding School of the Karves' H. W. Home. In 1923, she was deputed to Belgaum to organise and start the Mahilavidyalaya, which developed into a full-fledged High School and affiliated to the I. Women's University, and to the Bombay University. Appointed Honorary Magistrate, Juvenile Court in March, 1936. Was on school board, D. L. B., for six years. President of the local Committee of Girls' Guide. Also a member of the Senate of the Indian Women's University. She was President of the Ladies' Club. A member of the Childrens' Welfare Centre.

Address—Mahilavidyalaya, Belgaum.

Barne, The Rt. Rev. George Dunsford, M.A. (Oxon), C.I.E. (1923), O.B.E. (1919); V.D., (1923). Elected Bishop of Lahore, April, 1932. Born on 6th May, 1879. Married Dorothy Kate Akerman. Educated at Clifton College and Oriel College, Oxford. Assistant Master, Summerfields, Oxford, 1902-8; Curate of Christ Church, Simla, 1908-10; Chaplain of Sialkot, 1910; Chaplain of Hyderabad, Sind, 1911; and Assistant Chaplain of Karachi, 1911-12. Principal, Lawrence R. Military School, Samawar, 1912-32.

Address—Bishop's House, Lahore.

Barry, Charles Harold, M. A. (Cantab. Principal, Aitchison College, Lahore. Born on 17th February, 1905. He was educated at R.N.C. Osburne, Bradfield College, and Trinity Hall, Cambridge. Married to Miss Madachlan of Lanark. He joined Bishop Cotton School, Simla, as Assistant Master, 1926-31, and was appointed Inspector of Schools, Rawalpindi Division, Punjab, from 1932-33, when he became Principal, Aitchison College, Lahore. Publications: "Heaving Arches," 1929. "White Sails," 1930; "Bridges of Song," 1935; (for the University of the Punjab).

Address—Aitchison College, Lahore.

Bartholomew, General Sir William

Henry, K.C.B. (1934); C.B. (1919); C.M.G. (1917); D.S.O. (1917); Chief of General Staff, India, since 1934; Col. Comdt. R.A. since 1934. Born on 16th March, 1877; eldest son of late J.S. Bartholomew, Moorfields, Devon. Married to Violet Alice, daughter of Maj.-Gen. H.E. Penton, Indian Army, and has one son and one daughter. Educated at Newton College, S. Devon; R.M. Academy, Woolwich. Entered R.A. 1897; graduated Staff College, Quetta, 1909-10; served European War, 1914-18 (despatches Bt. Lt.-Col. and Col. C.B., C.M.G., D.S.O.); commanded 6th Infantry Brigade, 1923-26; A.D.C. to the King, 1926; Maj.-Gen., 1926; Director of Recruiting and Organisation War Office, 1927-28; Commandant, Imperial Defence College, 1929-31; Director of Military Operations and Intelligence, War Office, 1931-34; Lt.-Gen. 1933; General, 1937.

Club—Army and Navy.

Address—New Delhi, India.

Bartley, Hon. Mr. Justice Charles.

Judge of High Court, Calcutta since 1932. Born on 18th December, 1882 (son of C. Bartley, Enniskillen). He married in 1916, Marjorie, daughter of W.E. Hamilton, Bombay and Dulwich, and has two sons and two daughters. Educated at St. Columba's College, Londonderry; Methodist College, Belfast; Trinity College, Dublin. Entered Indian Civil Service, 1907; District and Sessions Judge, 1921; Legal Remembrancer, Bengal, 1931.

Address—High Court, Calcutta.

Bartley, John, C.I.E. (1936), Joint-Secretary

to the Government of India, Legislative Department, since 1932. Born on 2nd March, 1886 (son of Charles Bartley and Louise Murray). Married in 1913 to Constance Edith, third daughter of A.T. Collins, Dublin. Educated at Campbell College, Belfast; Dublin University (Scholar, Senior Moderator in Classics and in Modern Literature). B.A., 1908; M.A., 1919; LL.B., 1923. Entered Indian Civil Service, 1909; posted to Bengal, 1910; Political Agent, Hill Tippera State, 1915-19; Political Officer, Sikkim, 1920; Dist. and Sessions Judge, 1921-23; Secretary to Government of Bengal in Legislative Dept., and Secretary to Bengal Legislative Council, 1924-31.

Clubs—East India United Service, Dublin University.

Address—C/o Legislative Dept., Govt. of India, New Delhi.

Bastian, W.E., J.P., M.C.B.R.A.S., Proprietor, W.E. Bastian & Co., Hon. Treasurer, Chyloan Cottage Industries Society; Lanka Dharmadupha Sabha; Misha Bodhi Society and London Buddhist Vihara Fund.

Address—Rickarton, Campbell Place, Colombo.

Basu, Jatindra Nath, M.A., M.L.C.,

Solicitor. Born on 7th February, 1872. Married to Sarala Basu. Educated at Hindu School and Presidency College, Calcutta. Has been a member of the Bengal Legislative Council for twelve years. Formerly President and now Vice-President of the National Liberal Federation of India, and of the Indian Association, Calcutta; leader of Peoples' Party, Bengal Legislative Council; a Delegate from Bengal to the Round Table Conference in England; President, Incorporated Law Society, Calcutta; is connected with several educational and social service organizations.

Address—14 Balaaram Ghose Street, Calcutta.

Batley, Claude, A.R.I., B.A., Partner

Messrs. Grogson, Batley and King, Chartered Architects, and Professor of Architecture, Bombay School of Art. Born in October, 1879; educated at Queen Elizabeth's School, Ipswich. He practised in Kettering, Northants, and in London, and in 1913 came to India. He has made a special study of architectural subjects, and is a contributor to several papers and magazines and is author of "The Design and Development of Indian Architecture," 3 Vols. (Tienanti).

Address—School of Art, or Chartered Bank Building, Bombay.

Beardsell, Sir William Arthur, Kt.,

(1919); Managing Director, Messrs. W. A. Beardsell and Company, Limited, Madras, is the oldest son of the late Joseph Beardsell, Stockport. He was educated at Manchester Grammar School. Is a member of Adyar Club and Madras Club.

Recreations—Motoring, Golf, Riding and Photography.

Address—Maitland, Nungambankam High Road, Madras.

Beckett, Ronald Brymer, Indian Civil

Service. Born on 17th January, 1891 (son of James Robertson Beckett and Annie Bertha Murray). Was married in 1918 to Nora Ford Anderson (two daughters). Educated at Woodbridge School, Lincoln College, Oxford. Entered Indian Civil Service, 1913; Under-Secretary to Government of Punjab, 1921-22; Registrar, High Court, Lahore, 1927-30; Additional Judge, 1934; Acting Judge, 1935.

Address—C/o Barclay's Bank, St. John's Wood, N.W. 8.

Baselius (Geevarghese II) His Holiness Moran Mar, Metropolitan of Malabar and Catholicos of the East. Born on June, 16th 1874, in the Kallasorry family at Kuriathy,



Kottayam. Ordained Priest on November 25th, 1899. Consecrated Metropolitan of Nirunam under the designation Mar Gregorius on 8th September, 1912. Installed Catholicos of the East on 15th February, 1929. Entrusted with the office of the Metropolitan of Malabar as successor to the Most Rev. Geevarghese Mar Dionysius in December, 1934. The Patriarch of Antioch, as successor of St. Peter and the Catholicos of the East, as successor of St. Thomas, held independent ecclesiastical sway over the Western and Eastern halves of the Orthodox Syrian Church from the early times of Christianity. The Seat of the Catholicos was originally Solucia, and in the course of its chequered history shifted to various places (as the Patriarchate of Antioch, shifted from Antioch to Mardin), and became vacant in 1860. In 1912 Abdul Messiah, the Patriarch, came to Malabar, and with the co-operation of the then Metropolitan of Malabar,

the Most Rev. Geevarghese Mar Dionysius, and some of his assistant Bishops, restored the Catholicate and installed therein the Most Rev. Paulos Mar Ivanios as the first Catholicos of the East in India. The present Catholicos is the third occupant in the See. The Canon of the Syrian Church grants equal status to the Patriarch of Antioch and the Catholicos of the East — both consecrate the Holy Oil Chrysm and ordain Bishops — but when in brotherly union they come together for ceremonial matters, the Patriarch has the seniority.

Address—Kottayam, Travancore.

Belgaumwalla, Hirjeebhoy Hormusjee.

Cotton Agent, Messrs. Tata Sons, Ltd., of Bombay, Hald. District Dharwar. Born on 25th December, 1874. Educated at Proprietary High School, Bombay. Married on 21st September, 1905, to Gulalai, daughter of Hormusjee H. Gajdar of Bombay. His ancestors the "Khansheb" were dealing in cotton and Sandalwood in Karnatak over a century ago. His father, Hormusjee N. Belgaumwalla began his career as a telegraph signaller at Ryevilla Railway Station and later as a Station Master at Thana. After resigning from Railway Service, he served the Rally Brothers for ten years, and then joined the Tata Sons, Ltd., Bombay. Hormusjee died in June 1920 at the age of 75, leaving three sons, (1) Framjee, (2) Hirjeebhoy, and (3) Nowrojee H. Belgaumwalla, late Proprietor of Bombay *Chronicle*. At the age of fifteen, Mr. Hirjeebhoy, the subject of this sketch joined his father's business. He has been connected with all the public activities at Hubli which received his great patronage on every occasion. The Co-operative Hospital at Hubli was built by his brother, late Nadirshah.

Address—Koppikar Road, Hubli District, Dharwar.

Beltangadi, Mangeshrao, Pleader and President, Puttur, Rural Credit Society and



was a President, Puttur Co-operative Union, and is Secretary Landholder's Association, Puttur Taluka, Puttur District, South Canara. Born on 24th June 1875. Educated at Puttur and Mercara. Married in February, 1893, to Miss Untabai, daughter of Kodial Shivatapayya. (Four sons and three

daughters; the eldest son Ramrao, is in B.B. & C.I. Railway, Bordenay; second, Chichanandray, B.A., B.L. Advocate, Puttur; third, B. G. Rao, M.A. (Madras), I. O. S. Asst. Collector, Faridpur, Bengal; fourth, Madhavanna, studying for B.A.) After passing the Middle School Examination at Mercara in 1893, Mr. Mangeshrao served as an apprentice in the Taluka Office at Puttur; served as a clerk on Rs. 15/- a month in the Taluka Office for three years, and also served in the Local Sub-Registrar's Office and Local Munsiff's Court at Puttur. In 1894, passed the Pleadership Examination. Resigned Clerkship in the Revenue Office and started practice as a Pleader at Puttur in 1895. Was a Member of Taluka Local Board for twelve years; a Member of District Board for three

years and has been a member of the same since September, 1934, and a member of its standing Committee of Public Health of South Canara; Secretary, Landholders' Association, Puttur, Taluka, 19-12-27, since its revival in 1927. A Director, South Canara Central Co-operative Bank for the last six years. Vice-President Agricultural Wholesale Society since July 1936. Was a director since July 1934. Has been a Member Panchayat Board for the last six years, and was its President for a short period. A self-made man, Mr. Mangeshrao, who is a prominent pleader of the Puttur Bar, is one of the Rochdale Lions of the District whose name deserves to be chronicled in connection with the growth of the Co-operative movement in the Presidency and especially in connection with Puttur which is called the Mecca of Co-operation in Madras Presidency.

Address—Puttur, District South Canara.

Belvi, Dattatraya Venkatesh, B.A., B.L. B., Advocate, Belgaum, is one of the ablest



pleaders in Karnataka. Born on 14th January 1861, he was educated mainly on scholarships and prizes at the Sardar High School, Belgaum and the Deccan College, Poona, where he was a Dakshina Fellow. After passing his B.L. B., from the Government Law School, Bombay, with a handsome prize in Hindu Law, he started life as a lawyer at Belgaum in April 1893, and is today one of the leading members of the Belgaum Bar. As a public man he is always to the fore, and has earned for himself a strenuous and long record of public service. He was elected three times to the Bombay Legislative Council of which he was a member from May 1911 to the end of 1920. From 1924-29, he was elected twice as a member of the Legislative Assembly, where he was a member of the Swarajist Party under the leadership of Pandit Motilal Nehru. He has always been a staunch admirer and follower of the late Lokmanya Tilak. He has

been instrumental in establishing the Karnatak College, Dharwar. As a member of the Belgaum Municipality for many years and President of the same institution for more than three years, he has done all that is required to improve its health conditions and sanitation. He can also lay claim to his having done some useful work as a member of the District Local Board, Belgaum; Director of the Belgaum Pioneer Co-operative Bank; President of the Belgaum General Library for many years; President, Bombay Provincial Conference, held at Satara in 1914; and Chairman, Reception Committee of the Bombay Provincial Conference held at Belgaum in 1916.

Address—Belgaum.

Bence-Jones, Philip Reginald, M. C., M.A., M. Inst. C.E., A.M.I. Mech. E.; Principal MacLagan Engineering College, Moghalpura, Lahore, since 1934. Born on 12th January 1897 (son of Reginald Bence-Jones D.I., J.P.). Married in 1925 to Victoria May Thomas (one son). Educated at Rugby, Pembroke College, Cambridge. Commission Royal Engineers, serving on Western Front and with Army of Occupation, 1914 (promoted Substantive Captain); Demobilized, 1919; Pembroke College, Cambridge, 1919-22, taking 1st. Class Honours, Mechanical Science Tripos, and a post-graduate Scholarship; Construction of Blue Nile Dam and Gezira Irrigation Scheme for the Sudan Government, 1922-26; Chief Engineer's Dept of the London County Council; private work in London, 1933.

Address—C/o National Bank, Ltd., 180 Strand, W.C. 2.

Bender, William E. G., C. I. E. (1936); M. B. E., 1918; V. D.; M. I. C. E.; A. C. G. I., Chief Engineer Bengal and North Western Railway, and Rohilkund and Kumaon Railway since 1933. Born on 11th January 1885 (son of Charles Bender and Nancy Lancashire). Married in 1927 to Alison Cordeaux Dobbie (has one son and one daughter). Educated at Dulwich College; Central Technical College. Personal Assistant to F. E. Robertson, C. I. E., of Rendel and Robertson, Consulting Engineers to Government of India, 1903; Assistant Engineer, B. and N. W. Railway, 1905; obtained Commission in the I. A. R.O., 1916; served European War, N. W. Frontier and Mesopotamia; rejoined B. and N. W. Railway, 1919; restored Railway communications in Behar after earthquake of January 1934.

Club—Gorakhpur.

Address—c/o B. & N. W. Railway,
Gorakhpur, U. P.

Bennett, George Ernest, M. Sc., M. Inst. C.E., M.I. Mech. E., M. I. E., J. P., Chief



Engineer, Port Trust, Bombay. Born in 1884, he was educated at Stockport Grammar School, and Manchester University. He joined the G. I. P. Railway as Assistant Engineer, (Bridges) 1910-16. He was made Port Engineer, Chittagong, 1916-1919; Executive Engineer, Calcutta Port Trust, 1919 to 1924, and Senior Executive Engineer of the same body, 1924 to 1926. He was Deputy Chief Engineer, Bombay Port Trust from 1926 to 1930; Chief Engineer 1930-37; acted as Chairman, Bombay Port Trust, for a period in 1933 and in 1935. President of the Bombay Engineering Congress, 1932-33; Member of Council of the Institution of Civil Engineers, 1932-35, and Hon. Correspondent of the Institution of Mechanical Engineers.

Address—Bombay Port Trust, Bombay.

Benthall, Sir Edward Charles, Kt. Senior Partner, Bird and Company, Calcutta, and F. W. Heilgers and Company, Calcutta, since 1929. Born on 26th November, 1893. Married in 1918 to Honorable Ruth McCarthy Cable, daughter of first Baron Cable of Telford, and has one son. Was educated at Eton, King's College, Cambridge. Served the Great War, 1914-19 (wounded). Director of numerous companies, Director, Imperial Bank of India, 1916-32; President, Bengal Chamber of Commerce, 1932 and 36. President, Associated Chambers of Commerce of India and Ceylon, 1932; Delegate, Indian Round Table Conference, 1931-32; Indian Army Retrenchment Committee, 1931.

Address—37, Ballygunge Park, Calcutta.

Bhagat, Keshav Appasaheb, Iron Merchant and Ex-President, Poona City Municipality, Poona. Born in 1904, he was educated at Poona. A leader of Tilawan Toli Samaj, he entered



business at the early age of 15. He has been a Member of the Poona City Municipality since 1925, and was Vice-President, Municipality, for one year. He was elected Vice-President in 1932-33, and was a member of several Committees of the Municipality. He was elected unanimously President, Poona City Municipality in 1936. Mr. Bhagat has a great influence among the commercial people of the town, and is closely associated with the local Merchant's Association. He also takes a keen interest in

matters of education and is connected with several educational institutions in the City. He has many friends among both the Hindus and Muslims. He has made several charities to educational and religious institutions.

Address—1168 Ravivar Peth, Poona City.

Bhabha, Hormasji Jehangir, M. A. D. Litt., J.P., C.I.E., Hon. Presidency Magistrate, Director of Tata Hydro-Electric Supply Company, and Honorary Fellow of the Indian Institute of Science, Bangalore. Born on 27th June 1852, he was educated at Elphinstone College, Bombay, and in England. He joined the Educational Department as Assistant Professor, Elphinstone College, 1874-76. In 1876 he went over to Mysore as Vice-Principal and Professor of Logic and Ethics in the Central College, Bangalore. In June 1884, he was made Principal of the Maharaja's College, Mysore, and in 1890, he became Educational Secretary to the Government of Mysore, and was appointed Inspector General of Education, Mysore, 1895-1909. He retired from the Mysore service in June 1910. His wide knowledge of educational matters were so well-known that he was deputed as a Delegate to the Congress of Imperial Universities by the Universities of Bombay and Mysore. He has written a number of books on Educational subjects, such as "Manual Training in Schools of General Education," "Education of Parsi Boys," "Visit to Australian Universities," and "Visit to British Universities."

Address—Malakoff Lodge, Mount Pleasant Road, Malabar Hill, Bombay.

Bhagwat, Shankar Ramchandra, L.C.E., Chief Officer, Poona City Municipality. Born on 8-8-1882. Educated at Ahmednagar and Poona. Married in 1900 to Kashibai, daughter of Balwant Ramchandra Sahasrabudho of Poona. Passed L.C.E., (First Class) 1903. Joined P.W.D. as an overseer at Ahmedabad 1904. Was Instructor at the College of Engineering, Poona 1907. Lecturer in Engineering College, 1910. Acted as Prof. of Engineering, 1918. Resigned Government Service, 1918 (December), to take private practice. Practised as Civil Engineer, 1918-20. Was appointed Chief Officer, Poona City Municipality, 1920. Also organised Mitrodaya Club at Ahmedabad 1906. Acted as General Secretary, Dacca Gymkhana, Poona, 1911-26.

Address—373, Sadashiv Peth, Poona City.

Bhairun, Singhji Bahadur Colonel Maharaj Shri Sir, K.C.S.I. Hon. Col. of the Sadul Light Infantry and personal A.D.C. to the Maharaja of Bikaner and also in charge of the Portfolio consisting of Bikaner Fort, Fort Palace, Badakarkhanna Devasthan and Government General Records, and copying Department, Bikaner State. Born on 15th September 1879, he was educated at Mayo College, Ajmer. He was appointed companion to H. H. the Maharaja of Bikaner in 1895 and accompanied him in his Indian tour, 1896, became member of the State Council in 1898,

and was from time to time personal Secretary to His Highness; was Senior member of Council and Secretary for Foreign and Political Department; Mahkma Khas; Foreign member of Council, Political Member and Vice-President of the State Council and of the last Cabinet. He was President of the Council during His Highness's visit to Europe.

Publications:—"Bhairavbilas, Bhairubhined and Basikbined."

Address—Bikaner.

Bhalerao, Mahadeo Govind, B.A., LL.B. Pleader and Ex-President, City Municipality,



and Vice-President, Taluka Development Association, Amalner, District East Khandesh. Born on 16th September 1890, he was educated at Garud High School, Dhulia, and Fergusson College, Poona. Married in April, 1908, Miss Parvati Bai, daughter of Onkarrao Doshpande of Pimpalgaon, (has three sons and three daughters). Passed Matric 1906; B. A. 1911; LL. B., 1913; At B. A. missed his First Class by few marks; Stood First in 1st LL. B.; was a Scholar and Prizeman in Government Law College, Bombay. Since then, commenced practice at Amalner, where he has a large clientele. From the beginning he took great interest in public affairs. He was the first to introduce Co-operative Movement on this side. He was District Honorary

Organiser for seven years (1922-1929). He started a large number of village Credit Societies and then formed the Supervising Union and Taluka Development Association. President, Supervising Union for five years, Vice-President, Taluka Development Association from its start till now. He pioneered a Co-operative Urban Bank at Amalner of which he is a Director from 1936 till now. Gave evidence before Bombay Banking Enquiry Committee (1929). He was elected to Amalner Municipality in 1920, and was there for fifteen years. He became Chairman of the City Municipality for two years and its elected President for three successive years (1932-1935). He is a member, Managing Board, Khandesh Education Society for the last ten years and at present, its Chairman. Awarded Silver Jubilee Medal (1935) for his public service.

Address:—Amalner, District East Khandesh.

Bhandari, Jagan Nath, Rai Bahadur Raj Ratna, M.A., L.L.B., Dewan, Idar State



was born in January 1882; married, to Shrinmati Ved Kumwarji. Educated at Government College, Lahore, and Law College, Lahore; practised at Porcupur till 1911; joined Idar State as private Secretary, 1911; served there till 1922 as Political Secretary and Officiating Dewan; left service and re-

sumed practice at High Court, Lahore; appointed Dewan, Idar State, 1931.

Address:—Himmatnagar, Idar State.

Bhandarkar, Devadatta Ramkrishna, M.A., Ph.D., Hon. F. A. S. I.; Carmichael Professor of Ancient Indian History and Culture, Calcutta University since 1917; Officer-in-charge, Archaeological section, Indian Museum, Calcutta, 1917-1920. Born on 19th November, 1876; youngest son of late Sir Ramkrishna Gopal Bhandarkar, K.C.I.E. Educated at High School and Dacca College, Poona. Superintendent, Archaeological Survey Western circle 1911-1917. Fellow since 1918, and Philological Secretary, 1922-1925, of the Asiatic Society of Bengal; Joint Editor of the Indian Antiquary, 1911-20 and since 1928. Publications: "Carmichael Lectures," 1918 and 1921 "Ashok," "Some Aspects of Ancient Hindu Polity," "Origin of Saka Era," "Gurjars."

Address: 35 Ballygang Circular Road, Calcutta.

Bharucha, Sohrab Nusserwanji, Retired Agent, Singer Sewing Machine Co.,



Madras Presidency. Born on 1st April, 1872, at Poona. Educated in Sardars High School, Belgam. Married in August, 1886, to Bai Shrinbai, daughter of Nusserwanji Dossabhai of Mahabaleshwar. (Has three sons and three daughters; eldest son, Jamshed S.N. Bharucha, is a Train Examiner in M. & S.M. Rly. at Poona; second, Rustam S.N. Bharucha, is Inspector, Burma Shell Oil Co., at Huddi; third, Jal S.N. Bharucha, is Supervisor, Singer Sewing Co., at Shillong Assam).

Starting work in Singer Sewing Machine Co., as an S.O. at Belgam in the Bombay Presidency, Mr. Bharucha was promoted in five months as Sub-Manager to Bellary in Madras Presidency. A year or so later he was promoted to be Division Manager with his headquarters at Belgam. Three years later he was transferred to Nagpur in Central Provinces, where he stayed for one year only. He was transferred to Secunderabad, and worked for two years before again returning to Belgam, where he stayed until 1914 as Division Manager. He was then transferred to Madras where, in 1918, he was posted as Supervisor. At the beginning of 1919, he was transferred to the Gujarat Division in the Bombay Central Agency, and in July, 1920, was promoted to be Supervisor-at-Large at Cawnpore Central Agency. In October, 1921, he again returned to Belgam where he was Supervisor-at-Large until November, 1926, when he was promoted to the position of Agent and placed in charge of the whole Madras Presidency.

Under Mr. Bharucha's able management, direction, and control, the agency took a leading place in all features of the business, and on his retirement after a long and meritorious record of forty-four years his entire organization joined in presenting him with valuable tokens of their esteem and appreciation, and a wider circle of friends all over India joined with the management staff and presented him with a handsome radio and gramophone combined.

He is now settled down in Camp, Belgaum and enjoying his hard earned rest.

Address—Camp, Belgaum.

Bhat, Miss Dwarkabai, B.A., B.T., (Bom.): Director, Long Life Insurance Co., Ltd., Poona. Born on 20th August, 1900, she received her education at Maharashtra Education Society's Girls' High School and Sir Parshurambhau College, Poona. Joined the Poona Seva Sadan Society, 1921, and worked there in various capacities up to 1932, when she retired as Lady Superintendent of the Society's Training College for Vernacular Teachers. She proceeded to England for higher education and joined the Maria Grey Training College, London, in 1932. After returning from her continental tour in 1933, she joined the Long Life Insurance Co., Ltd., in charge of the Women's Insurance Branch. She was Hon. Secretary of the Deccan Agricultural Association and its Rural Uplift Committee, and now she is Hon. Secretary of the Women's Committee of the Village Improvement Centre at Mundhwa. She is also an elected Member of Poona District School Board.

Address—"Shridham" opp. Sir Parshurambhau College, Tilak Road, Poona 2.

Bhat, Mrs. Jankibai, Lady Superintendent, Poona Seva Sadan, is the daughter of the late Mr. Ganesh Daji Gadre, who was the Head Master of the Practising School, attached to the Female Training College, Poona. Jankibai was married at the age of 12 to the eldest son of the late Mr. Moreswar Narayan Bhat I.C.E., and was left a widow four years after her marriage. She passed the Vernacular Std. VI for girls at the age of 12 and began to study English at the advanced age of 22. After studying up to A.V. Standard III, she completed the course of Midwifery and practised as a Midwife for ten years. She joined the Poona Seva Sadan Society in the year 1910 as a Mistress and became the Lady Superintendent of the Institution in 1917. As representative of the Poona Seva Sadan Society she did much relief work on several occasions, such as the disastrous fire at Salumbra village in the

Poona District in 1910; Gujarat famine in 1912-13; Ahmednagar famine in 1919, and the Moplah Rebellion in Malabar in 1922.

She presided over the Madras Provincial Women's Conference. She represented women in the Deccan at the Sessions of the All-India Women's Conference at Delhi, Bombay, Patna and Lahore.

Address—Sevasadan, Poona.

Bhate, Bhaskar Kashinath, M. A. (Cantab), B.L.S., M.A., (Cantab); Education



Commissioner, Baroda State. Born in 1889, he was educated at New English School, Poona; graduated (B. A.) Bombay University; graduated B. A. Cambridge, senior optimo, 1913; senior Professor of Mathematics, Shri Pratap College, Shrinagar, 1914. Joined Baroda State service probationer, Revenue Department, 1915; Assistant Famine Commissioner, 1915; probationer Baroda Mahal, 1916; probationer, Huzur Kandar Cutcherry, 1916; Vahivatdar, Khairat, 1916; Vahivatdar, Dabhoi, 1917; acting Naib Suba, Dabhoi Division, 1917; Vahivatdar, Dabhoi, 1918; acting Naib Suba, Pattan Division, 1918; Deputy Controller for grass, 1919; Naib Suba, Pattan Division, 1919-20; Personal Naib Suba, Mahsana District, 1921; Personal Naib Suba, and Naib Suba, Visnagar Division, 1921; acting Suba Mahsana District, 1922; Personal Naib Suba and Naib Suba, Visnagar Division, 1923; acting Suba Mahsana District, 1923; Personal Naib Suba, Visnagar Division, 1923; Naib Sar Suba, 1924; Income-Tax Officer, 1925; Naib Khangi Karbhari, 1926; Naik Suba, Pollad. Division, 1926; Huzur Political office, 1926; acting Suba, Baroda District, 1926; Personal Manager to Her Highness, 1927; Naib Khangi Karbhari, 1927; Suba Amroli District, 1928; Naib Khangi Karbhari, 1928; Suba Amroli District 1929.

Address—Baroda.

Bhate, Govind Chimnaji, M.A., Retired Principal, Willingdon College, Sangli. Born



on 9th September, 1870. Educated at the Deccan College, Poona. Joined Fergusson College, Poona, as Professor of Philosophy, 1895-1919; Aided Principal Willingdon College, 1919-28. Publications: "Principles of Economics," "Kant and Shankaracharya," "Sir Walter Scott," "Philosophy of the Fine Arts."

'My Travels Series,' (10 Vols.) etc. (All in Marathi).

Address—Mahad, District Kolaba.

Bhathena, Manekjee Jeevanjee, L.C.F., Manager Swadeshi Mills Co., Ltd.



Kurla and an Ex-President, Kurla Municipality. Born on 12th August, 1885. Educated at Sir J.J. P.B. Institute, St. Xavier's College, Bombay, and College of Engineering Poona. Married in 1914 to Miss Bannai, daughter of Morwanji Burjorjee Mistri of Kerkoe. (Has two sons and three daughters).

Passed L.C.F. in 1910. He joined the Swadeshi Mills Company, Ltd., at Kurla in 1911 as apprentice, and became an Assistant Manager of the Mills in 1914. Owing to his outstanding abilities and amiable character he was appointed as Manager of the Mills in 1935. In addition to his official activities he is also connected with various public institutions. He is a member, Kurla Municipality since 1914; Chairman, Kurla Municipal Standing Committee for three years; President, Kurla Municipality, 1926-32; a Member, Bombay Suburban District Local Board for nine years; a Member School Board, Bombay Suburban District for nine years and Vice-Chairman for four years.

Address—Swadeshi Mills Road, Kurla, Bombay, G.I.P. Railway.

Bhatia, Major Sohanlal, M.A. (Cant.) M.D.B. Ch. (Cant.), M.R.C.P. (London);



F.C.P.S. (Bom); F.R.S.E., M.C., I.M.S., Dean and Professor of Physiology, Grant Medical College, Bombay. Born on 5th August, 1891, he was educated at Cambridge University and St. Thomas Hospital, London. He held a number of appointments at St. Thomas' Hospital, London, namely, Clinical Assistant in Children's Department, Casualty Officer and Resident Anaesthetist, House Surgeon and Ophthalmic House Surgeon. He took his M.A. in 1919; M.D. in 1922; M.R.C.P. in 1927; F.C.P.S. in 1927; F.R.S.E. in 1932. During the War, in 1914 he went as a Surgical Dresser on the Hospital Ship "Guildford Castle" to Bologne (France). Soon after his return to India in 1917, he got a commission in the Indian Medical Service. After spending some time in different places in India, he went on active service to Egypt and Palestine with the Egyptian Expeditionary Force. He was awarded the Military Cross while serving in the field with the 105th Maratha Light Infantry. On his return to India from active service in 1919, he was transferred to Civil employ and was appointed Professor of Physiology, Histology and Hygiene, Grant Medical College, Bombay, in 1920, and in 1925 he was appointed to the present post of the Dean of the College. He has done a considerable amount of research work in the field of Physiology, and has published a number of scientific papers from time to time. He has been intimately connected for a number of years in Bombay with the University and the College of Physicians and Surgeons. He also acted as joint local Secretary to the Indian Science Congress.

Address—Two Gables, Mount Pleasant Road, Malabar Hill, Bombay.

Bhatia, Kishenchand Keshavdas

L. M. S. (Bongal), 1926; F.R.C.P. and S. (1930);



B. Sc. (U.S.A.) 1933; M. D. (U.S.A.), 1935; M.B.H.A. (Ton), 1935; Practising Homoeopath, Bombay. Born on 17th Feb., 1902, he was educated at Karachi, Bombay, Calcutta, England and U.S.A. During the school career, he was a Govt. Scholar and he received his training under the best Homoeopaths of All-India fame.

He has a fair knowledge of Allopathy, Chromopathy and Naturopathy. He is Honorary Medical Adviser to Seth Gangabai and Jotibhai Charitable Dispensary, Bombay, from 1935. He earned a good name in cases of Meningitis, both in Bombay and Ahmedabad, which he cured without puncturing the lumbar and without injecting Meningococcosin Serum. Many surgical cases have successfully been cured medically by him with the aid of Homoeopathy. He has also gained quite a good reputation in Mental and Chronic cases. He is a life member and contributor to Bhatia Sova Fund, and also of several institutions in Bombay, and outside. An all round athlete, he has a deep knowledge of Indian music, both vocal and instrumental.

Address—Nasari Chambers, Outram Road, Fort, Bombay.

Bhatnagar, Shanti Swarupa, D. Sc.,
Director, University Chemical Laboratories,

Lahore. Born in March 1895. Educated at Lahore, London and Berlin. Married in May 1915 to Shrimati Lajjavati. Held various appointments. University Professor of Chemistry at Benares, 1921-24; University Professor of Chemistry and Director of Laboratories, Lahore since 1924. Research Scholar of the Department of Scientific and Industrial Research of Great Britain. He was elected President of the Chemical section of the Indian Science Congress in 1928. He was sent as a Delegate to the British Association by the Punjab University and also as a Delegate to the

Faraday Centenary celebrations. Started and organized the Punjab Chemical Research Fund which gave maintenance grants to deserving young men to carry on their work after their M. Sc. stage. Author of numerous scientific papers on Physical Chemistry, Colloids and Magnetism; and a writer of Urdu prose and poetry.

Address—Lower Mall, Lahore (Punjab).

Bhatt, Madhavlal Makanji, J. P.,
Managing Director, Madhavlal and Company,

Limited, Leading Coal Merchants and Bunkering Contractors, Bombay. Born on 23rd October, 1886, he received his education at Bhuj (Cutch). Married to Mrs. Shantagauri Bhatt, and has one son. Mr. Madhavlal, after his educational career, started independent business and made a name in Bombay Presidency.

He was appointed J. P. and Hon. Magistrate for Bombay and suburbs. He is the Chairman of the Fort Co-operative Institute; President, Khar Gymkhana, and Vice-President, Association of Indian Industries.

President and Founder of the Khar Education Society, Khar, Bombay. He has got numerous business connections in Europe and America.

Address—Alicia Building, Hornby Road, Fort, Bombay.

Bhattacharya, Kiran Kumar, M.A., B.L.
(Cal), I.L.M. (London), Bar-at-Law, Dean of

the Faculty of Law, Allahabad University. Born on 26th June, 1898. Was educated at Scottish Church College, Calcutta (B. A. with Honours in Philosophy); University College, Calcutta (M.A. in 1922); University Law College, Calcutta (B. L. with High First Class in 1924), and London,

(I.L. M., 1933). Entered as an advocate in the Calcutta High Court, 1925-27; Bengal Civil Service Judicial, 1927-35; Barrister of the

Salenta High Court, 1935-36. He joined the Allahabad University as Head of the Department of Law, and on 5th March, 1937, became Dean of the Faculty of Law. Mr. Bhattacharya is the only LL.M. in Bengal Presidency. He is considered as an authority on Constitutional Law, British and Indian, and in this respect his opinion is eagerly sought for. He has a distinguished legal career.

Address—Dean of the Faculty of Law, Allahabad University, Allahabad.

Bhedasgaonkar, Venkatesh Krishna, B.E., (Civil) Chief Officer, Nasik Municipi-



pality, Nasik. Born on 10th November, 1901, at Kolhapur. Educated at Rajaram High School and College, Kolhapur, Fergusson College, Poona, and Engineering College, Bangalore. Married in 1923 to Miss Taximibai, daughter of Shantirao Deshpande of Chandoor Dist. Belgaum (has one son and one daughter). Belongs to Pandit family. Member of Nandgaon in Kolhapur State, and was accepted into Bhedasgaonkar family at the age of six. Passed Matric in 1918. Was an Merit Scholar in Rajaram High School. Passed I. Sc., (1st Part) from Fergusson College, Poona, in 1925. Passed B. E. (civil) 1929. Joined Kolhapur State Service as an Assistant Engineer, City Extension and Improvement Department, and served in that capacity for one year. Worked as a Municipal Engineer, Kolhapur, for two years. Resigned State Service in favour of appointment to the post of Chief Officer, Ratnagiri Municipality in

1931, and worked for two and a half years. Appointed Chief Officer, Nasik Municipality in December 1933. During his administration several improvements have been carried out which include: (1) the construction of a new building for the Municipal offices, estimated at one lakh; (2) Asphaltting the main thoroughfare in the city and cement concreting the Bombay Naka Road; (3) Extension and improvement of the Jackson Memorial Gardens, Nasik, (4) Execution of the scheme of main out-fall sewers for the city; (5). Scheme for better water supply for the city. He is a capable administrative officer, and is liked by all.

Address—Golo's Bungalow, Vakil Wadi, Nasik City, G.T.P. Rly.

Bhide and Sons, Engineers and Proprietors, Shri Vinayak Weaving Mills, Sangli S.M.C. Bhides were the Manufacturers of Iron Foundry, Crushers of groundnut, Flour-Mills, industrial implements and steel furniture. Their workshop was founded by late Sadasshiv Vinayak Bhide, the eldest brother, who died in 1920. The surviving brothers are (1) Ramchandra, (2) Mahadeo, (3) Vishnu, and (4) Keshav, all of them are in the above business. In 1931 Shri Vinayak Weaving Mill was started at Sangli, which is manufacturing fine saris for Indian ladies. The saris are of fast colours and have found a sale all over India.

Address—Sangli, S.M.C.

Bhirud, Dattatraya Shenu, B.A. (Hons.), L.L.B., Pleader and Secretary, Lawa



Educational Union and Shri Fakira Hari Lawa Boarding House, Jalgaon District, East Khandesh. Born on first November, 1906, at Khirdi, District East Khandesh, he was educated at A. V. School, Savda, New English School, Jalgaon, and Fergusson College, Poona. Married in 1918 to Miss

Kasbibai, daughter of Mr. Nohta of Khirdi (two sons). Passed Matric, 1925. Passed B.A. with first class Honours in Mathematics from Fergusson College, 1929, being the first student of the Lawa Patidar Community of East Khandesh to pass B.A. in first class. Appointed Daxina Fellow, at the Fergusson College, Poona, 1929-30. Passed L.L.B. (first class) 1931. Commenced practice at Jalgaon since 1932. Has been working as Secretary of the Lawa Education Union and Fakira Hari Lawa Boarding House from 1931.

Address—Navi Poth, Jalgaon, District East Khandesh

Bhiladwalla, Sardar Khan Bahadur Viccaji Pirojshaw, Merchant and land-

lord and Honorary Magistrate (Special), Pardi District, Surat. Born on 28th January, 1883. Educated at St. Xavier's High School, Bombay. First marriage in 1904 (one son and one daughter); second marriage in 1919 with Miss Bai Piroja, daughter of Tannus Sorabji Tehsildar of Jalga (one son and two daughters). The year 1928 marks the commencement of the career of Sardar Bhiladwalla as a public man who gave the benefit of his devoted and sincere services to the cause of education, local self-government, Co-operation and Agriculture. His manifold activities are:—(Surat District) Honorary Magistrate, Pardi; Vice-President, District Local Board, Surat; Vice-Chairman, District School Board, Surat; Member, Managing Committee in District Co-operative Institute, Surat; Member, Managing Committee in District of Supervising Union of Surat; Chairman, Supervising Union of Gujarat Peoples' Banks and Urban Credit Societies, Ltd., Surat; Director, Surat Dist. Land Mortgage Bank, Ltd., Surat; Member, Divisional Board of Agriculture, Gujarat, Surat; Member District Executive Committee, Village Improvement Scheme, Surat; President Pardi Education Society, Pardi; President Pardi Merchants' Association; President, Pardi Taluka Development Association; Chairman, Sardar Bhilad-

walla Pardi Peoples' Co-operative Bank Limited, Pardi; Chairman, Bulsar Taluka Teachers' Co-operative Society, Limited, Paradi; Chairman, Bulsar Taluka Co-operative Supervising Union, Limited, Pardi; Chairman, Pardi Kasha Co-operative Credit Society, Pardi; Chairman, Dispensary Committee, Pardi; Trustee, Parsi Zoroastrian Anjuman, Pardi; President, Southern Gujarat Fruit and Vegetable Growers' Association, Limited, Pardi; (Thana District) President, Parsi Zoroastrian Anjuman, Saronda; Chairman, Saronda Dispensary Trust Fund, Saronda; President, Saronda Sarvajani Library, Saronda; (Kolaba District) Member Mathuran Hill Station Municipality, Mathuran; Member, Managing Committee, Mathuran Hill Station Municipality, Mathuran; Member Excise Advisory Committee, Mathuran; Member, Band Working Committee, Mathuran Hill Station Municipality, Mathuran; (Bombay) President, Bombay Presidency Fruit Growers' Association; Vice-President, Bombay Presidency Cattle Improvement and Dairy Farming Association, Bombay; Member, Provincial Fruit and Vegetable Marketing Committee, Bombay; (Poona) Member, Bombay Presidency Poultry Association, Poona and Indian Poultry Club, Calcutta. Created Khan Bahadur in 1921; Sardar in 1934.

Address—Post Pardi, District Surat, (B. B. and C. I. Railway).

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Bhiwandiwalla, Sir Dossabhoj Hormusjee, Kt. J. P., Merchant and Honorary



Magistrate, Bombay, comes of a very respectable Parsee family. He was born on 29th March, 1901. He received his education at New Bhanda High School, Bombay. He has donated big sums to educational and public institutions.

Address—35 Cuffe Parade, Colaba, Bombay.

Bhonsle, Shamrao Santajirao, B. A., Ll. B. High Court Judge, Kolhapur. Born



in May, 1897, he received his secondary and higher education at the Sirdars High School, Belgum and Deccan College, Poona, and passed the Ll. B. examination from the Law College, Bombay. He started life as a pleader in Belgum, and soon came to the front rank in the profession. He also got himself enlisted in the service of the Non-Brahmin Party by editing the Party Organ, "Rashtravir," and became a conspicuous figure in public life by taking an active part in all the social, educational and political movements. He was taken into the services of Kolhapur Durbar as an Assistant Judge. He soon made his mark there, and he was made District Magistrate in 1927; District and Sessions Judge in 1931; and High Court Judge in June, 1933. He was Superintendent for Kolhapur and S. M. C. States.

Address—Shahupuri, Kolhapur, S.M.C.

Bhopatkar, Popatlal A. M.B.B.S., M.L.A. Born on 7th July, 1889. Obtained degree of



M.B.B.S., Bombay University in 1913. After specialising in the ophthalmic work at C. J. Ophthalmic Hospital, started his career at the early age of twenty-four in Karachi and soon made himself known as an efficient and popular doctor, having an enviable large practice. Being a fluent speaker he

always captured his audience at huge meetings. He was expelled by the Government from British Territory in the Home Rule Movement of India. He is an elected member, Karachi Municipality, since 1921. He is a member of the District Congress Committee, a president of the Ward Committee. During the Civil Disobedience movement he was in charge of Gandhi Hospital and acted as Chief Medical Officer, 45th Indian National Congress, held in Karachi in 1930. He is connected with a number of institutions in Karachi. Thus pre-eminently he is a people's man, amply proved by his triumph in being returned to the Sind Legislative Assembly as a Congress Nominee beating his opponent by a large majority of five thousand votes.

Address—Karachi.

Bhopatkar, Laxman Balwant, M. A., Ll. B., Advocate and Vice-Principal, Law



College, Poona. He is reputed to be a great physical culturist, and has published books on "Physical Culture," "My System of Physical Culture," "Exercise for Ladies," "Fencing,"

and "Wrestling." Also Chairman, Maharashtra Mandal, a well-known Physical Culture Institute, Poona. As an educationist, he is intimately connected with almost all the educational institutions in Poona. He is one of the foremost leaders of the Congress Democratic Party, and has had to suffer prison life twice in connection with the Congress Movement. He is an eminent Marathi journalist, story-writer and novelist, and has published several books in Marathi on different topics. Some legal publications also stand to his credit, particularly his book on the "Law of Torts." He is also an effective speaker in Marathi and English as well.

Address—Bhavantashram, Sadashiv Peth, Poona City.

Bhosle, Dattajirao Madhavrao, Chief Secretary to H. H. the Chhatrapati Maharaja

of the Agricultural Exhibition that was opened in 1929 by His Excellency Lord Irwin, the then Viceroy. He was the Chairman of Reception Committee of the 17th Session of the Marathi Literary Conference, held in Kolhapur under the presidency of His Highness Sir Sayajirao Maharaj Gaikwad, Maharaj-Saloh of Baroda. He is a Director of the Bank of Kolhapur and the Kolhapur Sugar Factory. He takes great interest in educational affairs, and is President of the New Education Society and the Prince Shivaji Free Boarding House.

Address—Yeshwant Niwas, Kolhapur, Camp.

Bhutto, Khan Bahadur, Sir Shah Nawaz Khan Gulam Murtaza Khan, K.L. C.I.E., O.B.E., K.T.H.



of Kolhapur, comes of a well-known Maratha family. Born on 26th June, 1909, he was educated at Panchgani, St. Mary's High School, Bombay, and Baldwin's, Bangalore. Married Annasayabai in 1920. Entered the Kolhapur Government Service in the year 1921 as Head Clerk in the Court of the Chief Judge at Kolhapur. Posted as Assistant Private Secretary in 1922. Appointed Financial Secretary to His Highness in the year 1925, Huzur Chitnis in the year 1929, and Chief Secretary to H. H. in 1931, which post he now holds. Was appointed Acting Dewan in the year 1930—from 15-10-1930 to 27-4-1931—when the Dewan was deputed to attend the First Round Table Conference in England. He was again appointed Acting Prime Minister from 5-11-1932 to 7-2-1933 when Rao Bahadur Surve, the Prime Minister, left for England as a member of the Third Round Table Conference. He is loyal, and quite efficient in administrative affairs. Mr. Bhosle was Chairman of the Agricultural Exhibition that was held in Kolhapur in 1927 and was also the Chairman

Member Public Services Commission, Government of Bombay and Sind; Ex-Minister, Local Self Government, Government of Bombay. Born on 1st March 1888, he had his education at Sind Madrasah and St. Patrick High School, Karachi. He is a Zamindar and Landlord and President of the Sind Mohammedan Association. He represented the Jahgirdars and Zamindars at the Imperial Council instituted under the Minto-Murley Reforms from 1919-20. He is Chairman, Co-operative Bank, District Larkana. He was selected as Chairman, Bombay Provincial Committee appointed to assist Simon Commission. He was a Delegate to the Round Table Conference, 1930-31, and was made knight on 1st January, 1930, C.I.E., in 1925, O.B.E., in 1919, Khan Bahadur in 1921, K.T.H., 1924. Was President, District Local Board, Larkana and Sind Azad Conference.

Address—Bhutto Colony, Larkana.

Bhownagree, Ardesir Pestonjee, Retired Excise Officer Lonavla, belongs to the illustrious family of Bhownagrees of Surat. His great-grandfather, late Bomanjee Bhownagree ,



was the Dewan of Bhavnagar State. Joined Excise Department in 1890 on a salary of Rs. 25 per month. Served as an Excise Inspector and showed great efficiency in discharge of his duties. Detected about a thousand cases of illicit distillation of liquor. He showed great courage in arresting the culprits at great risk of life, especially in the case of fifteen Thakurs, residents of Zugariachi-wadi in Karjat Taluka. A popular officer, he retired after thirty-four years' service, and settled down at Lonavla.

Address—Lonavla, G. I. P. Railway.

Bhujang Rao, Hon'ble Mr. Dharam Rao, Minister for Agriculture to the C.P.,



Govt., is the Zamindar of Ahiri in the Chanda Dist. He belongs to the royal Rajend family of Chanda, and this estate is an ancient one, having been conferred upon his ancestors by the Chanda Raja for acts of heroism and bravery. This Zamindari, in extent, is bigger than the thirteen Pundatory States of

the Central Provinces. Born on 21st March, 1907. Was educated at Rajkumar College, Ratpur, where he distinguished himself in studies and games. He carried away many prizes in classes and showed great form in hockey, cricket and football. Received practical training in forestry in the forest school of Balaghat. His estate was relinquished in 1928, after he was fully qualified for administrative duties. He was made an honorary magistrate and rose to the rank of the Dist. Scout Commissioner. He showed fine public spirit, and for charity his name has become a household word in the whole province. He has two sons, the oldest, Kumar Visveshwar, ten years of age, being educated in the Shivaji Military School, Poona. Elected to the C.P. Legislative Assembly in 1937.

Address—Nagpur or Pachmarhi, C.P.

Billimoria, Dr. Rustomji Bomanji, B.A. M.D. J.P.; awarded by the Bombay University Gold Medal in Surgery, prize in Midwifery; Grey's Medal for Anatomy; tutor in Bacteriology at the Grant Medical College for three years; resigned this appointment and immediately afterwards was appointed Lecturer at the Grant Medical College; resigned this appointment in 1913; worked as Hon. Bacteriologist to the Parsee General Hospital and has for years been the Hon. Physician of that hospital. Acted as Hon. Consulting visiting Physician to Dr. Bahadurji's Sanitarium at Doolali for a number of years; also as Hon. Physician Goendras Topjal Hospital. Has worked as Examiner, Bombay University in Bacteriology and in Medicine. Founded, 24 years ago, a Sanitarium for Consumption, at Poona, whence it was subsequently removed to Panchgani. From small beginnings, the Sanitarium has risen to its present position of being one of the greatest of its kind in the Bombay Presidency. It has accommodation for 120 patients. In appreciation of his

services to suffering humanity, Dr. Billimoria was awarded the Kaiser-i-Hind Gold Medal in 1936.

Address—Bacteriological Laboratory, Wassmann Building 373, Grant Road Bombay. 7.

Billimoria, Mrs R.B. (nee Miss G.J. Bahadurji), M. A. Licentiate, Trinity Col-



lege of Music (London), for over ten years; Principal, Alexandra Girls' English Institution, one of the premier Schools in Bombay founded in 1880 for imparting instruction to girls on modern lines. Educated at Girton High School and St. Xavier's College,

Bombay. Obtained Chadfield Prize at the Matriculation; Scholarships in the College; Sakaribai Mankar University Scholarship at the M.A.; a Fellow of the University of Bombay elected by the Registered graduates; Member of the Academic Council of the University of Bombay; Chairman of the Board of Paper Sellers and Moderators at the Matriculation Examination in 1935 and for several years; an examiner and moderator in English at the Matriculation Examination; represents the University on the Standing Committee of the Provincial School Book Committee; Hon. Treasurer, All-India Women's Conference, Serving on the Managing Committee of Several Associations, doing educational or social work; was President of the Bombay Presidency Women Graduates' Union for two years (1933-34). Was invited to give evidence before Government Commissions on Education before the University Commission and the Franchise Committee. Since her marriage in 1931 has been helping her husband Dr. Rustom B. Billimoria M.D., J.P., Kaiser-i-Hind Gold Medallist, founder of the Bol-Air Sanitarium for consumptives at Panchgani, in his quiet and unostentatious humanitarian work for the suffering poor.

Publications—Joint Author of "Constitution, Function and Finance of Indian Municipalities," a book praised by the Press (including the London *Times* Literary Supplement) in India and outside; Joint author of "Government of India." Contributes articles to newspapers and magazines on the topics of the day.

Address—Thoburn House, Apollo Bunder Bombay.

Billimoria, Sir Shapoorjee Bomanjee,
M. B. E., J. P., Hon. Presidency Magistrate



and Sheriff of Bombay for the year 1935, is the senior partner of Messrs. S.B. Billimoria & Co., Accountants and Auditors, Bombay. Born on 27th July, 1877. He was educated at St. Xavier's College Bombay. He married Jerbai, daughter of Mr. Bhickaji N. Dahul on 4th June, 1906. His public activities cover a wide field such as:—Member of the Auditors' Council, nominated by His Excellency the Governor-in-Council; Member of the Advisory Board of the Sydenham College of Commerce and Economics; Member of the City of Bombay Improvement Trust Committee; Hon. Auditor of the Imperial Relief Fund and War Hospital; Member of the Government of India Back Bay Inquiry Committee; Member of the All-India Accountancy Board, nominated by His Excellency the Viceroy; Trustee N.M. Wadia Charities; Sir Jamsetjee Jeejeebhoy Charity Funds; The Parsso Panchayat Funds and Properties and several other Charity Trusts and Institutions. He was made M.B.E., in 1919 and Knight, January, 1928. As a delegate of the Parsso Matrimonial Court; President of the Students' Union; Vice-President Indian Merchants' Chamber 1926-27; President Indian Merchants' Chamber 1927-28; President Indian Chamber of Commerce in Great Britain 1928-29, he has rendered excellent service to the public. He was awarded a Certificate of Merit by His Excellency the Viceroy for services in connection with the War Loan. He was appointed by the Bombay High Court on numerous occasions as receiver of large estates and arbitrator in disputed matters. As an official liquidator appointed by the Court of Bombay, Calcutta, Lahore and Delhi, he liquidated the Pioneer Bank of India, Ltd., The Peoples' Bank of India Ltd., The Amritsar Bank, Ltd., The Development Corporation of India, Ltd., and several other

Joint Stock Companies. He was also Liquidator of several Hostile Trading Concerns during the War. He is a Member of the Scottish Masonic Fraternity, being Past Grand Warden A.S.F.L. and Grand Superintendent Deputy of the Grand Royal Arch Chapter in India. Appointed Grand Superintendent of supreme Grand Royal Arch Chapter for the whole of India, Burma and Ceylon. Is Vice-President of the Rotary Club of Bombay Clubs: National Liberal Club (London) Orient, Willingdon, Radio, Rotary and Western Indian Turf. (Bombay).

Address—13, Guffe Parade, Colaba, Bombay,

Billimoria, Lady Jerbai Shapoorjee,
J. P., Born at Bombay on 7th March,



1880. Married on 4th June, 1906, to Sir Shapoorjee B. Billimoria, Kt. M. B. E., J. P. She takes keen interest in the social welfare work, as a member of the Managing Committee of the Parsi Charity Organization Society; the Shree Zarthosti Mandal; Sir Ratan Tata Industrial Institute for Women; and is connected with the National Indian Association; the Women's Council; the Women's Work-guild; the Princess Mary Gymkhana. She is a Member of the Visiting Committee of, and frequent visitor to, the chawls and slums of poor Parssoes, uplifting the poor and the distressed, by providing them with alms, food and clothing, and arranging for the education of their children. She visited Europe five times and travelled

through India and Ceylon. She was presented by Lady Birkenhead, wife of the then Secretary of State for India to Their Majesties' Court, in 1928.

Address—13 Cuffe Parade, Colaba, Bombay.

Bilimoria, Munchersshah Burjorjee.

B. Com., Partoor, Wadia Movietone; Proprietor, Palace and Edward Talkies, Bombay; Sole Proprietor, M.B. Bilimoria & Co. Direct Importers of British and American films and Cinema machines. Born on 21th February, 1899. Educated at Bilimoria, Now High School, Bombay; St. Xavier's College and Sydenham College of Commerce, Bombay. Married in 1921 to Miss Galsai, daughter of Merwanji Mengesi who died in 1932. Passed B. Com. 1921; joined M.C. Patel & Co. Bombay, as Manager; started independent business in 1921 as importer of films and cinema machines.

Address—Edward Theatre Bldg. Kalbadevi, Bombay.

Billimoria, Nowroji Rustomji, B.A.,

Principal and Proprietor Parsi High School, Panchgani. Born on 25th May, 1880. Educated at Bilimoria and Bombay. Married to late Bai Dubai, daughter of Cowasjee Pustoojee, Megesi of Bilimoria. (Two sons and four daughters.) Passed B.A., 1903 (Elphinstone College). Was Jt. Principal up to May, 1917. Sole Proprietor and

Principal of the Parsi High School since 1st June, 1917. This Institution is one of the largest of its kind in Western India.

Address—Parsi High School, Panchgani.

Birley Frank, M.L.C., Director, Post & Co., Ltd. Madras; Chairman, Madras Chamber of Commerce. Born on 6th July, 1881. Joined Post & Co., in 1900; served in France and Mesopotamia, 1914-19; D. C. M., 1914; Star, Victory & G.S. Medals. Married in April, 1924, to Evelyn Clifton of Perth, W.A., and has one daughter and one son. Clubs: Oriental, Madras Club, Adyar, Octagon Club, etc.

Address—Post & Co., Ltd., Madras.

Bivalkar, Ramchandra Vishnu, A. A. M. S., D. P., (Chicago) U.S.A. Proprietor of



the Lonavla Nature Home, and Dr. in charge of the Shree Vishnu Charitable Dispensary, Lonavla, belonging to late Rao Bahadur Viswanji Khimji, where Allopathic and Ayurved treatment is rendered. One of the pioneers in the field of Nature Cure Methods and a man of industry, indefatigable of speech, and manners charming, patient in adversity and disease, eminently pious and worthy to achieve better fortune in future Dr. Bivalkar, was born in 1884. He married Miss Sitabai Savarkar in 1910, a daughter of the late well-known pleader, Mr. Savarkar, from Karad. He received his education at New English School, Poona, and completed his medical course at Prabhuram Ayurvedic College, Bombay, in 1904. As he had to undergo the Naturopathic Treatment for himself he realised the innumerable advantages in the same to combat disease, and therefore he determined to study very carefully the different systems of Naturopathy as they were developed in East and West. After a thorough theoretical study of the principles, he largely put into his practice the methods of Nature Cure. Today his experience is so rich and varied that he can treat any case according to different Natural systems with great success. Thus in him, with his vast experience of thirty years, we find the knowledge of Allopathy, Ayurved, and Naturopathy, a very rare combination of these different systems. When Mahatma Gandhi started his memorable fast in 1924, his services were requisitioned by the medical

board that was attending Mahatma Gandhi at Delhi. Mr. C. P. Andrews, in an interview to the press said: "The help of Dr. Bivalkar of Lonavla, who is an expert in American Pasting Treatment, was greatly appreciated by the doctors in attendance." Besides this, he has earned the good opinion of late Pandit Motilal Nehru, Pandit Madan Mohan Malaviya, several ruling chiefs, and eminent medical men. He was in charge of Akola Mid-India Mill Dispensary in 1908-09. He started the Nature Cure Home, at Lonavla Hill Station in 1925, which continues to attract patients from all parts of the country. He was an elected Municipal Councillor for about fifteen years, from 1915-30, and his name is well-known as a fearless and tactful champion of public interests. Appointed Village Munsiff in January, 1936.

Address - Nature Cure Home, Lonavla,
(C.P. Railway District, Poona.)

Biswas, Abdul Latif, B.A., B.L., Member Bengal Legislative Assembly and pleader,



Manikganj, Dacca. Born in April, 1897. Educated at Manikganj H. S. School, Dacca College (B.A.), and Calcutta University College (B.L.). 1922. Started practising as a pleader at Manikganj in the district of Dacca on 18th December, 1922. Married in 1920. One son, Sahera Khatoon, and has four sons

and three daughters. He was honorary secretary, Manikganj Central Co-operative Bank, from 1925-1932; Member Manikganj Local Board 1927-1933; Member, Bengal Legislative Council in 1926 (by-election for a short period); elected to the Bengal Legislative Assembly in April, 1937, Deputy Chairman Manikganj, Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd., from 1936; elected member of the Dacca University Court from December, 1933; member Dacca District Education Board from 1934; secretary, Manikganj Anjuman Islamia; member Dacca District Board; member, Dacca District Muslim Federation.

Address—Manikganj, P. O. Dacca, District Bengal.

Blakiston, John Francis, C. I. M. (1937); Director General of Archaeology in India. Born on 21st March, 1882. He was educated at Wellington College. Has worked

in various archaeological departments from 1911 to date. He was with the Indian Cavalry from 1915 to 1918.

Address—Now Delhi.

Blandy, Edmond Nicolas, C.I.E. (1933)

Indian Civil Service, Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Finance Department, is the son of Adam Pettipiece Blandy, Abingdon, Berks. Married first in 1917 to Helen Elisabeth, and second in 1922, to Dorothy Kathleen, both are daughters of W. Newbold Marshall, of Born, Bengal. He has one son and one daughter. Educated at Clifton, Balliol College, Oxford; Bodon Scholar of Sanskrit; I.C.S., 1909; Assistant Magistrate, East Bengal and Assam, 1910; Under-Secretary to Government of Bengal Finance Department, 1914; Secretary, Provincial Recruiting Board, 1917; Under-Secretary, Government of India Finance Department, 1919; Collector of Income Tax, Bengal, 1922; Collector and Magistrate, Bakarganj, 1924; twenty-four Parganas, 1928; Deputy-Commissioner, Darjeeling, 1928; Secretary to Government of Bengal Finance Department, 1930-33; Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal, 1934-35; Commissioner Chittagong, 1935-36.

Clubs—East India United Service, Bengal; Calcutta, United Service, Simla.

Address—Secretariat, Calcutta.

Blunt, Sir Edward Arthur Henry,

K.C.I.E., O.B.E., B.A., I.C.S. Born on 14th March 1877, he was educated at Marlborough College and Corpus Christi College, Oxford. Married Ada, daughter of C. H. Stone, R. N., and has two daughters and one son. Served in C.P. as Assistant Commissioner and Assistant Magistrate, and Collector; Under-Secretary to Government, and Superintendent Census Operations; on Special duty in Finance Department of Government of India, 1912-1913; Settlement Officer in 1915; Director of Civil Supplies in 1918; Director of Industries, 1919; Financial Secretary to P. P. Government 1920-1931; appointed Member of Executive Council, 1931; resigned, 1935. Publications: "Christian Tombs and Monuments of Historical Interest in the P. P." (1911); "Caste System of Northern India" (1922).

Boag, G.T., I.C.S.; C.S.I. (1916); C.I.E. (1928); Secretary to the Government of Madras. Born in 1884. Educated at Westminster and Trinity College, Cambridge; First Class. (Classical Tripos Part I), 1906. Joined I.C.S. in 1907 and was appointed Assistant Collector S. Arcot 1908-10; Sub-Collector, Negapatnam 1910-12; Settlement Officer, Tinnevely, Ramnad and Madura, 1913-18; worked under Indian Munitions Board 1918-19; Superintendent, Census Operations, Madras, 1920-1922;

Commissioner, Madras Corporation 1923-25; Secretary to the Government of Madras 1925-28; Collector, West Godavari 1930; Indian Tariff Board 1931-33; Secretary to the Government of Madras, 1933.

Clubs: East India United Service Club, London, and Madras, and Daburramul Clubs.

Address—Adyar, Madras.

Bobbili, Rajah of Raja Sir Swetalpathi Ramakrishna Ranga Rao Bahadur, K.C.I.E., Sri Rajah Ran. Born on 20th February 1901. Educated at Bobbili privately. Assumed Gadi in 1920. Member of Council of State 1925-27; Member, Madras Legislative Council from 1930-37. Hon. A.D.C. to the H. E. the Governor of Madras from January 1930; Pro-Chancellor, Andhra University from 1931; Chief Minister to the Government of Madras from November, 1932. Awarded K.C.I.E., in 1935.

Address—Bobbili, Madras Presidency.

Bogislav, Reichsgraf von Donhoff. Freiherr von Krafft, Consul for Germany in Bombay. Born on the 24th August, 1881, at Skandian, Gordenau District in East Prussia, son of the then Councillor to the Legation, Otto Magnus Count von Donhoff, and the Countess Mira, nee Hermanns-Schluppenbach. Accompanied, when still a child, his father in his posts in Tokyo, Rio de Janeiro and Darmstadt.

He was educated in the Colleges of Bonn, Breslau, Berlin and Königsberg (Prussia). After passing the examination of "Referendar" (i.e. Junior Barrister) in July, 1906, at Königsberg, he became "Referendar" at the District Court of Tübingen. Working there for a year he went over to the Foreign Office. Serving for a short while at the Foreign Office, he was successively appointed "Attache" to the Embassies in Madrid, Paris, and St. Petersburg.

In 1911 he passed the famous diplomatic examination and was appointed Secretary to the Legation at the Legation in Buenos Aires. In the absence of the Minister in Buenos Aires and surprised by the War, he conducted the Legation as "Charge d'Affaires" during the whole period of the War.

Recalled by the new Government in 1920, he was kept at their disposal. In 1921 he was called up by the Foreign Office and in 1922 appointed Councillor to the Legation in Warsaw. In 1925 he became Councillor to the Embassy in Vienna. In 1927 Consul-General in Trieste. In February, 1931 he retired from service, and on the 18th October, 1936 he was reinstated by the Government of the Third Reich, and was at the same time appointed Consul in Bombay.

Address—Bombay.

Boman Behram, Sir Jehangir Bomanji, Kt., B.A., LL.B., J.P., Solicitor,



Bombay. Born July 1868. Educated at Fort High School, Bombay. Married in 1887 to Lelia, daughter of Morwanji Mulla of Nagpur (deceased). Matriculated from Fort High School, 1885. Joined St. Xavier's College and graduated at Elphinstone College, 1890. Fellow of the Elphinstone College. Jurisprudence Prize-man. Narayan Vasudeo Scholar. Member of the Bombay Municipal Corporation for more than fourteen years. Member of the Standing Committee of the Bombay Municipal Corporation for more than seven years. Member of the Schools Committee for more than six years. Chairman of the Standing Committee. Chairman of the Schools Committee twice and Chairman of the Law Committee twice. First Mayor of Bombay. Justice of the Peace. Honorary Presidency Magistrate (Single Sitter). Representative of the Bombay Municipal Corporation on the Board of the Bombay Port Trust. Member of the Executive Committee of the Helpless Beggars Relief Society. Member of the Executive Committee of the Society for the Protection of Children in Western India. Member of the Executive Committee of the Bombay Presidency Released Prisoners Aid Society. Member of the Board of the Acworth Leprosy Asylum. Director of various Joint Stock Companies. Member and Chairman of the Advisory Committee of the J. J. and allied hospitals. Member of the Advisory Board of the G.I.P. Railway Company as an elected representative of the Bombay Municipal Corporation for about four years. Member of the Board of the Victoria Jubilee Technical Institute for about six years. He inaugurated the Welfare of India League to promote Co-operation between Indians and the British people and to spread the Goodwill movement in India, and is the member of the Executive Committee thereof. President of the Hospital Maintenance Fund

Committee which has already collected more than three lakhs of rupees. He inaugurated H.O.H. Fete for the collection of Funds in aid of Bombay Hospitals and was the Chairman of the Executive Committee of the H. O. H. Fete. He generously subscribes to every deserving charity. Member of various charity and trust organisations in Bombay. Vice-President of the St. John Ambulance Association, Bombay Centre.

Address—Sea View, Warden Road, Bombay.

Bonerjee, Benode Behari, Born May, 1870, 5th son of the late Prankrishna Bonerjee; Knight Commander of the



Liberian Order of African Redemption, etc., 1901; M.A., M.D., Hon. Ph.D., Hon. D.L.D., First Bengalee Fellow of the Royal Institute of Public Health, of London, 1916; Life member of the Red Cross Assembly of Madrid, 1901; First Bengalee in India Hon'ble Consul for

Liberia at Calcutta, 1903-1928; promoted to Consul-General for Liberia in India, 1912; Consul-General for Bolivia, 1922-1923; Consul for Costa Rica, Guatemala, Salvador, Dominica, 1921-1927; Consul for Honduras and Nicaragua, 1926; Agent-General of Salvadorian Commerce, 1927—January to December; Consul for Czecho-Slovakia, 1921-1922. Author of: "Moral Philosophy," "Outline of the Dominion Constitution for India," "Peace," "Treatment of the Diseases of Hearts and Lungs," "Treatment of Intermittent Fever," etc. Married Sja. Mahayabati Mukerjee, daughter of the late Pundarikasha Mukerjee, and grand daughter of the late Maharaja Bahadur Sir Jeeendra Moha Pagora (two sons and one daughter, the late Kanjakska, Karanjakska, and Mrs. Malari Ghoshal).

Address—Ramaniketan, 10 P.K. Tagore St., Calcutta and "Sudhrajaketan" Madhupur, S.P.

Bower, E. H. M., B.A., LL.B., (London), I.S.O. Retired Inspector-General of Registration. Born on 7th January, 1876. Educated at Doveton and Christian Colleges. Married Miss Irene Rogh, and has five children. Served in Salt, Akbari, and Customs Dept., then as Deputy Collector, Presidency Magistrate, Revenue Officer of the Madras Corporation, and

Inspector-General of Registration. Retired in 1931. President of the Anglo-Indian Association of Southern India, of the Home Missionary Society of India, and of the Doveton Schools' Association. A Justice of the Peace. Served in the Legislative Assembly as both official and non-official member. Member, Senate, University of Madras and Provincial Board for European Education.

Address—Lynton, Taylors Road, Kilpauk, Madras.

Borkar, Dr. Atmaram Govind, M.C., Medical Practitioner and Government Health



Officer, Panjim (Goa). Born on 1st August, 1887. He was educated at Medical College, Panjim. Married on 15th June, 1916, with Miss Anandibai, daughter of Bhavani Bangi of Phonda (one son and one daughter). Took M.C. degree (Physician and Surgeon) in 1916. Commenced practice at Panjim in 1916. Is President, Pragatik Sangh, Goa. Has been the Government Health Officer, Panjim, for the last eighteen years. Took a leading part in the Marathi Literary Conference held at Margao.

Address—Panjim, Goa.

Bracken, Geoffrey Thomas Harst, C.I.E. (1930), joined I.C.S. in 1903, and was Assistant Collector and Magistrate in Tinnevely and Trichinopoly Districts,

1901-06; Secretary to the Public Works Establishment Committee, 1906-07; Assistant Director of Statistics, Calcutta, 1908; Assistant Collector, Tanjore, and Superintendent of the Administration of the Pudukottai State, 1909-13; Secretary to the Commissioners of Land Revenues, 1915; on Military Duty, 1916-19; Collector, and District Magistrate, Ganjam and East Godavari, 1919-24; Secretary to Government Development Department, 1924-25; third member, Board of Revenue and Commissioner of Excise, 1930; Chief Secretary to Government in 1931; Finance member to the Government of Madras.

Address—Secretaria., Madras.

Brahmachari, Rai Bahadur Sir Upendranath.

Kt. (1931); Kaiser-i-Hind (Gold, 1924); M.A., M.D.; Ph.D., F.A.S.B.; Professor of Tropical Medicine, Carmichael Medical College, Calcutta; Born on 7th June, 1875 (son of Dr. Nilmony Brahmachari). Married in 1898 to Nanu Bala Devi (two sons and two daughters). Educated at Hughli College, Bengal, Presidency College, and Medical College of Bengal, Calcutta, B.A. Honours in Mathematics; M.A. 1st Class, University Medal; winner of Griffith Memorial Prize, Calcutta University; Sir William Jones Medallist, Asiatic Society of Bengal. Was teacher of Materia Medica, Dacca Medical School, 1901; teacher of Medicine, Campbell Medical School, Calcutta, 1905-23; physician, Medical College Hospitals, Calcutta, 1923-27; President, Indian Provincial Medical Service Association. He is a Fellow of the University of Calcutta; Fellow, Royal Society of Medicine, London; President, Indian Science Congress, 1936; President, Indian Chemical Society; member, Court of the Indian Institute of Science, Bangalore; member, Sanitary Board, Bengal.

Publications: "Studies in Haemolysis;" "Kalaazar in Dr. Carl Mens's Handbuch-der Tropenkrankheiten;" "Treatise on Kalaazar;" etc.

Clubs: Calcutta, Bengal Flying, Medical, Calcutta.

Address—8032 Cornwallis Street, Calcutta, India.

Brayne, Frank Lugard, M.C. (1918), C.I.F. (1937), Commissioner Rural Reconstruction, Punjab. Born in 1882. Was educated at Monkton Combe School, and Pont College, Cambridge. Married in 1920 to Miss Iris Gooddove Goble (four sons and two daughters). Military Service, France, Palestine, etc. Publications:—"Village Uplift in India," "Socrates in an Indian Village," "The Remarkings of Indian Village," "The Boy Scout in the Village," "Socrates at School," etc.

Address—Lahore.

Brahme, Dattatraya Vasudeo, alias Rao Saheb, Pleader and President, Amalner



Municipality. Born on 2nd July, 1885. Educated at Garud High School, Dhulia. Married in 1906 with Miss Yashvabai, daughter of Damodar Marland Patilankar of Akola in Barar (two sons and four daughters). Passed Matric in 1909. Educated at Shingus's Private Law Class. Passed District Pleader's examination in 1912. Entered Amalner Municipality in 1919. Was Chairman, Municipal Standing Committee, 1925-1926. Was elected President, Amalner Municipality in March, 1936. A Member of the Managing Board of Khandesh Education Society for several years. A prominent Sanitarian, he is a leading Civil practitioner of twenty-five years' standing.

Address—Brahme Gully, Amalner, District East Khandesh.

Brett, William Bailie, C. I. E. (1933); Chief Secretary, Bihar, India, since 1935. Was born on 27th November, 1889, (son of William Leopold and Julia Brett). Married in 1926 to Elizabeth Wynne Vincent Lloyd-Williams (one daughter). Was educated at Liverpool College, Hertford College, Oxford. Entered I.C.S. 1912; Private Secretary to the Governor of Bihar and Orissa, 1921-22; Magistrate and Collector of Bihar and Orissa, 1922-29; Finance Secretary, 1929-33; Relief Commissioner 1934.

Address—Patna, E. I. R., India.

Bristow, Charles Holditch, C.I.E. (1937); L.C.S., B.A., (Cantab), Secretary to H. E. The Governor of Bombay since 1937. He was educated at Bedford School and Christ's College, Cambridge. Entering the Indian Civil Service in 1911, he arrived in India and joined duties at Ahmedabad as Assistant Collector in the same year. He acted as Superintendent of Land Records and Registration in addition to his duties in 1914. He went on Military duty from 1915-19. On return he was placed on officiating duty as Collector and District Magistrate, Nasik, and Political Agent, Surgana, and in October, 1929, he was confirmed in his substantive appointment as Collector while officiating as Settlement Commissioner, Director of Land Records, and Inspector General of Registration, Poona. He was confirmed as Settlement Commissioner in 1931. When this post was retrenched, he was posted as Collector at Kanara. He was Private Secretary to H.E. the Governor of Bombay for some time.

Address—Government House, Bombay.

Bristow, Robert Charles, C.I.E. (1935); M. Inst. C.E., M. I. Merch. L., F. R. S. A.; Administrative Officer and Harbour Engineer in Chief Port of Cochin. Was born in 1880 (son of Robert Alfred Bristow and Laura Webb.) Married in 1925 to Gertrude Kimpton. In Admiralty service, Malta, Portsmouth, Dover, Rosyth, and Whitehall; transferred to Government of India, 1920, for harbour work in South India; designed and constructed Cochin Harbour.

Clubs—East India United Service, Madras, Madras.

Address—Cochin Harbour House, Ernakulam, P. O., South India.

Broke-Smith, Colonel (temp. Brig.) Philip William Lilian, C.I.E. (1937), D.S.O. (1916); O.B.E. (1918); Chief Engineer, Eastern Command, India, since 1932. Born in 1882. Educated at Cheltenham College; Royal Military Academy, Woolwich. Married in 1908 to Dorothy Margaret, daughter of Vice-Admiral G. O. Twist, and has one son and two daughters. Was Major, 1916; Lt.-Col. 1925; Airship pilot, 1910; Aeroplane pilot, 1912; air services, England and Gibraltar (R.F.), 1902-6; India (R.F.), 1907; Mesopotamia (R.F.C.), 1915-16; Military Works, N.W. Frontier Provinces, 1906-10, 1913-15, and 1916-19; A.D. Military Works, A.I.C., India, 1919-24; and Deputy Engineer-in-Chief, Army Headquarters, India, 1931-32.

Address—C/o Lloyds Bank, 6 Pall Mall, S.W.1 and Eastern Command, India.

Broacha, Jall N. Born in September 1884, Mr. Jall N. Broacha was educated in the



Elphinstone High School and St. Xavier's College, Bombay. After leaving the College, he joined the office of Sir Shapoorji B. Broacha, as an apprentice without pay, and it was in this office that he obtained the appointments of Cashier, Accountant, and Assistant Manager in course of time, by dint of sheer hard work. His connection with the office of Sir Shapoorji Broacha gave him an opportunity of coming in contact with Share and Stock Brokers, Bullion Brokers, and Shroffs, practically all the Banks in Bombay, and, later on, with his late Highness the Maharaja Sir Madhavrao Scindia, who invited Mr. Broacha to Gwalior in the year 1916 to take over charge of the "Dukani Pichhadi," then a small money lending institution, and issued orders to convert it into a regular Bank. Mr. Broacha thus became the first Manager and sole organiser of the Krishnamram Baldeo Bank, and, after mature consideration, he decided to carry on the business of the Bank on western and eastern lines combined. The inauguration of this combined system was unique in the banking history of Gwalior—a system which has earned for the Bank state-wide popularity and phenomenal prosperity.

Since that time, the history of Mr. Jall Broacha is the history of the Krishnamram Baldeo Bank which has been able to attain a position of impregnable financial strength in

recent years. Mr. Broacha has done pioneer work in inculcating the habit of thrift and banking among the people of Gwalior, through the said Bank.

His late Highness' confidence in Mr. Broacha continued to increase with the growth of time, and His late Highness was pleased to make Mr. Broacha's appointment as a Director on the board of several commercial concerns of the State, such as the Potteries, Leather Factory, Engineering Works, etc.

On the death of the late Maharaja, the Council of Regency appointed Mr. Broacha as the Secretary of the Supervision Committee of His Highness' private properties, the duties of which post are being carried on by Mr. Broacha up to this day, in addition to his responsible duties as Manager of the Bank.

The commercial community in Gwalior was pleased to elect Mr. Broacha, as the President of the Gwalior Chamber of Commerce, in the year 1929, and he has been holding that post since the last six years continuously.

In recognition of his meritorious service in the capacity of the President of the Gwalior Chamber of Commerce, Mr. Broacha was awarded a Koto of Honour, on the 5th November, 1935, by His Highness the Maharaja George Jivajirao Scindia, in the Darbar held in honour of the birthday of His Highness on the aforesaid date.

Address—Gwalior, C. I.

Brown, The Rev. Arthur Earnest, M. A. (Cam.), B. Sc. (Lond.), O. I. E., 1926, Wesleyan Methodist Missionary. Born on 17th May, 1882. Educated at Stationers' Company's School, London, Kingswood School, Bath and Trinity Hall, Cambridge. Entered Wesleyan Methodist Ministry and joined Wesleyan College, Bankura in January, 1905, and became its Principal in 1917. Nominated Fellow of Calcutta University, 1921; General Superintendent, Wesleyan Mission Bengal, 1924-29; Chairman of Bankura Municipality, 1934. Married in 1908, E. Gertrude Parsons, M. A., daughter of T. L. Parsons B. Sc. Four Oaks, Warwickshire.

Publications—Translations from Bangali of "The Cage of Gold" by Sita Devi.

Address—Wesleyan College, Bankura, B. N. Railway.

Bryant, H. W. M.B.E., General Secretary of the Y. M. C. A. in Bombay. He joined the Calcutta Y. M. C. A. in 1905 and was successively Y.M.C.A. General Secretary in Nainital, Rangoon, and Bangalore. During the war he served in England and returned in 1919 as National Army Secretary for India, Burma and Ceylon, which post he vacated in 1923

to become General Secretary of the Bombay Y.M.C.A. He was chairman of the Poor Fund of the B.E.R. Association; Honorary Secretary of the Bombay Vigilance Association, which successfully fought the traffic in women and girls; President of the Bombay Missionary Conference, Honorary Secretary and later Vice-President of the Bombay Rotary Club, and Joint Honorary Secretary of the Mayor's Conciliation Committee during the riots of 1932. He was also on the Council of the Local Association of the Boy Scout Movement; the Bombay Presidency Adult Education Association; the Honorary Presidency Magistrates Society, and the Safety First Association of India, and also served as a member of the Bombay Government Committees dealing with the traffic in women and girls and the problem of the care of destitute children and youthful offenders. He was Honorary Commissioner for Rotary International in India from 1933-35; field representative of the Rotary International for India, Burma, Ceylon and Afghanistan. He was awarded the M.B.E. in 1917.

Address—c/o Y. M. C. A., Bombay.

Buckley, Col. H. C.; Surgeon General with the Government of Bombay since 1937. He joined the Indian Medical Service on 1st February, 1905, and arrived in India on 28th September, 1905. He was in the Military employ until the end of 1907. He was appointed Civil Surgeon of Lucknow in 1925. He was professor of Gynaecology and Obstetrics at King George's Medical College, Lucknow. He was Inspector-General of Civil Hospitals in the United Provinces, before he joined the present appointment.

Address—Bombay.

Bunbury, Evelyn James, B. A. (Oxon), M.C., J.P., General Manager, Messrs. Forbes, Forbes Campbell and Company, Limited, Bombay. Honorary Presidency Magistrate. Born on 31st October, 1888, he was educated at the Oratory School, Queen's College, Oxford, and Gann University, France. He joined Messrs. Forbes, Forbes Campbell and Company, Limited, and came to India in 1912. He has served in Grenadier Guards in 1917 and 1918 in France and Germany, and was awarded Kaiser-i-Hind Gold Medal in 1932.

Address—Mount Ida, Cumballa Hill, Bombay.

Burdwan, H. H. Sir Bijay Chand Mehtab Maharajadhiraja Bahadur of.—G.C.I.E. (1924), K.C.S.I. (1911), K.C.I.F. (1909) I.O.M. (1909), F.R.G.S., F.R.S.A., F.R.

C.L., P. N. B. A., M. R. A. S., Honorary LL. D., (Camb. and Edin.) 1926. A member of Third Class in Civil Division of Indian Order of Merit for Conspicuous Courage displayed by him in the Overtown Hall, Calcutta, on November 7th, 1908. Born on 19th October, 1881, he was adopted by late Maharajadhiraja and succeeded, 1887. Installed with independent powers of Zemindari in 1903. Has travelled far and wide. During his visit to the British Isles in 1906 he was received by King Edward. A member of Imperial Legislative Council, 1909-12; Bengal Legislative Council, 1907-18; member of the Bengal Executive Council 1919-24; Vice-President, Bengal Executive Council, 1922-24; Member of the Indian Reforms Inquiry Committee, 1924; Member of the Indian Taxation Committee, 1924-25; Nominated member of the Council of State, 1926; Delegate to the Imperial Conference, London, 1926, when he was received by King George V; received the freedom of the cities of Manchester, Edinburgh, and Stoke-on-Trent, 1926; Trustee of the Indian Museum, 1908; President Agricultural Society of India, Calcutta, 1911 and 1912; President of the British Indian Association, Calcutta, 1911-18 and again from 1925-27; Trustee of the Victoria Memorial, Calcutta, since 1914; Chairman, Calcutta Imperial Reception Fund Committee, 1911-12; President of the Bengal Volunteer Ambulance Corps and of the Bengali Regiment Committees during the war.

Hair-Maharajadhiraja Kumar Sahib Uday Chand Mehtab, B.A., born on 14th July, 1903, is Dewan Raj of the Burdwan Raj since 1927; Manager of the Burdwan Raj Wards Estate since 1930; Private Secretary to the Maharajadhiraja Bahadur at the Imperial Conference, London, in 1926.

Publications—"Vijaya Ghika," "Meditations," "The Indian Horizon," etc.

Address—The Palace, Burdwan Bijay, Mauzil, Alipore.

Burke, Lt. Col. Gerald Tyler, M. D., B. Sc., M. R. C. S., F.R.C.P., I.M.S., Secretary, Medical Council of India. Born on 31-5-1882. Married 1909; one daughter. Educated at St. Bartholomew's Hospital, London, he joined the I.M.S. in 1909. He was in Military employ till February 1924, and during the War, served in West Africa, Salonica, and Constantinople. His services were placed at the disposal of the Government of U. P. in 1924 when he was appointed Professor of Medicine, King George's Medical College (Lucknow University). After nearly two years' service there, he worked as civil Surgeon in various districts of the U. P. He returned to King George's Medical College in 1929 as Professor of Medicine and Physician to King George's Hospital, which appointment he held until he was appointed to his present post in May, 1935.

Address—Simla or New Delhi.

Burrows, Lionel Burton, C.B.E. (1931); B. A.; J. P. Commissioner Burdwan Division, Bengal, since 1932. Born on 12th March 1883. Married first to late Catherine Ella Frampton (one daughter), second to Ethel Fray. He was educated at St. Paul's School, Darjeeling and Elphinstone College, Bombay. Joined Bengal Civil Service, 1907; Deputy-Collector, Kolhan, 1908-11; Assistant Settlement Officer, 1911-12; Sub-Divisional Officer, Vishnupur, 1912-15; Deputy-Magistrate, subordinate Judge and Superintendent, Jail, Darjeeling; Additional District Magistrate, Mymensingh and Dacca, 1924-25; District Magistrate, Faridpur, 1925-28; Midnapore, 1928-29; District Magistrate, Mymensingh, 1930; Officiating Commissioner, Burdwan Division, 1931; permanent Commissioner, 1936. Publications—"Round the Kachori," "Ho Grammar with Vocabulary," "Indian Chikan Work."

Clubs—East India United Service; United Service, Saturday; Royal Golf, Calcutta.

Address—Commissioner's House, Chinsurah.

Burrow, Sidney George, B.Sc., (London), A.R.C.S., Principal, Baroda College. Born in



May, 1881. Educated at Ashburton Grammar School, Royal College of Science, London and Peterhouse, Cambridge. Married in 1911, Eiley, daughter of Mr. J. Rogers of Barrow-in-Furness (one daughter). A.R.C.S., First Class (first place) in Physics in 1901. Prize man in Physics, Mathematics, and Astronomical Physics. Passed B.Sc., from Royal College of Science, London, with first-class honours, 1903. Lecturer in Mathematics at the City and Guilds Engineering College at London, 1906-1910. Professor of Physics, Baroda College, from 1910. Principal Baroda College from October, 1924. A Fellow of Bombay University; Member of the Syndicate; Member of the Academic Council; and Member of the Board of Studies in Physics.

Address—Baroda College, Baroda.

Butte, Raosaheb Ramchandra Annaji Patil, Valandar Patil of Junnar and President Junnar Taluka Local Board, and Hon. Magistrate, Junnar. Born on 21st March, 1881, (Shaka 1805 Palgam Suddha 9). He was educated at P. E. High School, Junnar.



Married in 1900 with Luxtibai, daughter of Marutirao Kalo of Path, Taluka Khed (one son Shankarrao). The Butte Patil family came to Junnar from the village of Madha about 124 years ago. His grandfather, Dhondiba, while a boy of ten was brought to Junnar by his mother who, on account of extreme poverty, had to maintain the family by cutting and selling fuel and grass. The family continued to be poor till Annaji, father of Raosaheb Ramchandra, attained his twenty-second year. The late Annaji Patil became a forest contractor, and made a good fortune. He was a very good stamp of man, and carried great influence and

was greatly respected in Junnar. The Government appointed him a Police Patil of Junnar for life of his family on a salary of Rs. 3 per year, 1897. Later, Watan was created in favour of the family, 1901. Late Annaji, who was a well-built man and a good rider, used to ride till the age of 90. He died at the age of 97 in February, 1930. Raosaheb Ramchandrao, the subject of this sketch, after receiving secondary education at Junnar High School, joined the family business of Agriculture. Elected member to Junnar Municipality, 1905, and continued there for twelve years. Has been in Taluka Local Board for twenty-nine years, President of which for the last ten years from 1924. Was Police Patil of Junnar, 1910-1930; Hon. Magistrate, 1924 to date; President Junnar Municipality 1929-1932; President, Junnar Taluka Agricultural Development Association, 1926 to date; Vice-President, Poona District, Patil Parishad, 1928 to date; Vice-President, Shetki Sadharana Sangha, Junnar, 1927-1929; Vice-President, Taluka Agricultural Development Association, 1930-1932; Hon. Organizer, Co-operative Societies, Junnar Taluka, 1929 to date; Member, Lowly Irrigation Committee, 1926-1930; Member, Excise Advisory Committee, 1924 to date; Member, Lady Wilson Committee, 1924 to date; Secretary, Maratha Boarding House, 1923 to date; Member, District Executive Committee, Village Improvement Scheme, and Member, Publicity Sub-Committee of the same; Elected Member, Poona District Local Board; re-elected President, Junnar Municipality for another triennium on October, 1935.

Raosaheb Ramchandrao, who takes a keen interest in physical culture, is a good shot and a wrestler. He has to his credit of having bagged two tigers and a number of panthers

in the jungles near Shivnori Fort, birthplace of Shri Chhatrapati Shivaji Maharaj, the Great Maratha Emperor. On one occasion when he had gone out for shooting with the Collector of Poona, in 1924, he had to encounter a hand-to-hand fight with the tiger which, after a great struggle, fled away, being, worsted in the duel. Rao Sahib Ramchandrao, who was, however, wounded, was in hospital for three months, and the presence of mind and tremendous courage he showed on the occasion evoked a great admiration from the public, and is still remembered in the district. The incident was reported in Kosari under the Caption, "Nar-Vyaghra-Yuddha" (Dual between man and a tiger). Travelled in Northern India and paid visits to Himalayas and other Hindu places of pilgrimage.

In 1936-37, when Rao Sahib Buttoe was the President of Junnar Municipality, the residents of Junnar suffered much from the water famine; and they held a meeting in the Town Hall to discuss the easy remedies to cure the so-felt want of water to the residents, when Rao Sahib Buttoe, with his presence of mind, explained to the public the utility of the Municipality's proposed water scheme, and entirely satisfied them; and the public being well assured and convinced dissolved the meeting and granted him a title of honour (समयज्ञ) in token of his timely sagacity and presence of mind.

Rao Sahib Buttoe tried his level best to execute the water scheme for Junnar which was under proposal for the last twenty-eight years, and the Junnar Town was supplied with water and electricity during a short period of eighteen months for which the residents of Junnar had so long suffered.

Address—Junnar, District Poona.

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Byramji Rustomji. Many are the foreigners, Britishers, Australians, and Arabs, that adorn the pages of the Indian Turf History as trainers, able and efficient, of race horses in the past as at present, but India's CHAMPION has been Mr. Byramji Rustomji, one with few, if any, equals



from the wilds of Assam to the Hills of Quetta, and from Mussoorie on the North to Madras on the South. He left the Turf activities to enjoy the well-earned rest and peace during his old age. His place in the profession was as high as it can ever be, and it has remained vacant all these days and it will remain so, possibly and almost surely, for ever. During his pulmy days he was known as one of the triumvirates of the Indian race course, viz., Mr. R. R. S. (the chief of Khagal) and Mr. Kolso (C. D. Dady) with many other owners, Jockey Buntzy Brown, and his humble self. Long before the champion trainers dreamt of winning the King Emperor's and Viceroy's Cups, it was the great privilege of Mr. Byramji to win many similar cups and stakes, the

highest honours in the gift of the India Turf, and that not once but many times. Mr. Byramji was the first who proved beyond all shades of doubt that, given equal opportunities, the Indian talent could conveniently beat that of foreign countries in RACE RIDING, as was proved by the late KATKILUSRU, of whom Western India is proud even to this distant date, and it was Mr. Byramji that did it. With all these achievements to his undying credit Mr. Byramji is as humble as he is unassuming. He has never played the part of a hero though he has been admittedly a HERO of his profession. Though a bit reserved to all appearances, he is what is known as NATURE'S GOOD MAN, and to know him is to tie him up as a FRIEND ETERNAL with hoops of gold. Among the innumerable great horses he had trained, mention may be made

of "Kempion," "Bachelors Wedding," "Silver Balm," "Magyar," "May fowl," "Gynata," "Metal Maid," "Criton," "Acquatic," "Sesana," "Killina," "Chasepot," "Ros comain," "Toy Girl," "Quarryman," "Dhruvan," "Precious," "Gallant," "Tachreut," "Harpist," "Rosshy Rose," "Miss Rollos Low," "Hornik," "Telaricity," "Buk mosses," "Band Pry," and very many others that had made to be short TURL HISTORY, a history which it has been found and will be found almost impossible to be reproduced by another set of horses. In 1911 Mr. Byramji went to England and visited the principle Stables. He is now sixty-nine years of age.

Address—70, Wanwarie, Camp Poona.

Caldecott, Sir Andrew, Kt., 1935; C.M.G. 1932; C.B.E. 1926; Governor and Commander-in-Chief, Hongkong, 1935-37; Governor-Designate, Ceylon. Born on 26th October 1884; son of Rev. Andrew Caldecott. Educated at Uppingham and Exeter College, Oxford. Married in 1918 Olive Mary daughter of J. R. Tynes, C.M.G., and has one son and one daughter. Entered Malayan Civil Service, and served in different capacities, including acting Controller of Labour. His brilliant official career can be summed up thus:—Under Secretary, Straits Settlements; Commissioner of Lands, F.M.S.; Secretary for Postal Affairs; acting British Resident, Negri Sembilan; acting British Resident, Perak; British Resident, Selangor; acting Chief Secretary, Government of Federated Malay States, 1931-33; Colonial Secretary, Straits Settlements, 1933-35; Officer administering the Government of the Straits Settlements and High Commissioner for the Malay States, 1934; Malayan Commissioner at the British Empire Exhibition, 1924-25.

Publications—"History of Jelatu," various articles on Malayan subjects.

Hobbies:—Tennis, golf, music, painting.
Clubs—New University, Royal Empire Society.

Address—Government House, Hongkong.

Campbell, Sir George Riddoch, Kt. (1936); Member, Council of State, New Delhi; Partner, Mackinnon, Mackenzie & Co., Calcutta. Born on 4th April, 1887. Married in 1915 to Cynthia May Berry, and has three sons and two daughters. Educated at Hamilton Academy. Apprenticed to Thos. Law & Co., Shipowners, Glasgow, 1903; came to India in 1909, to Mackinnon, Mackenzie & Co., of whom now Senior Resident Partner in Calcutta. He was President, Bengal Chamber of Commerce, and Associated Chambers of Commerce of India 1935-36; served in France

with Q.O.R., Glasgow Yeomanry and Highland Light Infantry.

Address:—16 Strand Road, Calcutta.

Campbell, The Hon. Mr. Justice Archibald, B. A., 1st class Judge, High Court, Lahore. Born on 18th January, 1877. Married to Violet, youngest daughter of the late Sir Cecil Boudou, K.C.S.T., Lt.-Governor of Bengal. Educated at Harrow and Pembroke College, Cambridge. Entered I.C.S. (Punjab), 1901; Asst. Commr., Registrar, Chief Court, 1912; Officiating District and Sessions Judge, 1918; additional Judge, High Court, 1921; Permanent Judge, 1925. Retired in 1928.

Campelo de Andrade (Dr. Carlos Augusto), Bar-at-Law (Coimbra University).



Chief Justice, Portuguese India High Court, Goa. Born on 5th November, 1884 at Lisbon. Educated at Lisbon and Coimbra University. Married on 15th April, 1914 with Miss Olinda, daughter of Major Bundeira do Lima (one son and one daughter). Called to the Bar at Coimbra in 1907. Was Public Prosecutor at Timor (1914-1917), at Goa (1917-1918), and at Macao (1918-1921). Judge at Huila (Angola) 1921, at Lourenco-Marques (1923-1926).

Attorney General at Lourenco-Marques (1926-1932). Was Acting Governor-General at Mocambique (Oct. 1931—May 1932). Appointed High Court Judge at Goa from 1933. Appointed Chief Justice, Goa High Court, on 15th October, 1935.

Address:—Campal, Pangim, Goa.

Captain. Mrs. Queenie Hormusjee Cursetjee, F.C.I. (Birmingham); Hon. Magistrate at Bandra and Juvenile Court at Kurla and District Commissioner, Girl Guides, Bandra. Educated at St. Peter's



High School, Khandala, and St. John's College, Agra. Married in 1925 to H. C. Captain, B. A., LL. B., (Solicitor), Secretary, Central Bank of India, Ltd., Bombay, and has two sons, Appointed an Hon. Magistrate at Bandra in January 1930, being the first lady to be appointed Magistrate in the Bombay Suburban District. Has now been appointed Official Chairman of the Bench of Hon. Magistrates, Bandra. She was on the Staff of St. John's Collegiate School, Agra for three years and on the Staff of the Sydenham College of Commerce and Economics, Bombay, for six years. In 1933, she was appointed Hon. Magistrate for the Juvenile Court at Kurla. One of the pioneers in the Girl Guide Movement,

she was appointed District Commissioner in 1927. She is a member of the Bombay Presidency Women's Council, and a prominent social worker in the city and the suburbs. Awarded a Medal of Merit in recognition of her services in connection with the Girl Guide Movement in 1928. In 1932, she was the recipient of personal thanks from Lady Baden-Powell, Chief Guide of the World.

Address:—Captain Villa, 4, Bandra Hill, Bandra, Bombay, No. 20.

Castellino, Fernandes, T.M. & S., Private Medical Practitioner and President, Daman Municipality Corporation (Portuguese India). Born on 4th February, 1880. Educated at St. Xavier's High School and Grant Medical College, Bombay. Married on 5th February 1910, with Miss Francisca Da Silva Nunes of Daman (three sons and four daughters). Passed Matric, 1898; L. M. & S., 1903; Assistant Surgeon, Inoculation Department, Bombay Presidency, 1903-1906; Commenced practice at Daman, 1907; Elected to the Daman Corporation, 1909, and has been its member for the last 25 years; became its Vice-President, 1912; elected President for the last 14 years since 1920; during his regime as President of Daman Corporation, which is a very old Corporation in India, founded as far back as in 18th century, the "General Craveiro Lopes" bridge, built over the Daman Creek and costing three lakhs of rupees, was opened by H. E. the Governor General Craveiro on 2nd February, 1933.

Address:—Daman Via Post Vapi, R. B. & G. I. Railway.

Cawasji, D., is a prominent citizen of Khandala, and holds vast estates in and



about Khandala, as also in Bombay, Bangalore, and other places. Born on 17th July, 1882, of poor parents, he is today an outstanding personality in business. He started his career on a small scale with his

late brother, Mr. Dadabhoj Cawasji, in 1903, as a small army contractor, from which position he rose to be one of the biggest Army contractors, and held several military contracts at various stations in India during the Great War, and rendered valuable services to the Military and the Government. He was also one time the President-elect of the All-India Army Contractors' Association. His present business is confined to the holding of large Excise Contracts, both in and outside Bombay Presidency, and in Mysore State. Amongst his public activities may be mentioned that in 1912, he was a nominated Councillor of the Lamavla Municipality for nine years, and thereafter he continued to be an elected member of the same Municipality continuously for twelve years. During the said period at times he was the President and Vice-President of the Municipality for nearly nine years. During his regime, he rendered valuable help to the public in co-operation with the Government in times of outbreaks of plague and other epidemics. Since the formation of the Lamavla Bench, he was an Honorary Magistrate for many years and was the President of the same Bench for two years. He is also the President of the Bombay Provision Merchant Association, Bangalore Parsi Anjuman; a trustee of the Boyce Trust Fund, Bangalore Anjuman Fund, Athornau Mandal Fund, Dadar Parsi Colony, Gynkhana, etc. His sympathy for ailing and suffering humanity is manifest in several of his charities, both communal and cosmopolitan. Amongst them may be mentioned the seven splendid blocks of Sanatorium at Khandala named after his deceased parents, built in 1925; his donation of Rs. 15,000 to a new maternity home (Vani Vilas Hospital) at Bangalore; and Rs. 6,500 in the "Sri Narasimharaja Hospital" at Kolar. His intuition and love for educational, physical and religious uplift of his community is manifest in his donation of Rs. 10,000 in Boyce School at Surat, and the building of a "Dohrenmeyer" in Bangalore in 1926, named, Bai Dhummai Cawasji Dadabhoj Dohrenmeyer, whilst more recently it has taken the form of a Boarding School, opened in one of his recently built magnificent bungalows of his own at Khandala, and named after his mother as, "The Bai Dhummai Cawasji Zoroastrian Boarding School for Girls."

For his public services to the Mysore Government, that Government has honoured him with a Gold Medal. His increasing spirit of public service has made him divert his activities now to Bombay City. In the recent elections, he was elected a Corporator of the Bombay Municipality from the G. Ward.

He married Miss Aloo Manceksalah Poekhamawalla (of Messrs. Wadia Ghandhy & Co.,

Solicitors, Bombay) in March 1930, and has one son, Kafi.

Residence—617 "Abnaveer," Parson Colony, Dolar, Bombay.

Office Address—20 Fort Street, Fort, Bombay.

Catry, Dr. Hector, O. C., Catholic Bishop of Lahore, since 1928. Born in 1889 at Belgium. Educated at Soreptic School, Bruges. Joined the Capuchin Order at Enghien, 1907; ordained priest, 1914; came to India, 1920.

Address:—1, Lawrence Road, Lahore.

Chagla, Mahomedali Currim, B.A., (Oxon) Bar-at-Law, Bombay. Born on 30th



September, 1900. Educated at Bombay and Oxford. Married on 15th May, 1930, to Miss Meherunnisa, daughter of Jivraj Dharshi of Bombay. After passing Inter from St. Xavier's College, proceeded to England in 1919, and joined Lincoln College Oxford. Passed B.A., 1922. Called to Bar, 1922 (Inner Temple). Was President of Indian Majlis at Oxford, 1922. Elected Member of Library Committee of Oxford Union, 1922. Returned to India in September, 1922. Started practice in High Court. Worked with Mr. Jinnah and formed a close political association for seven years. Was Secretary of Bombay Muslim League. Took part in the discussions of the Nehru Report and carried on propaganda in support of it. Was one of the members of the Sub-Committee appointed by Muslim League at Calcutta to confer with the All-India Convention. Resigned the Secretaryship of the Bombay Muslim League on the question of the Nehru Report. Took a leading part in Simon-Commission Boycott. Was Vice President of Bombay Muslim Nationalists' Party. Is Vice-President, Students' Brotherhood and Secretary of the Bar Council.

Address—High Court, Bombay.

Chainani, Hashmatrai Khubchand, B.A., (Guntab), I.C.S., Secretary, Legislative Council, Bombay. Born on 29th February, 1901, he was educated at D.J. Sind College, Karachi, and Magdalen College, Cambridge. He entered the I.C.S. in 1927, and became Assistant Collector, Sholapur, in 1928. He was Assistant Collector at Nasik in October 1928 to December 1929, at Dhulia, 1930-31, and was transferred to Poona as Assistant Judge in September, 1931. Acted as District and Sessions Judge, Poona for three months in 1934, and as District and Sessions Judge, Sholapur, in 1934-35. In June, 1935, he was appointed Assistant Legal Remembrancer and Secretary, Legislative Council.

Address—Secretariat, Bombay.

Chakravarti, Dr. Satyendra Nath, M.Sc., D. Phil (Oxon); F.N.L., 1935, F.C.S. Acted as Vice-Chancellor, Annamalai University. Born on 15th August, 1903. Educated at Q. A. S. H. School, Lucknow, Canning College, Lucknow University, and Oxford University. Married on 9th August, 1929, S. Kamala Devi, ex-Treasurer and Vice-President, Ladies' Club, Annamalai-



nagar. B.Sc., first Class first; M. Sc. First Class First Government State Scholar for foreign Studies. Appointed Professor of Chemistry, Annamalai University in 1929. Dean of the Science Faculty, 1932-1935. Was offered a senior studentship of the value of £450 per annum at Oxford. Has published 25 original Scientific papers which have been highly spoken of by the Great Western Scientists. Was a member of the S. S. L. C. Board and Text Book Committee, Madras Government. Appointed Chemical Examiner to Governments of U.P. and C.P., 1936.

Address—45, Taj Road, Agra.

Chandrachud Raghunath Balkrishna, M.B., F.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., M.R.C.S., Chief Medical Officer and Principal Medical Officer, Baroda State. Born in 1896. He was educated at the Nutan Marathi Vidyalyaya and the Doonan College, Poona, and Grant Medical College, Bombay. M.B.B.S. Second Class Honours, 1918; Fellow, Grant Medical College; House Surgeon in charge Surgical Ward, 1919; proceeded to Europe, 1919; worked at

Guy's and London Hospitals; L.R.C.P., M.R.C.S., and F.R.C.S., 1922; joined I.M.S. in 1923; appointed Surgical Specialist in charge of Waziristan field Forces, 1924; resigned Commission and joined Baroda State Service and worked as Principal Medical Officer till December, 1925; worked as Principal Medical Officer till March, 1926; Chief Medical Officer and Principal Medical Officer, 1927-28; Accompanied His Highness the Maharaja Sahib to Europe as Secretary and Personal Physician, 1928; Chief Medical Officer, and Principal Medical Officer, 1929; accompanied His Highness the Maharaja Sahib in 1930; Chief Medical Officer and Principal Medical Officer since 1930.

Address—Baroda.

Chandavarkar, Vithal Narayan, B.A.
(Cantab), Bar-at-law; Vice-Chancellor, Uni-



versity of Bombay, is the eldest son of the late Sir Narayan Ganesh Chandavarkar. Born on 26th November, 1887. Educated at Aryan Education Society's High School, Elphinstone High School, Elphinstone College, Bombay, King's College, Cambridge and Lincoln's Inn, London. B.A., (Cantab) 1911. Was called to the Bar 1912. Was elected Member, Bombay Municipal Corporation, 1926; Re-elected, 1929 and 1932. Chairman, Law Committee, 1928-29; Chairman, Standing Committee, 1929-30; Chairman, Revenue Committee, 1930-31. Was elected Mayor of Bombay 1932-33. Was appointed Vice-Chancellor, Bombay University, 1st April, 1933. Was nominated on the recommendations of the Bombay Corporation as an expert member of the Bombay Legislative Council during the passage of the Bill, amalgamating the Improvement Trust into the Municipality. Is a Member of the Mill Owner's Association, Bombay.

Address—Poddar Road, Bombay.

Chalant, Ernest Pierre Frederic,
Consul for France at Bombay. Born in



March, 1885. Educated at Collège J. A. in Yvetot, Melun (Seine and Marne, France). Bachelier-ès-Sciences, Paris; Diplôme de l'École des Langues Orientales, Paris. Was with Indo-China Civil Service and attaché to the French Legation in Bangkok (Siam), 1908; Chancellor of Legation, 1913; Vice-Consul,

1920; Charge d'Affaires, 1923; 1st Secretary-Interpreter to the Legation and Consul in Bangkok, 1924; Charge d'Affaires, 1925; Consul for France in Bombay since 1928. Chevalier de la Légion d'Honneur, Officer of Instruction Publique, Knight-Commandeur of Nichan Iftikhar, Commandeur Crown of Siam; Commandeur Dragon Vert of Annam, Commandeur Crown of Cambodia, Chevalier of Morite Agricole, Chevalier of Étoile Noire, White Elephant of Siam, Millions d'Éléphants of Laos, etc.

Address—Consul for France, 11 Cliffe Parade, Bombay.

Chatterjee, Dr. Gopal Chander, M.B., Bui Bahadur (1917); Hon. Secretary, The Central Co-opt. Anti-Malaria Society, Ltd.; Hon. Lecturer of Protozoology, Calcutta University; President, Bengal Co-operative Home Crofter Association, Ltd. Born in 1873 (son of Dr. Nilmadhab Chatterjee, M.B., Calcutta). Married and has two sons and three daughters. Educated at Calcutta University. Was House Physician to 1st Physician, Medical College Hospitals, Calcutta, for three years; served as Asst. Bacteriologist to the Government of Bengal, and Asst. Professor of Pathology and Bacteriology, Medical College, Calcutta, for 21 years; specialising in treatment and prevention of tuberculosis in Calcutta for the last 25 years; Editor-in-Chief of *Sonar Bangla*. Publications:—Published 39 original papers on Intestinal flagellates and on other protozoa; 20 papers on cause and prevention of tuberculosis.

Address—1/2A Prem Chand Rural Street, Calcutta.

Chatterjee, Sisir Chandra, M.D. (Edin.), M.R.C.P. (Edin.), D.P.H. (Univ. Edin.); Chief Medical Officer, E.B. Railway. Born on 4th December, 1886. Married Nance MacDonald. Educated at Calcutta and D. Edinburgh

Temp. Commission in the I.M.S. during the Great War; District Surgeon, G.I.P. Railway, 1918-28; Dy. Chief Medical and Health Officer, N.W. Railway, 1929-31; Principal Medical and Health Officer, G.I.P. Railway, 1931, 1933-34.

Address—2, Belvedere Park, Calcutta.

Chaudhari, Rai Saheb Pratap Narayan, Mauzadar, Khata Manza and



Nalbari town since 1909. Educated at Gauhati High School, Jalukbari Survey School, and (or) at Normal Training School. Married late Sarada Sundari Chaudhary, and has one son, Pratap Narayan Chaudhary, B.A. He was a nominated member of the Gauhati Local Board from 1910-

13; an elected member of the same board since 1916; Hon. Correspondent of the Agriculture Department since 1916; Chairman of the Nalbari Central Co-operative Banking Union, Ltd., since 1918; Hon. organiser of co-operative societies from 1923-32; Hon. Magistrate, Nalbari, from 1936; Director of Provincial Bank in 1935; started the Govt. aided high school at Nalbari as secretary of the Institution in 1916; President, P.K.K. Samaj; President, Kamrup Mauzadar Association.

Address—Nalbari, P.O. Assam.

Cherry, Sir John Arnold, Kt. (1934); C.I.E. (1919); Bar-at-Law, M. Inst. T.M.L.C. (Burma); Chairman, Rangoon Port Commissioners. Born on 13th February, 1879. Married Doreen Gertrude, daughter of the late W.T. Wiloy of Cape Town. Bombay Port Trust, 1908-20; Chairman of the Commissioners for the Port of Rangoon since 1921.

Address—15 Windermere Park, Rangoon.

Chettiar, K.V. AL. M. Ramanathan Banker and Landlord, is the son of Mr. K.V.



AL. Muthiah, Chettiar. Born in 1907 at Kottaiyur Ramed. Nattukottai Chettiar. Banking business in Kuala Lumpur, Penang, Malacca, Bassin (Rangoon). His father is well-known in F.M.S. & Ramed Dt. He is carrying on his father's business. Comes of a very rich and respect-

able family in Kottaiyur, Ramed. Opened a free hospital in Kottaiyur under the name of his father, which is under his full charge. In Tiruvannamalai, the Vinayakar Temple and Tank was built by his family. Is connected with religious and charitable institutions in Tiruvannamalai where an Annadana Chattram feeding thousands of pilgrims is maintained by his family. Club—Cosmopolitan.

Address—"Muthiah, V. I. S." Kottaiyur Ramed Dt. and "Palm Grove," 2 Raja Annamalai Chettiar's Road, Vopery, Madras.

Chettiar Rm. Alagappa, Bar-at-Law; Banker and Senior Partner, Messrs. Ramlal & Co., Madras.



Born on 6th April, 1909. He was educated at Presidency College, Madras, and London. Married with Srimathi Lakshmi, and has one daughter. He is a Director of Indian Bank, Ltd., Madras, since 1935.

Address—67 Lauders' Gate Road, Vopery, Madras.

Chetty, Dewan Bahadur, Sir K.P. Puttanna, Kt.; C.I.E. (1917), is a leader of the Lingayat Community of Mysore and British India. Born in 1856, he was educated at Government Central College, Bangalore. Joined Mysore Service in 1875, and was appointed Traffic Manager, Mysore State

Railways, 1884; Deputy Commissioner and District Magistrate, 1896-1906; Member Maharaja's Executive Council, 1906-12; Chairman, Bank of Mysore since 1912; President, Central Co-operative Bank, Bangalore, for twelve years; Member, Mysore Legislative Council for 25 years; Fellow of the Mysore University, 1916; Hon. President, Bangalore City Municipality, 1918-19; Awarded Kaisar-i-Hind Gold Medal, 1914, and Durbar Medal in 1911. Granted Knight in 1925. Has donated large sums for public institutions, including Rs. 90,000 for a Town Hall for Bangalore City, and Rs. 26,000 for an Out-patient dispensary in Victoria Hospital. Awarded Silver Jubilee medal in 1935.

Address—Chamaraj Pet, Bangalore City.

Chetty, Rao Bahadur V. Thiruvengadathan, senior partner



Messrs. V. Paramall Chetty & sons, Madras. Born on 25th June, 1888, at Madras. Was educated at Madras. Married in 1905 to Srimathi Sridevi Ammal. He is Director, Imperial Bank of India, Madras, since 1929; Director, Mysore Paper Mills, Ltd., Bangalore; Director, Nottur Industries, Ltd.; Director, Bharathi Insurance

Co., Ltd., Lahore; Secretary, Alwar Chetty's Charities, Madras, and Trustee, Pachayappas Charities.

Address—"Wosteroff," Kilpauk, Madras.

Chetwode, Field Marshal Sir Philip Walhouse, 7th Bt., cr. 1700; G.C.S.I., 1934; G.C.B., 1929; K.C.B., 1918; K.C.M.G., 1917; C.B., 1915; D.S.O., 1900; A.D.C., General, 1927-1931; late 19th Hussars; *b.* 21st September, 1869; *s.s.* of Lieut.-Col. Sir George Chetwode, 6th Bt., and Alice, *d.* of late Michael T. Bass, Rungmore, Staffordshire. Married 1899, Hester Alice Camilla, *e. d.* of late Col. Hon. Richard Stapleton-Cotton; (one *s.*, one *d.*) Educated Eton. Entered Army 1889; Capt. 1897; Maj. 1901; Lt.-Col., 1909; Col., 1912; Brig-General, 1914; General, 1926; Field Marshal, 1933. Served Chin Hills, Burma, 1892-93, (Medal with Clasp); South Africa, 1899-1902, (despatches twice. Queen's Medal 5 Clasps, King's Medal 2 Clasps D.S.O.); European War, 1914-18; Commanded 5th Cavalry Brigade, 1914-15 (wounded, C.B.); 2nd Cavalry Division, 1915-1916, (promoted Major-General for distinguished service); Commanded Desert Corps, Egypt, 1916-17 (K.C.M.G.); Command East Force, 1917; Commanded 20th Army Corps, 1917-18; capture of Jerusalem and campaign in

Palastine and Syria (despatches eleven times); 1914 Star, British General Service Medal and Allied Medal, K.C.B., Commander Legion of Honour, Croix de Guerre, Grand Officer Order of the Nile, 1st Class Order of the Sacred Treasure (Japan); promoted Lt.-Gen. (1919); Military Secretary, War Office, 1919-20; Deputy Chief of the Imperial General Staff, 1920-22; Adjutant General to the Forces, 1922-23; Commander-in-Chief, Aldershot Command, 1923-27; Chief of General Staff, India, 1928-30; Commander-in-Chief of the Army in India, 1930-35. Heir—son, Roger Charles George, *b.* 18th April, 1906.

Address—40, Avenue Road, Regents Park, N.W. 8.

Chichele-Plowden, The Hon. Lieut. Colonel Charles Terrence, C.I.E., (1933);

Resident in Mysore and Chief Commissioner of Coorg since 1933. Born on 6th February, 1883 (son of late Lt.-Col. Trevor John Chichele-Plowden, C.I.E., of Punjab Commission). Married Beatrice Stretton, daughter of the late Lieut. R. E. Liston, West India Regiment. Educated at Cheltenham College, and Royal Military College, Sandhurst. First Commission, 1902; Indian Army, 1904; entered Political Department of Government of India, 1908; Political Officer, North West Frontier Province, Central India and Rajputana, 1908-14; Great War, 1914-18; Secretary to the Resident in Mysore and Chief Commissioner of Coorg, 1919-22; Vice-President, Council of Regency, Cooch Behar States, 1923-26; Secretary to the Agent to the Governor-General and Chief Commissioner, Baluchistan, 1928; Political Agent, Kalat, 1929-32.

Address—Residency, Bangalore.

Chikodi, Panditappa Rayappa, B.A., Ex-M.L.C., comes of a respectable Lingayat



family of Rakkavi, Belgam District. Born in April, 1884, he was educated at Rakkavi, Bijapur, Tharwar, and Deccan College, Poona

His legao life as Head Master of the Municipal English School, Gokak. He attended as Delegate of the first All India Liberal Conference held at Bombay under the Presidency of Sir Surendranath Banerji. He strongly espoused the cause of the Non-Brahmins as member of the All India Non-Brahmin Congress in 1921. He was elected to the first Reformed Bombay Legislative Council, re-elected, 1927-30, and again elected unopposed in 1930. He can also claim good public work as a member of the Belgaum City Municipality from 1922-25, as President of the District Local Board, Belgaum, 1922-26 and 1929-33. He presided over the Sangli and Jan. khundi State Subjects' Conference at Tardal and Baulhatti respectively; member of the Finance and Public Accounts Committees, 1931-23; President, Karnatak Non-Brahmin Primary Teachers' Conference, Dharwar; and of the Belgaum Primary Teachers' District Conference; President Karnatak Unity Conference held at Bellary, 1926; First Chairman of the District School Board, Belgaum, 1924; member M. & S. M. Railway Branch Advisory Committee, representing the Railway Mandal, Belgaum; elected Member of the Finance Committee, 1927-30. Member of the Bombay Provincial Banking Enquiry Committee of 1922 and 1930 respectively. Member of the Compulsory Primary Education Committee of 1921, and Primary and Secondary Education Committee of 1929; Member of the Depressed Classes and Aboriginal Tribes' Committee of 1923; member of the Public Accounts Committee of the Government of Bombay.

Address—Shotigalli, Belgaum.

Chinoy, Sultan Meherally, J. P.
Honorary Magistrate, Member, Municipal



Corporation, and on its Standing Committee and Improvements Committee, Merchant and Managing Director, F. M. Chinoy & Co., Ltd. Born 16th February, 1885. Educated at the

Bharda New High School and the Elphinstone College. His commercial activities have been varied and numerous. Founded the firm of Bombay Garage, the well-known Automobile Engineers and Motor Agents. He is responsible for the introduction of wireless communications in India, and is a Director of the Indian Radio & Cable Communications Company, Limited, Director, Reserve Bank of India (Bombay Board); Director, British India General Insurance Co.; Chairman, Red Cross Pageant Committee. He is keenly interested in Racing.

Address—"Dilbhar," Carmichael Road, Cumballa Hill, Bombay.

Chirmule, Wasudeo Ganesh, B. A., LL.B., First Managing Director (Retired) and



Chairman, Western India Life Insurance Company, Ltd., Satara. Born in 1864, he was educated at Satara High School, Rajaram College, Kolhapur, Dacca College, Poona, and Elphinstone College, Bombay. Passed Matric, 1881; B.A., 1884; LL.B., 1890. Married with the daughter of Mr. Ramchandra Mahadev Hardikar of Poona in 1884. Was a teacher in the Bombay English School and the Maharaja High School, Bombay. Was one of the starters of the school along with Messrs. Rajaram Shastri Bhagwat, N.V. Khot, and V.K. Mavhankar. Later served as a first assistant teacher in Jamkhundi State School. (1888-1891.) Appointed as a Judge in Mudhol State, 1891-1894. Commenced practice as a pleader at Satara, 1894. Appointed Assistant Public Prosecutor, 1901-1913. Elected to the Satara Municipality, 1898, and was there for eighteen years. Was Chairman, Municipal Standing Committee (1908-1914) and Chairman School Board for two years (1917-1919). Also a member District Local Board for nine years. Was closely connected with the Western India Life Insurance Company, Ltd., Satara, for eighteen years since its inception in August, 1913. Address—Satara City.

Chitale, Lt. Col. Padmakar Krishna, I.M.S., Retired Civil Surgeon of C. P. and Berar. Born on the 13th June, 1871, he received his secondary and higher education in Hislop High School, Nagpur and Deccan College, Poona. He then joined the Grant Medical College



Bombay, for medical studies. After completing his studies at Bombay he proceeded to England and received his training at the Royal Infirmary, Edinburgh, and University Medical College, London, and passed the I.M.S. examination in 1897. He married Mrs Radhabai Jog in 1892. On return to India, he was put in Regimental Medical charge from February, 1898 to May, 1900. He proceeded on Field Service in July, 1900, with the 6th Burma Battalion, and returned to India in September 1901. From February 1902, to August 1914, he was Civil Surgeon and Superintendent, District Jails, C.P. and Berar. His next appointment was as Residency Surgeon, Baroda (November 1914 to November 1915). He went on War Service again in November, 1915, as Officer Commanding No. 18 Combined Cavalry Field Ambulance, B Section, and was promoted in the Field as Officer

Commanding No. 18 Combined Cavalry Field Ambulance A, B and C Sections in 1916. He was promoted afterwards in the field as Senior Medical Officer (S. M. O.), 6th Cavalry Brigade, Mesopotamia, in 1916. He was appointed in the field as Registrar No. 25, Indian General Hospital, Basra, in 1917; and in July of the same year he returned to India invalided from War Service owing to sun-stroke and loss of sleep. He has received China War Medal, (1900-01); Bronze Medal, (1915); Silver War Medal, (1914-18); One General Gold War Medal, (1914-18). He served at Nowshera on the Frontier and then at Rampur, and finally as Senior Medical Officer, Naserabad, Rajputana, from August 1917, to February 1921. He was posted as Civil Surgeon and Superintendent, District Jail at Chindwada, Central Provinces, in March 1921 and continued to serve in that capacity till his retirement on 13th June, 1926. Since his retirement he has been leading an active life giving the best portion of his time for social

activities of a really useful nature. Since 1929 he has been Superintendent of the Ahmednagar Seva Sadan Maternity Home (Branch of Poona Seva Sadan), and President of the Ahmednagar Local Sanitary Committee. Since 1931 he has been a member of the Executive Committee of the Ahmednagar Baby Welfare Centre and elected Vice-President for the last five years. In 1932 he was made President of the Ahmednagar Medical Union. He is a Member of the Village Improvement Committee, Ahmednagar, since the beginning. He is elected President, Somwanshiya Harijan Hostel, Ahmednagar, and Vice-President, Harijan Seva Sangh. He has been elected Vice-President, Ahmednagar Anath Vidyarthi Grha since 1935, and elected Vice-President, Ayurved Maha Vidyalyayn, Ahmednagar, since 1932. In all these non-official capacities he is accepted by the Ahmednagar public as a wise counsellor and safe guide. He is never in a hurry and is patient and careful in all his work. He is even now a keen student of medical science and his book on "Comparative Study of Ayurveda and Treatment by Indian Drugs" (1927 Ed.) is much appreciated by medical men here and elsewhere. He is very charitable, and "generosity" is his watchword of life. He is a recipient of His Majesty's Silver Jubilee Medal, 1935.

Address—Near City Library, Ahmednagar.

Chitre, Atmaram Anant, M.A., B.L., J.P., Chief Judge, Presidency Court of Small Causes, Bombay, was born on 17th May, 1877. He belongs to the Chandraseniya Kayastha Prabhu Community, and is the son of Mr. Anant Raghunath Chitre who was a Deputy Collector. He was educated at Elphinstone High School and Wilson College, Bombay. He passed his B.L. B. from the Govt. Law College, Bombay, in 1900 with first class honours and topping the list of successful candidates. After passing the Advocate's (C.S.) examination, he was enrolled as an Advocate of the High Court on the original side. He practised with success from 1907 to 1916, when he was appointed acting Judge of the Bombay Court of Small Causes. He was confirmed as Chief Judge from December, 1928. He was appointed to act as a Judge of His Majesty's High Court at Bombay for four months from 18th June, 1935. He married Miss K. Blise in 1902, and has an only son practising as a Barrister in the Bombay High Court, and four daughters.

Address—Laburnum Road, Bombay.

Choithram, Partabrai Gidwani, was born in 1889. After education he joined the Hyderabad Jail as a Doctor in 1911, but resigned and joined Beshnacharya Ashram in 1912. He was Secretary, Tilak National Home Rule League in 1916, and joined Satyagraha Movement in 1919. He was for some time editor of "Hindu," Hyderabad in 1922; sentenced to eighteen months for sedition in 1922;

released from jail in 1923, but re-arrested on charge of defamation; President, Sind Provincial Congress Committee, 1923-24; joined the Hindu Sanghathan Movement in 1925; again sent to jail in the recent Satyagraha Movements.

Address—Hyderabad, Sind.

Choksy, Sir Nasarwanji Hormusji, Kt., C.I.E., Khan Bahadur, M.D., (Hon. Cansu), Freiburg, F.C.P.S., (Bom.), L.M.S. (Bom.), late President, College of Physicians and Surgeons. Born on 7th October, 1861, he was educated at Elphinstone High School and Grant Medical College, Bombay. He was Medical Supt., Arthur Road Plague and Infectious Disease Hospital from 1888 to 1921, Acworth Lepor Asylum from 1890-97, and Maratha Plague Hospital from 1901-21. He was made Chevalier of the Crown of Italy in 1899, Medallist of the Epidemics Republique Francaise in 1906. He has shown good work as Hon. Secretary, Governor's Hospital Fund for Bombay, and the British Empire Leprosy Relief Association, Bombay Presidency Branch. He is the author of many publications. He was a nominated member of the Council of State in 1932.

Address—Napean Sea Road, Bombay.

Chopra, Dr. Ram Nath, M.A., M.D., (Cantab.) M.R.C.P. (London), L.M.S. C.T.F.



(1933), Off. Director and Prof. of Pharmacology, Medical College, Calcutta. Born on 17th August, 1882. Was educated at Punjab University, Downing College, Cambridge, and St. Bartholemew's Hospital, London. Married in 1903 with Miss Parmeshwari (two daughters and three sons). Joined the I. M. S. in 1908

and remained in military service till 1921. Appointed Prof. of Pharmacology, School of Tropical Medicine and Medical College, Calcutta in 1921; Director, School of Trop. Med. in 1935; Chairman, Drugs Enquiry Committee, Government of India, 1930-31. Is Officer in charge of Indigenous Drugs Inquiry, Drug Addiction Inquiry, and the Medicinal Plants and Food Poisons Inquiry; Fellow of the Royal Asiatic Society of Bengal, National Institute of Sciences of India. Served in the Great War, 1914-17 (East Africa); Afghan War 1919-20. Is the Author of "Antelmintics and Their Uses in Medical and Veterinary Practice," "Indigenous Drugs of India," "A Handbook of Tropical Therapeutics."

Address—School of Tropical Medicine, Calcutta.

Chitre (Chitnis), Govind Kashinath, B.A., LL.B., Advocate, Jalgaon, East Khandesh, is a well-known lawyer in East Khandesh and a leading public worker. Belongs to the Chandra Saniya Kayastha Prabhu Community and the historic family of Balaji Awaji Chitnis,



well-known Chitnis of Shivaji, who were the Watarandar Chitnis family of Satara and Mokashi Watarandar of Niphad and Chandor Talukas in Nasik District, originally from Poladpur near Shivaji's famous Raygad. Born on 5th August, 1900. Educated at Nasik High School, and Now Poona College. Married in 1924 with Miss Yammabai, daughter of late Rao Sahab L. S. Potnis, Huzur Deputy Collector and First Class Magistrate, Satara. (Two sons and four daughters.) Passed B.A., 1921, LL.B., 1924. Started practice at Jalgaon, East Khandesh, 1924. A non-official enthusiastic worker, he was the Director of the East Khandesh Central Co-operative Bank for several years, and its Vice-Chairman for three years. Also Vice-Chairman, Bombay Central Co-operative Institute, Jalgaon, for three years; A Member of the Co-operative Council, Bombay, and the Bombay

Central Co-operative Institute. Secretary of the Hospital Fund in 1933-34. Chairman, Co-operative Sahi-Society, East Khandesh, for six years, 1932 to 1937. Secretary, Jalgaon Taluka Agricultural Development Association, 1933 to 1937. A Member, District Executive Committee for Village Uplift. A Member of several committees for propaganda in villages in connection with Sir Frederick Syke's Village Uplift Scheme.

Secretary for the Harijan Boarding House Building Fund. Elected to the Jalgaon City Municipality and elected its Vice-President, 1934 and 1935. Appointed Assistant District Government Pleader and Assistant Public Prosecutor for East Khandesh, 1932. Appointed a Special Public Prosecutor in one of the biggest Conspiracy cases in India that was tried for nine months. Was President, East Khandesh District Conference of the Depressed Classes at

Jalgaon. President, Bahishkrit Hitkari Mandal, East Khandesh. A Member of the Hindu Law Research and Reform Association. Chairman, Central Co-operative Bank, Jalgaon, 1929, and Editor, "Loksevak." He is full of energy and enthusiasm, and his brilliant abilities as a lawyer have secured for him the good wishes of the people of Khandesh. Possessing, as he does, the noble qualities of head and heart required of a public man, he must soon come to the front rank of public men in Western India.

Address—Jalgaon, East Khandesh.

Chowdhry, Hamidul Huq. B. Sc., B.L., Advocate, Calcutta High Court and elected



member, Bengal Legislative Council. Born on 12th April, 1903, at Ramnagar, District Noakhali. Educated in the Dacca Collegiate School, Scottish Church Collegiate School, and the Presidency College, Calcutta; Passed B. Sc., with distinction. Married, 27th October, 1933, Miss Hafima

Banu, and has one son. Joined the High Court in March, 1930. He is a member of the Calcutta Bar Council since 1934; elected to the Bengal Legislative Council in 1937, and Deputy President of the said Council from April, 1937.

Recreations—Shooting, etc.

Address—High Court, Calcutta.

Clarke, Walter Douglas Montgomery. His Majesty's Trade Commissioner, Bombay. Born on 3rd March, 1890, he was educated at the High School, Kelso and Trinity College, Glenalmond. He had his own business in India and Burma from 1911 to 21. In 1915 he joined the Indian Army Reserve of Officers, and served with thirty-eighth Dogras in Mohmand Campaign, 1915-16. He was appointed Assistant Civil Commissioner, Madras, in 1916, and became Deputy Controller, India Munitions Board, Bombay, 1918-19. He was made Hon. Secretary, Ceylon Chamber of Commerce, and Member, Ceylon Harbour "ad hoc" Committee in 1921.

Address—Summerset Cottage, Warden Road, Bombay.

Clay, Joseph Miles. K. C. I. E. (1936); C.S.I. (1934), C. I. E. (1925), O. B. E. (1918), B.A. (Oxon) I. C. S., Finance Member of the Executive Council, United Provinces Government. Born on 6th September 1881. Married Edith Marguerite Florence, daughter, of F. T. Hall, F.R.I. B.A., of Dulwich. Educated at Winchester College, and New College, Oxford. Entered I. C. S. in 1905; Under-Secretary to Government, 1911-13; Dy. Commissioner, Garhwal, 1913-20; Magistrate and Collector, Cawnpore, 1921-25; Dy. Commissioner Naini Tal, 1925-28; Secretary to Government, 1929-31; Chief Secretary to Government of United Provinces, 1931-35.

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Clow, Andrew Gourlay. M. A., J. P., F.S.S., C.S.I. (1935), C.I.E. (1928), Indian Civil Service; Joint Secretary to Government of India, Department of Industries and Labour (1931). Born on 29th April, 1890. Married Ariadne Mavis Dundordale in 1925. Educated at Merchiston Castle School, Edinburgh, and St. John's College, Cambridge. Served in U.P. as Assistant Collector, Assistant Settlement Officer, and Settlement Officer, 1914-20; Controller Labour Bureau, Government of India, 1920-23; Chairman, Seaman's Recruitment Committee, 1922; Secretary, Workmen's Compensation Committee, 1922; Under-Secretary to Government of India, 1923-24; Advisor and delegate, International Labour Conferences, Geneva, 1921, 1923, 1929, 1931 and 1934; Deputy Secretary to Government of India, Department of Industries and Labour, 1924-27; Member, Legislative Assembly, 1923, 1925-27, 1933-34; Member, Council of State, 1928-29 and 1932-33; Member, Royal Commission on Labour in India, 1929-31. Publications:—"The Indian Workmen's Compensation Act" (1921); "Indian Factory Legislation, a Historical Survey" (1927), "The State and Industry," (1928), etc.

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Cocke, Sir Hugo Golding, Kt. Chartered Accountant and Partner, Messrs. A.F. Ferguson & Co., Chartered Accountants, Bombay, Karachi, Indore, Delhi, Simla, Lahore, Lucknow, and Rawalpindi. Born on 1st June, 1882, he was educated at Merchants' Taylor School, London. He joined Messrs. A.F. Ferguson & Co., Bombay, in February, 1907. He represented Bombay Chamber of Commerce on Bombay Improvement Trust in 1919, and Bombay Municipality from 1919-23. He has been a Member of the Legislative Assembly from 1924-31, of the Public Accounts Committee from 1924-27, and Railway Finance Committee from 1926-28. He was made Hon. Presidency Magistrate in 1924, and was President Bom-

bay Chamber in 1928. He was made a Knight in 1929. Was Sheriff of Bombay for 1933. "A Summary of the Principal Legal Decision Affecting Auditors," is the important among his publications.

Address—Messrs. A. F. Ferguson & Co., Appollo Street, Bombay.

Clubwala, Mrs. Mary Nogi. Honorary Secretary, Madras Parsee Association, Madras.



Born on 10th June, 1908, at Wellington (Nilgiris). Educated at Nazareth Convent, Ootacamund. Married the late Mr. Nogi P. Clubwala on 30th December, 1926. (one son, Phiroz.) Her father, late Mr. Rustom T. Patel, who was a well-known Parsee business man of the Nilgiris and a very keen and high Mason,

having held various Grand Lodge Offices, belonged to the old Cowasjee Patal family of Bombay. The Clubwala family is a well known Parsee family in Madras. The late Mr. Phiroz, who was born at Surat, came to Madras about forty years ago, started business as an Agent for Badische Anilin & Soda Fabrik Ludwig Shu Pon A/R Hein, a German Alindine Dyes Co., for the whole of Madras Presidency. He, by his hard work and perseverance, built the fortune of the family, and the business was conducted in the name of Jal Phiroz & Co. The Clubwala family has been taking a very keen interest in the welfare of Madras Parsee Anjuman. The late Mr. Phiroz Clubwala will always be remembered as one who gave his best, both in might and money. Amongst his various donations to the Community (about two lakhs) are (1) Jal Phiroz Block in Parsee Dharmasala, Madras, in memory of his late eldest son, Jal, who died at the age of thirteen; (2) Jal Phiroz Hall at Ooty; (3) Darsh Mohar at Madras in memory of Jal. (4) A block in the Parsee Sanatorium at Deolali. His noble and gentle wife, Mrs. Shirinbai Clubwala, who is much respected and who also shared the charitable instincts of her late husband, carries on these good works. It was to commemorate the memory of the late Mr. Phiroz that several of his friends and Parsee residents of Madras joined together and purchased, in 1930, a commodious bungalow and grounds at Royapuram and named it "Phiroz Clubwala Bagh." This bungalow is the official premises of the Madras Parsee Association. Mr. Phiroz left after him his only son, Nogi, who was as good and great

as his father. Putting his heart and soul in the promotion of the Madras Parsee Association, of which he was the founder and the Secretary from its inception, he made it a common centre for social activities. Nogi enjoyed the confidence and love of all, a great friend was he. A keen sportsman, he was popular among all communities. He donated a building in memory of his father for the poor Parsees. He died on 24th May, 1935, at Naples at the age of thirty when he was touring the Continent accompanied by his mother, wife, and son. Mrs. Mary, who has been elected in his place as the Honorary Secretary of the Madras Parsee Association has, by her grace and sympathy, extended the circle of her enthusiastic appreciators.

Her public activities can be summed up thus:—Honorary Secretary, Madras Parsee Association; Committee Member, the Madras Discharged Prisoners' Aid Society; Committee Member, the Overseas League (Madras Branch); Committee Member, Pastour Institute (Coonoor); Committee Member, Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals; Committee Member, After Care Association; Vice-President, Madras Depressed Classes Mission Society, Visitor to Senior Certified School, Chingleput, reappointed by Government; Non-Official Jail Visitor to the Prisons in the City of Madras, appointed by Government; Honorary Presidency Magistrate sitting both at the Chief Presidency Magistrate's Court, Kymore, and also the Juvenile Court Vepery; Vice-President, Executive Committee Member, Finance Committee and Parliamentary Committee of the people's party; Visitor to the Hospitals (Madras Women's Guild of Service); Member of the Madras Women's Civic group, and on the Markets Committee; Committee Member, Madras Children's Aid Society; Vice-President, Madras City Leprosy Relief Council; Member on the managing Committee of the Madras Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children.

Address—Locksley House, 54 Main Road, Royapuram, Madras.

Coleridge, General Sir John Francis Stanhope Duke, K.C.B. (1933); C.B. (1921);

C.M.G. (1918); D.S.O. (1916); A.D.C. General to the King since 1933; G.O.C. in Chief, Northern Command, India, since 1936. Born on 25th April, 1878. Married in 1907 to Marjorie Mary Kimball Cook, and has two daughters. Educated at Wellington, Sandhurst. Served Tibet (Army), 1908-04 (medal and clasp); European War, 1914-18; N. W. Frontier of India, 1930-32; Assistant Commandant, Staff College, Quetta, 1923-25; Military Secretary, Army Headquarters, India, 1926-30; Commander, Peshawar District, 1930-33; Secretary, Military Department, India Office, 1933-36.

Address—Headquarters, Northern Command, India.

Coelho, Victor A.

Karwar, District North



Forest Contractor, Kanara. Born on

November 2nd, 1855, at Mangalore in Palmir Coelho's family. Married on 28th November, 1889, Margaret Caroline Saldauba. Started life as a Coffee Planter in Manjarabad, Hassan District, Mysore, for twenty-four years (from 1875). Joined Government Timber Contract business, 1899; Non-Official Member,

Kanara Local District Board, 1904; sole Agent to Messrs. McKinnin's Saw Mills, Limited, Bombay, 1905; Vice-President, District Local Board, 1919; President 1920. Was also Non-Official Member of the Karwar Taluka Local Board, Chairman of "The Works Committee" of the T. L. Board, Vice-President of the Taluka Local Board; Councillor and Chairman of the Karwar Municipality; Hon. Magistrate and Member of the Dufferin Fund Committee. During the Great War, was member of the recruiting committee, the War Relief Committee, The Belgium Fund Committee, etc. Awarded Certificate of Merit and Silver Medal on Cornubian Durlar sold at Delhi in 1911; Gold Medal by the District Advancement Association of Mangalore at the Exhibition, 1924; Kaisae-Hind Silver Medal, 1924; Cross Pro Ecclesia at Pontificat by His Holiness Pope Pius XI, 1934.

Address—Karwar, District North Kanara.

Colledge, H. B., Commander of the Salvation Army, Western Territory. Joined the Salvation Army in 1893, and went to Australia for training in 1895. Served in Australia for nine years, then in India for seven years; then after a further period in Australia as Field Secretary in New Zealand and Under-Secretary in London; served in Ceylon for four years; was Chief Secretary of the Western territory for two years, and was later on appointed Territorial Commander of the Madras and Telugu territory. Was also a chaplain with the New Zealand Forces during the Great War. He was appointed to the present post in February, 1936. He has a fine record of forty-three years of service in the Salvation Army, of which eighteen years he spent in India.

Address—Salvation Army Headquarters, Bombay.

Collins, Godfrey Ferdinando Stratford.

M. A., O. B. E. (1919); C. I. E. (1931); I.C.S. Commissioner Northern Province, since 1936. Born on 3rd November, 1888. He was educated at Charterhouse and Christ Church, Oxford. He came to India as Assistant Collector, 1912; and was on Military duty, 1916-1918. He became Deputy Director of Civil Supplies in 1919, and Forest Settlement Officer in 1920. He was appointed Revenue Settlement Officer, 1924-26. He was Deputy Secretary, Finance Department, 1925-26; and Registrar Co-operative Societies, 1926-27. He acted as Collector and District Magistrate from 1928-26 and 1928-29 and as Home Secretary to Government of Bombay, 1929-31; Private Secretary to the Government of Bombay, 1934-35; Acting Commissioner in Sind, 1935.

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Colloco, Joseph Altino, I. M. & S.

Medical Practitioner, Bombay, and Member, Bombay Legislative Assembly. Born on 21st December, 1881, he received his education at St. Patrick's High School, Karachi, and Grant Medical College, Bombay. He has been a private Medical Practitioner for the last twenty-four years, and has taken considerable interest in the welfare of the public by doing honorary work as Medical Officer in charge of Bai Sajunbi Mohoralli Charitable Dispensary, and Jeynambai Orphanage. As a member of the Bombay Municipal Corporation he represented the Corporation on the Improvements Committee and on the Committee of Bombay Institution of Deaf and Mutes. He is the Treasurer of Catholic Medical Association, and an active member of St. Vincent de Paul's Society, and also a member of the Managing Committee of Catholic Library.

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Contractor, Miss Navajbai Dorabji.

B.A., J.P., Hon. Presidency Magistrate and Lady Superintendent, Chanda Ramji High School for Girls, Bombay. She was educated at Wilson College, Bombay. She was the first Indian Lady to be elected a Fellow in Arts of the Bombay University. She is a Member of the Committee of Visitors for the Cama and Allbless Hospitals, and of the Bombay Municipal Schools Committee. She has travelled extensively throughout Europe, United States of America, China and Japan and also India, Burma, and Ceylon.

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Contractor, Dossabhoy Hormusjee,
(Government Building Contractor, Bombay, is

Police Court at Bombay. His brother, the late Khansahab Hormusjee Ruttonjee, was one of the partners of Messrs Sorabjee Rut-



Late Khansahab Hormusjee Ruttonjee

the son of the late Khansahab Hormusjee Ruttonjee. Born on 4th May, 1881. Educated at New High School and St. Xavier's College, Bombay. Married on 12th May, 1912, to Miss Najanai, daughter of Framji Kalyanwalla. (one son, Pallonjee, who is in business, and three daughters). Passed Matric in 1903, and joined the family business in 1905. His uncle, Pallonjee Ruttonjee, at the age of twelve came to Bombay from Dumas and worked as a carpenter at the rate of two annas a day. Being industrious and perseverant, he gradually made a name as a contractor, and built the E.D. Sassoon Mills, Alexandra Mills, Jacob Sassoon Mills, Kohinoor Mills, Taj Mahal Hotel, Waterloo Mansion, and the Esplanade

tonjee & Co., who built the Gate-Way of India, Custom House, Mole Station, Sir Cowasjee Jehangir Hall, Empire Theatre, Novelty Theatre, and several other buildings. Mr. Dossabhoy has built several buildings including Sassoon Dock, Officer's quarters of the Bombay Port Trust, Jorbai Wadia Hospital for Children, and Jorbai Wadia Baug, Parsee General Hospital, and Goculdas Sunderdas High School at Jalgaon. Mr. Dossabhoy succeeded his father, and is now one of the leading contractors in Bombay. He is very generous, social, and charitable.

Address—Naji Mansion, 54 Wodehouse Road, Colaba, Bombay.

Cooper, The Hon'ble. Khan Bahadur Sir Dhanjishah Bomanjee, Kt.; Chief



Minister to Government of Bombay. (1937) and Proprietor "The Cooper Engineering Works," a leading firm of Agricultural Implements, Manufacturers, and General Founders, Satara. Born on 2nd January, 1878, he has been taking active interest for the last twenty years in the Municipal and Local Board affairs, paying special attention to the development of Agriculture. He was elected Vice-President, Satara City Municipality, 1920 to 1923, and President in 1923. He was Vice-President, District Local Board, Satara, from 1922 to 1925; Chairman School Board, District Local Board from 1925 to 1928; President from 1929 to 1932, and Member, Provincial Road Board since 1924. He was elected Member of the Bombay Legislative Council, 1920 to 1926, 1930-37, and re-elected in 1937. As a prominent leader of Satara, he is liked by one and all for the generosity and sympathy he shows in the betterment of the people of the place, especially the agriculturists. He was Minister, Local Self Government for sometime, and Finance Member to the Government of Bombay till 1937. Knighted in 1937.

Address—Poona and Bombay.

Corin, John Madan, B.A., (Cantab); I.C.S., Private Secretary to H.E. the Governor of Sind. Born on 9th May, 1907. Educated at St. Paul's School and Magdalene College, Cambridge. Joined I.C.S. in 1930, and served as Asst. Collector and Magistrate at Sholapur, West Khandesh, and Bombay, from 1930-35; Under-Secretary, Home and Political Department, Government of Bombay, 1935-36.

Address—Government House, Karachi.

Cooper, Jehangir Dorabjee, House Agent and Landlord, Poona. Born in 1871.



Educated at Poona and Bombay. Married in 1912 with Hirabai, daughter of Mr. H. R. Master of Secunderabad, Deccan (one son, Ravi, and one daughter, Miss Bijon). At the age of twenty-five he entered the business of house-agency and retired in 1934. In his dealings he was fair to all, rich and poor alike. A believer in his Prophet, he discarded all ceremonies, his motto being "Good deeds, good thoughts, and good words."

Address—14, Napier Road, Camp Poona.

Cosgrave, William Alexander, B.A., (Dublin); C.I.E. (1931); Indian Civil Service, Chief Commissioner, Andaman and Nicobar Islands (1935). Born on 6th April, 1879. Married Maude Elizabeth, daughter of late C. W. Gale of Cheltenham. Educated at Shrewsbury and Trinity College, Dublin. Came to India, 1903, and served in Bihar, Eastern Bengal, and Assam; transferred to Assam, 1912; Political Agent in Manipur, 1917-20; Deputy Commissioner, Jakhimpur, 1920-24; Official representative of Government of Assam on Indian Legislative Assembly in several sessions between 1925-32; Chief Secretary to Government of Assam, 1930-31 and 1932-33; Commissioner, Assam Valley Division, 1933; Officiating Member, Public Service Commission, India, 1934.

Address—Government House, Port Blair, Andaman Islands.

Couchman, Brigadier Sir Harold

John, Kt. (1937); D.S.O. (1918); M.C. (1916); Surveyor General of India. Born on 29th July, 1882. Educated at Haileybury College, Royal Military Academy, Woolwich. Married Evelyn Beatrice, daughter of the late Col. Baddoley, R.16. Became Second Lieut., Royal Engineers in 1900, and was posted to India in October, 1902. Appointed to Survey of India in 1906. Served in the Great War, 1914-18, in France; reverted to Survey of India in 1919; Deputy Master, Security Printing, India, 1926-29; Survey of India since 1929. Appointed Surveyor General in 1933.

Address—18 Wood Street, Calcutta.

Cousins, James Henry, Doctor of Literature (first 1922 and still the only non-

Japanese awarded the degree by the Imperial Ministry of Education of Japan), and Kniapati (Sanskrit for Teacher of Multitudes, conferred by the South India Teachers' Association, 1934); President, Madanapalle Education Association; and Vice-President, The International Academy of the Arts, Adyar, Madras. Educated at various schools in

Ireland and partly in Trinity College, Dublin (Teachers' Course); Private Secretary to the Lord Mayor of Belfast; Assistant Master, Belfast Mercantile Academy; Assistant Master, the High School, Dublin; Reporter to the Royal Academy of Medicine in Ireland; Demonstrator in Geography and Geology, Royal College of Science, Ireland.

Assistant Editor, "New India," Madras (1915-16); Lecturer and Principal, Wood National College, Madanapalle (1916-21); Fellow and Professor of English and Journalism, The National University of India (1917 &c); Principal, The Brahmavidya Ashrama, Adyar, Madras (1922-28); University Extension and Post-graduate Lecturer in various Indian Universities, and visiting lecturer in Colleges and Ashramas.

Lecturer on art, education, philosophy, religion, poetry, and Indian culture, in Europe and the United States (1928-31); Professor of English Poetry, College of the City of New York, and Extension Lecturer, New York University, (1931-34); Principal, Madanapalle College, 1933—.

Organized the first exhibitions of modern India painting in various parts of India;

organized the Jagan Mohan Palace Chitrasala (gallery of painting) and museum for the Maharaja of Mysore (1924); initiated and supervised the organization of the Ranga Vilasam Palace gallery and museum for the Maharaja of Travancore; organized the Travancore State Picture Gallery (Sri Chitralayam: temple of art), and rearranged the State Museum (1935-36); first European to be awarded the Veera Srinikula (Sanskrit for bracelet of prowess—on behalf of culture) by the Maharaja of Travancore.

Publications: Twenty-two volumes of *prose*, including, "The Wisdom of the West," "The Renaissance in India," "The Kingdom of Youth," "The Cultural Unity of Asia," "The New Japan," "The Philosophy of Beauty," "The Work Promethium," "A Study in Synthesis."

Twenty books of *poetry* (1894—1929); Collected edition published by the Koerich Museum Press, New York, U. S. A., in two volumes—"A Wandering Harp," (1932) and, "A Bardic Pilgrimage" (1934).

Address—Madanapalle College, Madanapalle, Madras Presidency.

Cousins, Mrs. Margaret, is the first woman magistrate appointed in India. Born

in 1878 in Ireland, she received her education at the Royal University of Ireland, and took degree of Bachelor of Music in 1902. Married in 1908 to Dr. J. H. Cousins. She was a member of Senate, Indian Women's University; Secretary, Indian Women's

Association for some time; Editor "Sri Dharma," Organizer, First All-India Women's Conference; Organized the first All-Asia Women's Conference; suffered imprisonment twice in the cause of women's suffrage in Britain; underwent one year's imprisonment in Madras for protesting against Ordinance Rule in India. President (1937) All-India Women's Conference.

Publications—"A wakening of Asian Womanhood."

Address—Theosophical College, Madanapalle, Madras Presidency.

Craw, Henry Hewat, C. I. E. (1937); I.C.S.; Chief Secretary, Home and Political Department, Government of Burma. Joined the I.C.S., and was appointed in Burma in

1907, where he served as Assistant Commissioner, officiating Deputy Commissioner, and Deputy Commissioner. He was on Military duty from October 1917 to January 1919.

Address—Secretariat, Rangoon.

Cuttriss, C.A. M. B. E., Landlord, Hon. Magistrate, Rangoon. Born on 28th November, 1862, at Falmecston. Married Janet, daughter of Dr. Hayter, M. D.; Was Hon. Secretary, Burma, "Our Day" Fund, Burma War Fund, Rangoon Rivercraft Committee and Rangoon Impressment of Shipping Committee, during the War. Publications: - Essays on Commercial Subjects.

Address—No. 80, University Avenue, Rangoon; and "Riverside," Kalaw, Burma.

Daboo, Rajratna Dinshaw Ruttonji, Zamindar, Navsari. Born 25th September,

member of Navsari Municipality since 1914, Chairman, Managing Committee for two years, 1915-1916. Non-Official Vice-President, 1915-1917; was elected as the first Non-Official Vice-President, 1923. Has been a member, Navsari District Board since 1919, and Vice-President for seven years. Has been a member of the Board of Directors of Co-operative Bank for sixteen years and has been the first Non-Official elected President since 1923. The public of Navsari presented him with a civic address on his retirement as president of the Municipality. Awarded 'Rajratna' title by the Baroda Government. Also worked on the Kali Praj Committee, Banking Inquiry Committee, Baroda Central Communication Board, and Baroda Education Board. Re-elected President of Navsari Municipality, 1934-35.

Address—Loonsikui, Navsari, (Baroda State).



1885, he was educated at Navsari and Elphinstone College, Bombay. Married on 1st November, 1923, with the Miss Jerbal, daughter of Muncherji J. Mistri, L.M. & S., B.M.S. Belongs to the well-known Daboo family of Navsari which has founded the Daboo General Hospital, the Daboo Students' Quarters, and several other institutes at Navsari. Passed Matric, 1902. B.A., 1906. Toured Europe, 1912. Joined his father's business of Forest, Public Works and liquor distillation contracts besides management of his own lands. Was an elected member of the Baroda Legislative Council for seven years. Has been an elected

Dadachanji, Faredun Kershasp, B.A., LL.B., Solicitor, Bombay. Born on 29th Decem-

ber, 1881. Educated at Baroda High School and College and St. Xavier's College, Bombay. His father, late Kershasp Rustumjee Dadachanji, was Dewan of Baroda in 1907. Passed Matric in 1895; B.A., 1900, (First Class); LL.B.; 1903. Enrolled as an Attorney, Bombay High Court, in 1904. Was a partner in



well-known Solicitor's firms in Bombay. A Student of Avosta, Guzerati, Persian and Sanskrit, he is the editor of "Raho-Zaratu-shtra," a writer on Avostan subjects. Has been Vice-President, Iran League, and President of the Managing Committee of Anjuman Pax. Also a trustee of Boyce Trust Fund and Minocher Homje Trust Funds and Agency.

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Dabhoiwalla, Hormasji Dadabhoy, Cotton Merchant and Gin Press factories owner and Hon. Special Magistrate, Bodwad, Taluka Bhusawal, District East Khandosh. Born on 9th September, 1890. Educated at Surat Mission High School and Davar's College of Com-



merce, Bombay. Married on 16th May, 1916, with Miss Hirabai, daughter of Nusservanji Bojonjee Dabhoiwalla (one daughter, Miss Porin). His grandfather, Eduljee Sorabjee, came to Bodwad from Surat about fifty years ago and started a gin factory. Mr Hormasjee has extended the family business on a large scale—two ginning factories, one cotton pressing factory, one oil mill, and one flour mill. Has been a member, Sanitary Board and Grampanchayat from 1922. Sarpanch, Grampanchayat, 1928-32; nominated Member, T. L. B. Bhusawal for the last twelve years. A member, Agricultural Development Association, Bhusawal. Hon. Special Magistrate since 1935. Chairman Urban Co-operative Bank, Bodwad.

Also Chairman and founder, Gourakhsa Sanstha, Bodwad.

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Dadachanji, Khan Saheb Maneck Hormusjee, F.C.I. (Eng), F.I.A.S., Public

various Parsee Institutions; Secretary of the Publicity Committee of His late Majesty's



Mrs. M. H. Dadachanji.

Silver Jubilee celebrations committee of Bombay, etc.

Social, and Communal worker. Journalist and Author, Bombay. Born on 29th April, 1891. Educated at Bombay and Poona. Married on 9th May, 1909, to Miss Goolbai, daughter of P. M. Dacuvala of Surat (five sons and four daughters). Initiated priest in 1906. In 1911, became a Fellow of the Institute of Commerce of Birmingham. Obtained the Teacher's diploma of the same Institute. 1912. Started Young Men's Zoroastrian Association of Bombay (1910), of Poona (1915). Appointed Hon. Member, League of Helping Hand of London, started by Arthur Moo, Editor of Children's Magazine, 1917; appointed on the editorial staff of *Kaiser-i-Hind*, 1918; served on the editorial staff of Bombay *Samachar*, 1921, and in Sanj Vartman, 1922; Editor, "*Goolshan*," 1920, Parsee Seva, 1925; Sub-editor, *Navsari Prakash*, 1923, and asst. Editor, "*Komsavak*," 1935. Is a delegate to Parsee Federal Council. Created Khan Saheb, June 1932. Worked in three consues, Baby Weeks, Influenza Epidemic, etc. as Hon. Supervisor, and received certificates and sanads from Government. A Trustee of the Khetwadi Parsee Anjuman; member of the committee of Hundred, League of Honour, Patriotic League and President, Vice-President, Trustee, Elected Secretary and Member of the Boards of Management of

Publications:—"Parsee's Poverty;" "Why to Meet God According to Zoroastrianism;" "What Parsees Have Given to India;" "Lifesketch of Sir Shapoorjee Broacha;" "Zoroastrianism is a Practical Religion of the World;" "Their Majesties' Silver Jubilee and Parsees;" "Their Majesties' Coronation and the Parsees;" "Age of Zoroaster," etc.

Address—Dadachanji Building, 1, Khetwadi Back Road, 4th Lane, Bombay 4.

Dadabhoy, Dr. Mrs. Dossibai J. R., M. D. (London), M. R. C. P. (London), Hon. Surgeon, Cama Alkless Hospital, Bombay, since 1929. Born on 16th October, 1881. Educated at Girton High School, Grant Medical College, London School of Medicine for Women, and Royal Free Hospital, London. Passed L.M. & S., 1903. Proceeded to England, 1906. Took M.D. degree 1912; M.R.C.P., 1911, L.R.C.P., M.R.C.S., 1910. Returned to India, 1912. Worked as Medical Officer, Lady Willingdon Maternity Home (later known as Infant Welfare Society Hospital) for two years. Hon. Gynaecologist and Obstetrician at the King Edward Memorial Hospital for two years. Hon. Obstetrician at the Parsee General

Hospital. Has been working at the Cama Ambless Hospital since 1921. Also conducting the New Hospital for Women on New Queens Road, Bombay.

Address—Ratanshaw Lodge, Altamont Road, Cumballa Hill, Bombay.

Dalal, Khan Bahadur Ardeshir Rustomjee, Railway and General Contractor,



Ahmedabad. Born on 17th December, 1871, he was educated at Government High School, Surat. Married in 1887 with late Bai Dhanbai, daughter of Framji Pestonji Vakil of Ahmedabad. The late Dhanbai, who was the founder of the Zaratilushtra-Strae Mandal, conducted the Parsee School till her death in 1922. (One son and four daughters.) Joined business at the age of eighteen—of the Palanpur-Deesa Railway construction. Later joined in the business of loading and unloading on the B. B. & C. I. Railway line. During the last famine of 1918-21, he was entrusted by the B. B. & C. I. Railway to administer the running of cheap-grain shops for their staff, which he did free of charge. During the Great War, Khan Bahadur was instrumental in clearing the War-traffic at principal junctions on the B.B. & C.I. Railway, quickly, with credit to himself and reputation to the Railway Company, in consideration of which a silver free first class pass was given to him as a mark of personal distinction to travel free for life on the whole of B.B. & C.I. Railway system, which is considered to be unique honour. Created Khan Bahadur, 1924. A Member of Governing Body of Jallubhai Shah Law College, Ahmedabad. Secretary, Ahmedabad Parsee Panchayat for sixteen years. A delegate, Parsee Matrimonial Court at Surat; for over twenty years one of the founders of the Parsee Education Society at Ahmedabad, which is conducting a Montessori School. Toured Continent in 1927. Has built four boys' wards for Indian staff in Railway Hospital at

Ajmere at a cost of Rs. 13 000, and also donated Rs. 5,000 to the Parsi Maternity Hospital, Surat, to maintain beds free of costs. Donated Rs. 1,000 in aid of the Deaf and Dumb School at Ahmedabad; Rs. 15,000 towards Parsee Technical School at Surat; Rs. 3,000 to the released prisoners' home at Ahmedabad; Rs. 600 towards Law College Ahmedabad; Rs. 1,000 to Commercial Law College, Ahmedabad; Rs. 1,000 to Parsee Adurvan at (Kankaria) Ahmedabad; Rs. 1,500 to Playground for Boys of Mount Abu School; other small charities about Rs. 6,000. Total Rs. 47,000. Toured China and Japan in 1937.

Address—Cosy Corner or Kismet, Ellis Bridge, Ahmedabad.

D'Mello, Caesar, Landlord and late Moffusil Superintendent and Accountant in



the Royal Insurance Company of Bombay, and official chairman of the Bench of Hon. Magistrates, at Andheri, and President, Vile-Parle Municipality. Born on 25th February, 1882. Educated at St. Xavier's College, Bombay. Married in 1907 to Miss Mary Jane Correa. (One daughter.) After education, joined the Royal Insurance Company, Bombay, and served there thirty-four years. Retired from service in 1936. Entered public life in 1918. Nominated to Thana District local Board in 1918. Entered the Notified Area Committee, Andheri, as an elected member, having topped the polls.

Was President District Local Board for two years. Is the first President of the Vile-Parle Municipality since Andheri was amalgamated with Vile-Parle. Is chairman, Live Stock Improvement committee. As Hon. Magistrate for the last fourteen years. He is chairman of the Bench of Hon. Magistrates for two years. Was awarded the Silver Jubilee Medal. Mr. Caesar D'Mello who comes from a very old and high class East Indian family of Salsette, is a popular figure in the suburban districts.

Address—Post Andheri, R.B. & C.T. Railway.

Dandekar, Krishnaji Shripad, Hardware merchant, Sangli. Born on 23 July,



1892. Educated at Sangli High School. Married in 1911 to Miss Antai, daughter of Padmakar Moreswar Khadilkar of Sangli State. One son and one daughter. After education, he worked as a mechanic in Phadke's firm, Sangli. Later started his firm "Pandurang Krish-

aji Dandekar," dealing in hardware. A Director of the Urban Co-operative Bank, Sangli, since 1936.

Address—Ganpat Lane, Sangli, S.M.C.

Dandekar, Gopal Krishna, B.A., LL.B., Legal Remembrancer and member of Executive and Legislative State Council, Baroda State. Born in 1874, he was educated at the Poona Native Institution, Fergusson College, Poona, and Elphinstone College, Bombay; graduated B.A., Bombay University with Physics and Chemistry 1894; LL.B., 1897; enrolled as a High Court Pleader, 1898; practised in the Bombay High Court to the end of 1912; worked as Professor of Law in Government Law School, Bombay, from 1907 to 1912; probationer, Survey and Settlement Department, 1913; Assistant Judge, Baroda, 1913; Vahivatdar, Mohana, 1913; Naib Sar Suba, 1913; Naib Suba and Personal Naib Suba, Baroda Division, 1913; Second Assistant Judge, Baroda, 1914; District Judge, Baroda, 1914-17; Huzur Inspecting Officer, 1915; Legal Remembrancer, 1919; Judge, Varisht Court, 1920; Chief Justice, Varisht Court, 1925. Awarded Gold Medal of Raj Ratna Order, 1931; Special Inspection Officer, 1915 and again in 1916; Convenor to the Blue Book Committee, 1931.

Publication—"The Law of Land Tenures in the Bombay Presidency."

Address—Sayaji Gunj, Baroda.

Daragshetti, Padappa Shantappa, Excise Contractor, Athni District, Belgaum.



Born in December 1900. Educated at Artal High School, Belgaum and Kolhapur. Married in 1925 to Ratnabai, daughter of Jinappa Dundaji of Belgaum (one son and one daughter). Lost his father while he was a lad of two and brought up by his uncle, Ramappa. Started business as an

Excise Contractor in 1921. Has been a Member of the Excise Advisory Committee for the last ten years.

Besides assisted the Excise Inspectors Athni Circle in excise detection cases in more than hundred cases; and in token of the same he is awarded many certificates by the Collector of Belgaum, and he takes a prominent part and keen interest in Government and public functions. Topped the poll in Municipal elections in 1930 and since 1933. Vice-President, Athni Municipality. Was Chairman, Cetroi Committee, 1932-33.

Address—Athni, District Belgaum.

Darbar Shri Virawala of Bagasara, Dewan, Rajkot State. Born 31st January,



1888. Educated at Rajkumar College, Rajkot. Married in 1907 to Bai Sahob Shri Sonabai, daughter of Bhayat of Jotpur. (One daughter and one son—Kumar Shri Bhojwala). Passed Diploma Examination of Rajkumar

Collego, Rajkot, 1907, where he had a brilliant career to his credit. Superintendent, Rajkumar Collego for four years. Appointed as an Advisor to the late Thakorsahab of Chuda, 1911-18. Deputy Political Agent, Palanapur, for one year. Appointed Government Administrator, Jathi State, 1919. Dewan, Porbunder State for four years. Dewan, Junnagadh State, 1923, and retired on pension. Joined Rajkot State as Dewan from 1930. His extensive and varied knowledge of men and things, and his cordial relationship with officials and gentry, have secured for him the confidence of H. H. the Thakore Sahib and his subjects.

Address—Rajkot, Kathiawar.

Darbara Singh Sardar, P.W.D. Contractor, comes of a very respectable Sikh family from Amritsar.



Born in 1882 he received his early education privately and later on at the Khalsa Collego, Amritsar. He started his life as a contractor and is one of the prominent P. W. D. contractors of this Presidency for the last forty years. Much of his time

was spent in Gujarat where he was a leading Irrigation Contractor for nearly thirty years. During the last ten years while in Poona and Satara Districts, he has undertaken many building, road, and irrigation works. He has built several buildings in Poona, including the well known Parsee Colony (Ardeshir-Bag) and the Christian Colony. In the midst of his professional activities he also finds time to do much for his community in different ways. He is member of the All-Indian Sikh Missionary Committee of Amritsar. He takes a great interest in the local Sikh Gurdwara and Harijan movement. He has contributed over Rs. 5,000 for the Gurdwara Building. He has been President of the local Singh Sabha for the last six years. He has also contributed amounts to several funds including the King's Silver Jubilee and Viceroy's Quetta Funds.

Address—Irwin Road, Poona.

Darling, Malcolm Lyall, B.A., (Camb.), C.I.E., (1934), I.O.S. Born on 10th December, 1880. Educated at Eton and King's Collego, Cambridge. Married the late Jessica Low, daughter of Lord Low. Joined Indian Civil Ser-

vice in 1904, and was Under-Secretary to the Punjab Government, 1911-13; Commissioner of Income Tax, Punjab, 1921-27; Registrar, Co-operative Societies, Punjab, 1927; Chairman, Punjab Banking Inquiry Committee, 1930; Commissioner, Rawalpindi, 1931. On Special Duty, Finance Department, Government of India, 1934. Financial Commissioner, Punjab, 1936. Publications:—"Some Aspects of Co-operation in Germany and Italy," 1922; "The Punjab Peasant, in Prosperity and Debt," 1925; "Kustiens Loquitur, or the Old Light and the New in the Punjab Village," 1930; "Wisdom and Waste in the Punjab Village," 1934.

Address—Financial Commissioner's Office, Lahore.

Das, Dr. Abinash Chandra, M. D. (Washington) 1923, Homeopathic Medical



Practitioner, Bombay. Born in November, 1884. Educated in Calcutta and America (U.S.A.). Married in February, 1911, to Priyabala (three sons five daughters). Is President of the Bombay Homeopathic Medical Association, and the Principal of the Bombay Homeopathic Medical Collego; a member of

the International Hahnemannian Association, and a Founder of the Homeopathic Charitable Dispensary, conducted by the Bombay Homeopathic Medical Association. Dr. Das is the senior-most and leading Homeopath of Bombay. His good nature and pleasing manners have made him popular among his patients. He is the principal promoter of the Bombay Homeopathic Medical Collego and the Bombay Homeopathic Charitable Dispensary. The former imparts scientific knowledge in the art of healing on purely Homeopathic lines, and the latter is doing very useful work in the cause of suffering humanity.

Address—Wassindal Bldgs. Grant Road, Bombay.

Das, Pandit Nilakantha, M.A., writer of books for children on new lines. Born in August, 1884. Married Srimati Radhamani Devi in 1905. Educated at Puri Zilla School Ravenshaw Collego, Orissa and Scottish, Churches Collego, Calcutta. Founded, with Pt. Gopabandhu Das and others, the residential open air private school at Satyabadi on a new line, where he was Resident Head Master

for eight years; worked in connection with Puri Famine in 1919; appointed by Calcutta University for Post Graduate Professorship in 1920. Started Congress organisation and a National High School at Sambalpur, and edited "The Seba" in 1921; became Dist. Congress Secretary, Puri, and Prov. Congress President, Utkal, 1922. In prison for four months and fined Rs. 200 in 1923; elected to the Assembly from Orissa in 1924, and again in 1927; made Secretary, Utkal Provincial Congress, and President, Utkal All-Party Conference; President, Gopabandhu Savak Samaj; elected Chairman, Reception Committee, I.N. Congress, Puri Session.

Publications:—"Pransyini" (a kavya in six cantos); "Komarko" (a long poem kavya, "Mayadobi" (a kavya in six cantos); "Kharabelu" (a historical kavya in 25 cantos); "Das Nayak" (a long poem kavya); "Aryaj ban" (Arya life, a critical treatise on Aryan civilisation); many other books for children.

Address—P. O. Sakthigopal, Dist. Puri (Orissa).

Dastur, Sir Hormazdiar Phiroze, Kt., B.A., LL. B., Bar-at-law. Chief Presidency Magistrate, Bombay. Born on 20th March, 1878, he was educated at St. Xavier's College, Bombay. He joined the Bombay Judicial Department in 1903, and was Taxing Master, Clerk of the Crown, High Court, Bombay. He was appointed Chief Presidency Magistrate in April 1929. He was made Knight in 1932.

Address—The Grange, 2, Woodhouse Road, Bombay.

Dastur, Dr. Shams-ul-Ulema Maneckji Nusservanji Dhalla, M.A.,



Ph.D., Litt. D., High Priest of Parsis of Karachi. Born in 1875 at Surat. Educated at Karachi and Columbia University, New York. Took the degree of M.A. (Columbia University) 1906, Ph.D., 1908. On the occasion of the celebration of 175th anniversary of King George's College of New York, which has developed into

Columbia University, awarded the Honorary degree of Litt. D. Ordained High Priest of Parsis at Karachi in September, 1909. Organized Zoroastrian Conference, 1910. Fellow of the Bombay Branch of the Royal Asiatic Society. Travelled in Persia and Mesopotamia

for research work in 1922. Created Shams-ul-ulema in 1935. Author of "Zoroastrian Litany," "Zoroastrian Theology," "Zoroastrian Civilization," and "Our Perfecting World" and several other works in Gujarati.

Address—15 R. A. Lines, Karachi.

Dastur, Sardar Phiroz Hoshang,

M.A., son of Shams-ul-Ulema Sardar Khan Bahadur Dastur Hoshang Jamasp, C. I. E., Ph.D., was born in 1854, and received his education at the Deccan College, Poona. He was in Government service as Deputy Collector and Presidency Magistrate. Afterwards he became the Dewan of Rajpipla State and was made a first Class Sardar.

Address—Dastur Hall, Namas Poth, Poona City.

Dastur Kaiji Dastur Peshotanji Mirza, High Priest of the Parsees, Udwada



(most sacred pilgrimage of the Parsees in India); Descendant of Dastur Nagan Ram, first of the three High Priests, (Dasturs) who carried "Iransha Fire" from Bamada to Navsari. He was born on 12th November, 1870. He was educated in Sir J.J. School, Udwada Sir J.J. Parsee Benevolent Institution, and, Anulla Phiroze Madressa, Bombay. He was fully qualified in "Yozdathregiri." He was appointed High Priest of the Parsees Udwada in October, 1920. He is the High Priest of the most ancient, sacred "Iransha Fire Temple" which is 1200 years old, and the Mirza Fire Temple, Jamnagar, Kathiawar, etc. He is the first Dastur of Udwada to receive education in Bombay in the languages of Sacred books of Zoroastrian religion i.e. Avesta, Pahlavi, Persian, etc. He had opened the free Avesta class, and was the Pioneer of English education in Udwada. He was the member of the Udwada sanitary committee. He is the leading trustee

of the Udwada Parsee Anjuman; Honorary Secretary and Managing trustee of the Seth M. C. Dammanwala Charitable Dispensary, Seth S.M. Dammanwala Madressa, Bai Ratanbai Mheta Parsee Maternity Home, and the Native General Library. He is a Member of the managing Committee of the Sir J. J. B's and Girl's schools, Udwada. He is also a member Udwada Mitwaddhak Committee. He was appointed President, Seth J.D.A.V. School, Silver Jubilee celebration committee and gathering, 30-5-1931, and President, Jumo-Jamshed Centenary gathering, 10-3-1932, at Bombay. He was the member of their Majesties' Silver Jubilee Celebration Committee and performed with the Anjuman Special prayer of Blessings in Zend Avesta published by him for the occasion 6th May, 1935. He is the leading Member of the Town. He is active and sincere in rendering his services to social and educational progress of the Town. He is humble, simple, popular, and respected without distinction of caste or creed.

Address—Mirza Terraco Mirza Street, Udwada.

Dastur, Tehmurasp Navroji, M. A.
(Hons), Headmaster, Zoroastrian Boarding



School, Deolali. Born on 10th May, 1895. Educated at C.J. and Z. Madressa, Navsari and Wilson College, Bombay. Married on 27th December, 1926 with Miss Freni, daughter of Mr. D.M. Jali, Proprietor, Zoroastrian Boarding School, Deolali, and has

two sons and one daughter. Passed Matric, 1911; B.A. 1916; M.A. 1919. He then joined as a teacher in Z.B. School, Deolali, and was subsequently appointed as Headmaster of Z.B. School from 1922. He is a University Scholar and Gold Medallist in Avesta and Pehlvi. As Headmaster of a private school, Mr. Dastur takes much interest in the physical and intellectual development of the boys who are given to his full charge.

Address—Z.B. School, Dhendi Road, Deolali, G.I.P. Ry.

Dastur, Fardunji Hormasji, B.A., LL.B.
Principal, New Parsi Boarding School,



Nasik. Born on 20th October, 1881, at Navsari. Educated at Sir C. J. High School, Navsari, and Wilson College, Bombay. Belongs to the Mohorji Rana family, well-known Dasturs of Navsari. Passed Matric 1898, B.A. 1903, LL.B., 1909. Was a Teacher in New High School, Bombay, 1905-14; Jt. Principal, Deolali Zoroastrian Boarding School, 1914-22, started the new Parsi Boarding School, at Nasik 1923, of which he is the Principal and Proprietor. Was examiner and Moderator in History at the Matric for eight years. He is also a Theosophist. Address—Nasik.

Datta, Surendra Kumar; Principal, Foreman Christian College, Lahore. Born in 1878, oldest son of Nabo Gopal Datta and Shuruth Mohini Bose. Married Alexandrina McArthur Carswell, and has one son and one daughter. Educated at Foreman Christian College, Lahore, Edinburgh University; B.A. (Punjab University); M.B., Ch.B. (Edinburgh); Lecturer in Biology, Foreman College, Lahore. Member, Senate, Punjab University, 1908 to 1914 and since 1934; Y.M.C.A. Welfare Officer in France with Indian Army, 1914-18, (despatches twice); National Secretary, Y.M.C.A., India, Burma and Ceylon, 1919-27; Member of the Lytton Committee on the Education of Indian Students in the United Kingdom, 1921-22; President, All India Conference of Indian Christians, 1923-33 and 1934; Member of the Indian Legislative Assembly 1924-26; Staff of the World's Committee of Y.M.C.A. Geneva, 1928-32; Member of the British Delegation at the Institute of Pacific Relations, Kyoto, Japan, 1929; Member of the Indian R. T. C., 1931; visiting Lecturer in U. S. A. under the International Institute of Education (Carnegie Foundation), 1935.

Publications—"Asiatic Asia, Contributions to Political and Religious reviews.

Address—Foreman College House, Lahore.

Dastur, Noshervan Kaikobad, Khan Bahadur Sardar, Son of the late Shams-ul-Ulema Sardar Dastur Kaikobad Adarbad. Born in 1884, he was educated in St. Xavier's



Collego, Bombay. He is a reputed Scholar of Avesta, Pahlavi and Persian. He was the High Priest of the Parsees in Central India, 1913-26. After his father's death he came to Poona in 1926 and is the High Priest of the Parsees in the Deccan, Madras, Malva, Central India, and United Provinces. He is the first High Priest who got thirty-three Dioceses under his jurisdiction. For valuable services rendered to Government during the last War he was created First Class Sardar and was made Khan Sahib. Was made Khan Bahadur in 1931. He takes a leading part in all functions of the Sardar Noshervan Girls' High School and Sardar Dastur Noshervan Boys' School with which he is connected. He is an active promoter of the Boy Scout and Girl Guide movements. He is well-known for his suavity of manners, kindness and sympathy, and his friends & admirers are many, including members of various other communities also. To know him

is to love and respect him. He takes a keen interest in Horticulture, and for the third time in succession won the first prize and the Lady Northcote Cup for the best private garden in Poona in the annual competition conducted by the Agri-Horticultural Society of Western India in conjunction with its annual flower show in Poona. Visited England during Their Majesties' Silver Jubilee Celebration in 1935. He was invited in 1934 by H. M. the King of Persia to represent the Parsee Community of India to take part in "Firdousi's Millennium." He is the author of many valuable publications.

Address—Dastur Hall, Nanas Peth, Poona City.

Dastur, Tehmuras Adarjee Hozdar,
High and Head Priest of Sir Jamshetjee



The late Dastur Adarjee M. Hozdar.

Jeejeebhoy Agiary (Fire Temple), Poona. Born on 10th August, 1899. Educated at Poona Camp Government High School, Dastur High School, Deccan and Fergusson Colleges, Poona. Married on 27th May, 1936, with Miss Meherbanoo, daughter of Meherjeebhoy Antia of Bombay. His grandfather, Dastur Temuljee Minocharjee Hozdar, High and Head Priest of Sir Jamshetjee Jeejeebhoy Agiary, Poona, was born in 1172 Yuzd Zardi. He officiated as Head High Priest of Palatine Fire Temple at Ahmednagar. He was a great guide to Parsoes in religious matters. He took a keen interest in educating the sons of poor Parsoe Priests at his own expense, for which a Silver casket was presented to him, by his students at Navsari. A very popular priest, he died at the age of ninety. His son, Dastur Adarjee Minocharjee Hozdar succeeded him as Head High Priest. He was very learned and popular. He was well-known for straight-forwardness and honesty. A great orthodox Dastur Adarjee Minocharjee died in 1934 at the age of 73 and was mourned by the Parsoe community of Poona. Dastur Tehmuras, the subject of this life-sketch, succeeded his father as Head and High Priest. On the occasion of installation Ceremony, Dasturjee received congratulations and presents from many Parsoes. He is very pleasing in manners, thoroughly independent in views and practical in action.

Address—Camp, Poona.



The late Dastur Temuljee M. Hozdar.

Dastur, Sorabji Pestonji Adarianwalla, Nesh Dastur of the Parsi Anjuman Fire Temple, Poona. Born on 7th January, 1897. He was educated at Poona and Bombay. A keen



student of French language he has studied Arabic and also obtained St. John Ambulance Society's First Aid Certificate. Married on 29th February, 1920, Hommi, daughter of Dastur Morvanji P. Nalla-daroo of Surat, and has one son and three daughters. He was the first and the only Parsi Priest who rendered valuable services during the Great War from 1914-18 in Mesopotamia (Basra, Bagdad, Bunder Abbas, Fao, Maskot, Bushire etc.) He was in sole charge of No. 9, Indian General Hospital Stores and Ordinances. He was wounded by Turkish bullets, in appreciation of his meritorious work in the field, he was awarded three War Medals including 1914-15 Star. He takes a keen interest in the social and religious activities of his community. His impressive speeches have made him very popular among the Parsees

Community of Poona. A man of amiable character and with social disposition, he leads a very simple and unassuming life, and the poor and the needy have easier access to him than the rich.

Address—893 Khorshedwadi Synagogue Street, Camp Poona.
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Deakin, Capt. Ernest Betton, D. S. O. (1917), M.C.; Army Educational Corps since 1935; Instructor, Indian Military Academy since 1936. Born on 23rd September, 1889. Married in 1918 to Gertrude May Davies, of Yeaton Manor, Baschurch, Salop. Educated at Shrewsbury. Was Science and Maths. Master, 1909-14; commissioned in Essex Territorials, 1914; Suvla landing, 1915; Gaza battles in 1917 (wounded); Instructor, School of Education, India, 1935-36.

Address—Indian Military Academy,
Dehra Dun, India.

De Mel, Sir Henry L., Kt., C. B. E., J.P. Senior partner, H. L. De Mel and Co., Chairman, Ceylon Merchants' Chamber; President, Ceylon Mercantile Service Association; Ceylon Soap Manufacturers' Association; Ceylonese Rubber Dealers Association, etc.; Managing Director, Colombo Co-operative Central Bank, Limited, and Colombo Pharmacy Company Limited.

Address—"Elsmere," Horton Place,
Colombo.

Deane, N. B., O. B. E., Audit-General of Burma since 1937. Joined Indian Audit and Accounts Service in 1908; appointed Assistant Accountant General, 1909. Deputy Accountant General, 1926. Officiating Accountant General for Burma, 1930; and six months later he was made Deputy Auditor General (Inspection). Appointed Accountant General for Bombay in 1931, and Accountant General for Central Revenues in 1934.

Address—Rangoon.

De, Kiran Chandra, C.I.E.; B.A.; L.C.S.; Government Manager of Morshidabad Estates since 1931. Born on 19th January, 1871; son of Nilmoni De of Calcutta. Educated at Presidency College, Calcutta, and St. John's College, Cambridge. Married in 1890, Sarojini, eldest daughter of Honorary Chandra Chandra Mitra of Allahabad, and has two sons and two daughters. Appointed Magistrate, Chittagong, 1898; Sub-Divisional Officer, Ranaghat, 1895; Joint-Magistrate, Alipur, Dinajpur and Rangpur in 1898; Magistrate and Collector, Faridpur and Dinajpur, 1898 to 1904. Registrar of Co-operative Societies and Fishery Officer, 1905; Member of Bengal District Administration Committee, 1913; Press Censor, Bengal, 1914; General Secretary, Bengal Government, 1915; Commissioner of Chittagong Division, 1916; Member, Legislative Council, 1920; Commissioner, Burdwan Division, 1922; and Presidency Division, 1923; Member, Bengal Legislative Council, 1923; Member, Council

of State, 1928; Chairman, Bengal Provincial Banking Inquiry Committee, 1929-30.

Publications—"A Hand Book on Co-operative Credit Society," "Fishers and Fisheries in Eastern Bengal and Assam."

Address—1, Dumlum Road, Cossipore, Calcutta, or Brookside, Shillong, Assam.

Dehlvi, Sir Ali Mahomed Khan, Kt., J.P., Bar-at-Law, M.L.A. Born in 1875



he received his early education in Bombay and London. He practised in Unjerat and Sind from 1900 to 1908. He organised the first Muslim Educational Conference in Hyderabad, Sind, in 1902, and was the Local Secretary of the All-India Muslim Educational Conference held at Karachi in 1907. Was the Chairman of the Reception Committee which launched the All-India Muslim League for the first time in India at Karachi in 1907, and to him goes the credit of starting the first Anglo-Sindhi paper "Al Haq" in Sind in 1900 in the interests of the Zamindars and of which he was the Editor for three years. He became Dewan of Mangrol State, Kathiawar, 1908-12, and Palampur State in Rajputana, 1914-21. He was appointed Judge of the Small Causes Court, Bombay, in 1918. He was soon elected to the Bombay Legislative Council and became Minister of Agriculture from 1924-27. He presided over the first Mohammedan Educational Conference in Konkan held at Ratnagiri in 1926, and the tenth Presidency Muslim Educational Conference held at Poona. On being re-elected to the Bombay Legislative Council in 1927, he became its elected President, 1927-30. He was again elected in 1931 to the Council from the same Constituency, and was also unanimously re-elected as its President. Minister, Bombay Government for some time; elected to the Bombay Legislative Assembly in 1937.

Publications—"History and Origin of Polo," "Mendicancy in India."

Address—Sardar House, Surat.

Deo, Trimbak Govind, alias Annasaheb; Landlord, Inamdar and Khot; President, Agricultural Association; Member of the present rural uplift of Pon; Ex-President, Taluka Local Board; and President, Pon Education Society, Pon. Born on Kartika Suddha Ekadashi



Shaka 1811, dated 3-11-1889. Educated in the High School at Pon. Married in Shaka 1827 with Miss Unabai, daughter of late Sardar Vithal Narayan Thosar of Poona, and has four sons and one daughter. After completion of his education, he commenced taking interest in public activities. Voter for the Council of State since reforms came in; during the Great War, he presided the first war meeting sponsored by H.E. the Governor of Bombay in his letter of 1-9-1914, and was a member of the recruiting committee; Awarded a certificate of merit for liberally helping the war loan. He was one of those responsible for the prevention of Colaba district for its transference to other district; was president, Taluka Local Board, Pon, in 1932, and nominated T. L. B. Member now Government ward. He is the owner of Salt Works in Pon Taluka, even before the British Rule. In the well known Salt Satyagraha he was given

protection to escort salt carts by one armed Hameldar and six peons in 1930, by salt authorities. The Collector, Mr. Y. R. Parg a I.C.S., had selected in him to hand over the Khapoli Idol, hotly discussed in Council, from the jail even at night to calm the communal tension on 27-11-1935. Permanent member of the Army and Navy and continues holder under Arms license since 1894; Member, of Maharashtra Chamber of Commerce; entertained Sir Ghulamhussain Hidayatullah (ex-Honorary member of Bombay) at an At-home when he visited Pon on 12-11-1932, and also Commissioners and Collectors at times. Recreations: Astrology, Horse riding, Music and playing instruments.

Address—Pon, District Colaba.

Deo, Shankarao Dattatraya, B. A., President, Maharashtra Provincial Congress Committee, Poona. Educated at Bhavo School, Poona and Baroda College. After graduation in 1917, he took up national work and went to Champaran in Bihar to work under the guidance of Mahatma Gandhi. Later shifted his activities to Maharashtra during the Non-Co-operation movement in 1920. Took a leading part in Mulshi Satyagraha, and was sentenced several times in that connection. Was sentenced to two years rigorous in connection with the publication of an article in "Swaraj," of which he was the editor. Went to jail several times during the Congress movement. A foremost Congress leader in Maharashtra, he is an eloquent speaker and is regarded as the best exponent of Hinduism.

Publications—"Asahakarayoga," etc.

Address—Congress Committee, Poona.

Desa, Vero P., D.D.S. (U.S.A.) 1927. Dental Surgeon, Bombay. Born on 10th June,



1898. Educated at St. Xavier's College, Bombay, University of Nebraska, U.S.A., and University of Minnesota, U.S.A. Was Attending Dental Surgeon, Rochester Dental Infirmary, Rochester, U.S.A.; and Visiting Dental Surgeon to the General Hospital, Rochester, U.S.A.; Hon. Dental Sur-

geon, Nair Hospital, Bombay. Professor, Operative Dentistry, Preventive Dentistry and Oral Hygiene, Nair Dental College, Bombay; a Member, Bombay Presidency Dental Association; and a Member, Federation Dentaire Internationale (F.D.I.).

Address—9, Dhunraj Mahal, Apollo Bunder Bombay.

Desai, Shamro Govindrao; Editor, "Rashtraveer," Belgaum. Born in 1894. He received his primary education at Belgaum. Served as a teacher in a primary school and later in King George School at Belgaum. He is one of the founders of "Rashtraveer," the Non-Brahmin Party's Weekly, of which he is the Editor for the last eight years. He was President, Karwar Ilakha Satyaskodhak Parishad in 1935. As a public worker, he has been spending much of his time in all social, educational, and political movements in Karnataka.

Address—Rashtraveer Office, Belgaum.

Desai, Nagesh Bisto, Desai and Landlord, 1st class Jamedar of Jamkhandi State,



Kundgol. Born in 1896. Educated at New English School, Poona. Married in 1911 with Krishnabai, daughter of Martangowda Patil of Kurkoti (three sons and four daughters). The Desais obtained their Inam from the Bijapur Kings, Pansupuri, which was presented to the family by Adi Adil-

shah of Bijapur, has been still preserved in the records of the Bharat Itihasa Samshodhan Mandal. His grandfather, Runchandrao Desai, died in 1924, leaving two sons, Bistopant and Trimbakrao, Bistopant, who was elected member of the Representative Assembly, Jamkhandi State. Mr. Nagesh Bisto is a Nominated Member of the States Representative Assembly. Also a member of the Managing Committee of the Cotton Sales Society, Hubli, and a Nominated Member, Kundgol Municipality.

Address—Post Kundgol, District Dharwar

Desai, Rao Bahadur Govindbhai Hathibhai, B.A. LL.B., Retired Naib Dewan,



Baroda. Passed Matric 1882; B.A., 1886, from Elphinstone College. Joined Baroda State service as a probationer. Judicial Department in 1889; rose to Munsiff, Magistrate, Assistant Judge, Joint Judge, District Judge's posts, 28th October 1898 to 28th February 1901. Special Duty. (Member.

Education Commission, 6th July 1892 to 31st December 1892). Police Commissioner and Inspector General of Prisons from 1st March 1901 to 6th January 1910. (Special Duty. District Judge, Baroda, 1st August 1908 to 30th September 1908. Huzur Inspecting Officer from 17th November 1908 to 28th February 1909. Legal Remembrancer and Judge, Varisht Court, 1st March 1909 to 1st June 1909.) Suba, Navsari District, 7th January 1910 to 30th April 1910, Census Superintendent, 1st May 1910 to 29th February 1912. Special Duty, (Nail Dewan, Legal Remembrancer and Member of Council, 7th May 1910 to 5th June 1910). Suba, Amroli District, 1st March 1912 to 11th April 1912. Suba, Kadi District, 12th April 1912 to 7th August 1915; Suba, Navsari District, 8th August 1915 to 4th May 1916. Joint Sar Suba, 5th May 1916 to 23rd September 1917. Legal Remembrancer, 24th September 1917 to 2nd May 1918. Joint Sar Suba, 3rd May 1918 to 28th February 1919. Director of Civil Supplies and Price Controller, 1st November 1919 to 23rd April 1920. Chief Justice, 24th April 1920 to 2nd November 1924. Nail Dewan and Member of Executive Council, 3rd November 1924 to 31st January 1929; Special Duty, (Huzur Secretary), 18th July 1928 to 31st January 1929. After retirement in 1929 he was elected to the Bombay Legislative Council from Kaira District, 1930. President Hindu Law Reform Committee, appointed by Baroda Government, Committee for prevention of Dikshas to minors, Committee for stopping terrorism by castes (Dnyati-trasniyaran Nibandh). President, H. M. Silver Jubilee celebrations Committee, Baroda State, May, 1935. Was deputed by H. H. Maharaja Gaekwad in 1934, as delegate to Sixth International Congress of Local Authorities held in Lyons (France). Was awarded the title of Rao Bahadur by H. E. the Viceroy on the occasion of the Delhi Coronation Durbar in 1911 and decorated by H. H. the Gaekwad with the Rajratna and Arunaditya medals; also received H. M. the King Emperor's Silver Jubilee Medal on 6th May, 1935. Publications:—"Gazetteer of the Baroda State," in two Volumes, "Forty Years in Baroda," "Hindu Families in Guzerat," "Statistical Atlas of the Baroda State," "Census Report," 1911. "Castes and Tribes in the Baroda State," "Prevention of Fragmentation and Consolidation of Holdings in the Baroda State," "Four Months in Europe," and several other publications.

Address—Race-Course Road, Baroda, R.B. & C.I. Railway.

Desai, Nichhabhai Kallianji, Rao Sahab (1934); B.A., LL.B.; Dewan of Sant State. Born on 19th July, 1875. Was educated at Anglo-Vernacular School, Bulsar; The New

High School, Bombay; Elphinstone College, and Government Law College, Bombay. Married A. S. Ichhabai. Was Mathematics Teacher, Cathedral Boys' High School, Bombay; High Court Pleader, Bombay; Nayadhihi, Sant State, 1904-1912; Dewan Sant State, since 1912. Has received certificate of merit for assisting in War Loan of 1917. Publications: "Administration Reports of Sant State." Received Silver Jubilee Medal 1935.

Address—Bulsar and Santrapur, Gujarat.

Desai, Rao Sahab Bhagwandas Giridhardas, B.A. LL.B., Member, Bombay Legislative Council, Landlord and Advocate, Nadiad. Born on 4th August, 1884. Educated at Nadiad High School, and Elphinstone College, Bombay. After passing LL.B., he started practice at Ahmedabad in 1914, and shifted to Nadiad in 1926 when the local District Court was established. Entered Nadiad Municipality and District Local Board. Became Municipal President, 1922, and President, District Local Board, 1924. He was elected Chairman, Municipal School Board. He organised the Nadiad Bar Association in 1920 of which he was the Secretary, and was appointed Dewan of Balasinor in the year 1930. He was Elected to Bombay Council in the year 1930, and elected Chairman, District School Board, 1933. He was ornated Rao Sahab in 1923, and Scout Commissioner in the year 1934.

He belongs to the well-known family of Bhausaheb Desais of Nadiad. The buildings of the Middle School and Nadiad High School were built out of the donations contributed by his great grandfather, Rao Bahadur Biharidas Ajubhai Desai, who was a member of the Watan Commission, and the first non-official president of the Nadiad Municipality. The family is well-known in the Kaira District for other munificent public and charitable gifts, namely, a bridge between Dakore and Umroth, a well at Kaira, Veterinary dispensary, Nadiad, University scholarships at Nadiad and Bhavnagar, and are pioneers of agricultural exhibition and tobacco research, for which large and expensive experiments were undertaken by the family. Rao Sahab Bhagwandas's father, Giridhardas Mangaldas, was Kurbhari of Bajana and Lathi States, and took active part in the public life of the district. He was President of the Nadiad Municipality, and served also on the Taluka and District Local Boards. Mr. Giridhardas is known as the "Father of Primary Education in Kaira District," and was the life and soul of the Municipality and the Local Board in which he served for quarter of a century.

Address—Mukut Nivas, Nadiad, District Kaira, R. B. & C. I. Railway.

Desai, Malhar Rajaramrao, B.A. (Hons.)
M. Ed. (Lond.), Principal, Rajaram High



School, Kolhapur, is a young man of intellectual attainments. Born on 15th May, 1911, he was educated at Chintamanrao High School, Shahapur and Rajaram College, Kolhapur. He passed his Matric in 1928; B.A. in 1933. Stood second at the B.A. Examination and obtained the Gangadas Rangildas Scholarship. He was a Fellow of the Rajaram College in 1933. He proceeded to England for his further studies as a Kolhapur State Scholar and took Diploma in Education within eight months. He took M. Ed. in 1935, and returned to India in August, 1935. He was appointed Principal of the Rajaram High School, Kolhapur, in April, 1936. As Principal he is very much liked by the students and is also popular among the social circles in Kolhapur. He is a fine orator.

Address—Rajaram High School, Kolhapur.

Desai, Sardar Rao Bahadur
Chandrappa Baswantrao, of Talur, M.L.C.



Inandar, Jandlord, and Vice-President, District Local Board, Belgaum. Belongs to a well-known Sardar family of Talur. Born in 1886, he succeeded his father Baswantrao Chandrappa on his death in 1894. He received his education at Govt. High School, Bijapur, and Sardars High School, Belgaum. Married in 1924 (3rd marriage). Has three

sons and two daughters. Rao Bahadur Desai takes much interest in public activities. He has been a member, District Local Board, Belgaum, since 1914; President, Co-operative Institute, Belgaum, for two years; Chairman, cotton sale Society, Bailhongal, for three years. Was a member, Belgaum Municipal Borough, for some time. He was appointed Honorary Magistrate 2nd Class, Belgaum, in 1924. Made Sardar 3rd Class in 1922. Made Rao Bahadur in 1935. He is a representative on the Indian Central Cotton Committee from Southern Division. President, Sampgaon Taluka Supervising Union of the Co-operative Society. Was nominated by Govt. as a director of the Jaw Mortgage Bank, Belgaum, in 1935. He is also on the various Committees, such as Village Improvement, After Care Society, etc. Elected to the Bombay Legislative Council in 1937.

Address—Tahkewadi, Belgaum.

Deshmukh, Gopal Vinayak, I.M. & S.
(Bom.) F.R.C.S., (Eng.), M. D. (Lond.), M.L.A.,



Consulting Surgeon and Physician. Born on 4th January 1884, he was educated at Morris College, Nagpur, Grant Medical College, Bombay, King's College, and the London Hospital Medical College, London. Before he returned to India after completing his education, his merits

were recognised by his professors, and he was made House Surgeon to Jordan Lloyd; Professor of Surgery, Queen's Hospital in the University of Birmingham. He worked as Hon. Major at Lady Hardinge Hospital during

the Great War and Hon. Surgeon at J. J. Hospital. He was Professor of Operative Surgery at Grant Medical College in 1920. He was Member of Bombay Municipal Corporation from 1922, and became its President in 1928. He is Professor of Surgery at Govardhandas Shroddas Medical College, and Hon. Surgeon at King Edward Hospital. Elected Member of the Legislative Assembly from Bombay City in 1937.

Address—Poddar Road, Bombay.

Deshmukh, Dr. P. S. M. A. (Edin.) D. Phil. (Oxon.), Bar-at-law. Born in December, 1898; Educated at Ferguson College, Poona, and Lincoln College, Oxford; took M. A. (Hons.) at Edinburgh. Won the Vans Dunlop Research Scholarship in 1923. Called to the Bar in 1925, and took the degree of Doctor of Philosophy in 1926 by writing a thesis on the "Origin and Development of Religion in Vedic Literature." Was elected Chairman of District Council, Amraoti, in 1928; increased taxation by 50 percent for compulsory education, and threw open public wells for untouchables. Elected to C. P. Council in 1930 and put in charge of Education and Agriculture. Reduced school fees for agriculturists; introduced Hindn Religious Endowments Bill, Cattle Diseases Prevention Bill; established Village Uplift Board, etc. Resigned ministry, August, 1933; elected Chairman, Central Bank, Amraoti, 1934; re-elected, 1935.

Address—Amraoti, Berar.

Deshmukh, Rao Bahadur Narahar Balkrishna alias Appasaheb,



Government Pleader and Public Prosecutor, Ahmednagar. Born on, 8th July, 1872, at

Poona. Educated at the Poona Native Institution, (Three sons and two daughters). His grandfather late Nagesh Krishna was Secretary to Baijaba Shinde of Gwalior, while his father was Durbar-Vakil of Sangli State. A posthumous son he was brought up by his maternal uncle. Passed Matric, 1889; joined late Mr. Tilak's Law Class at Poona and was always at the top of the class. Passed District Pleaders' Examination, 1893. Commenced practice at Ahmednagar from August, 1893. Appointed Government Pleader and Public Prosecutor, Ahmednagar, 1904-1934. Appointed Assistant District and Sessions Judge, Dhulia, 1918, and at Belgaum for two years. Acted as District Judge, Dhulia, for a short time. Has been Vice-President of Ahmednagar Education Society for several years. Was Chairman, Managing Committee, Ahmednagar Municipality, Director; Central Co-operative Bank. Has been President, Nagar-Nasik Vanguaya (Literary) Mandal, and President, Ifarijan Seva Sangh, and Vice-President of Baby Welfare Association. Has been connected with Village-uplift movement and also Vice-President of Somavanshiya Anath Boarding Institution and Anath-Vidyarthigriha, Ahmednagar. Presided over the Rigvedi Deshastha Brahmin Conference at Sholapur, 1932.

Publications, "Shri Dnyaneshwar Darshan" (in two volumes in Marathi).

Address—Ahmednagar.

Deshpande, Gangadharrao. High-Court Pleader, Belgaum, is a follower of Lokmanya Tilak and a staunch congressman.



He has been taking a leading part in the Civil Disobedience Movement, and suffered imprisonment several times. Member, All India Congress Committee; President, Indian National Congress during the Civil Disobedience Movement, 1932.

Address—Belgaum.

Deshmukh, Rao Bahadur Shivalingrao Jagdevrao, Inamdar of Paragana Almol, Taluka Sindgi, District Bijapur, and President, District Local Board and Chairman of the Bench of Honorary Magistrates (1st Class), Bijapur. This Mahal Jamindari Watan was



granted in connection with Deshmukhi service of Almol-Paragana. Malshetty was the original acquirer of Deshmukhi of Almol Paragana, and Pattanshetty Inams and Chavara's at the time of Adilshahi Kings of Bijapur, about the middle of sixteenth century. Nilganga, the wife of the 4th descendant Gurashidappa, acquired Byalihal Inam village, Jagadevappa, the 5th descendant, acquired 5 Inam villages, and Jagadevappa, the 6th descendant acquired the Patilki of Devangaon. These Inams were acquired for loyalty, valorous deed; and for help rendered to the state. In 1199 Phasli (1790 A. D.), during the time of

the great grandfather of the present Doshmukh, Mr. Balajiram Doshpande of Ahmed reported to Shrimant Madhavrao Sahob Peshwa, Poona, that line of the family of Doshmukh was extinct whereon the estate was confiscated. Jagadevappa went to Poona and proved with documentary evidence, that he was the rightful heir, he was reinstated to the estate by the Peshwa. Balajiram Doshpande being dissatisfied with this decision, instigated Parappa Turchigori and with the assistance of false documents showed to the Peshwa that Parappa was the rightful heir, to the Deshat and with the promise of Rs. 50,000 Nazrana to the Peshwa got an order to take possession of the Deshat in 1206 Phalsi (1707 A. D.) In 1708 Parappa came to Ahmed and created disturbance. Jagadevappa presented an application to Shrimant Bajirao Peshwa. In 1709 A. D. the estate was attached under the order of the Peshwa during the time of dispute Parappa appeared before the Peshwa but at the actual hearing of the case fled away. Jagadevappa showed genuine documents and also proved that the documents presented by Parappa were false. In 1802 the attachment order was cancelled by the Peshwa and Jagadevappa became the full owner of the Deshat. Until the death of Gurusaidappa Doshmukh in 1835 the family belonged to the order of the Sardars of the Decan. Rao Sahab Shivlingrao Doshmukh, who is the 11th descendant, was born on the 12th February, 1888, at Bilgi, Taluka Kustgi (Hyderabad State) in the Patil family. The members of his natural family had long since established in Moghul and being the descendants of a common ancestor, Bai Tikabai, the widow of Jagadevrao Doshmukh, adopted him on 17th November, 1885. In 1898 Bai Tikabai died and the minor was taken care of by the Mahala Desai of Hindignur who gave his daughter in marriage to him and was of great help. He was educated at Sardars High School, Kolgaon. On 28th February, 1900, the estate was given in his possession, as he attained majority, by the District Court of Bijapur. He was made Rao Sahab in 1911 and Rao Bahadur in 1935. He received a Coronation Medal. A certificate of merit was awarded to him for his work in the 2nd War Loan. On 3rd April, 1919, a certificate was presented to him by order of H. E. The Commander-in-chief in India in recognition of excellent services he rendered in assisting to obtain recruits for the Indian army, during the great war as a mark of approval. On 6th November, 1926 he was appointed District Scout Commissioner by H. E. the Chief Scout. On 16th September, 1932, the Commissioner S. D. in a letter recognised his good service during the Civil Disobedience Movement of 1930-31. He is President, Lingayat Education Association, Bijapur. He is a patron of the Wilson Anti-Famine Institute,

Bijapur. He is chairman of the Bench of Magistrates, Bijapur for, the last nineteen years. He was the first Chairman of the District School Board, Bijapur. He was elected President, District Local Board, Bijapur, on 17 February, 1933.

Address - Ahmed House, Bijapur.

Deshpande, Dr. Mrs. Kamalabai,
Ph.D., Principal, S. N.D.T. Women's College,



Poona. Born on 22nd February, 1898. Educated at High School for Indian Girls, Poona, N. E. School, Satara, and Women's College, Poona. Married in May, 1910, to late Mr. G. K. Doshpande B.A., of Satara. (one son S. G. Doshpande, a cadet of the Duffield, and at present an apprentice, M. S. S. Jaladuta of Scindia Steam Navigation Company.) Passed Matric 1917. G.A. at S. N. D. T. College, 1920. Conducted a village school at Varaja near Hingne, 1920-22. Was teacher and the Boarding Superintendent at Lingay Widow's Home, 1921-22. Organizer and Superintendent of Satara Kanyashala which was developed into a High School. Proceeded to Europe in March 1929 and studied at the German University in Prag in Tschecho-Slovakia. Took Ph.D. degree in April 1931 by submitting a thesis "Das Kind im alten Indien" (the child in Ancient India. A comparative study in Social customs). After her return to India, she worked as a Professor of Sanskrit for one year; later she

was appointed Principal of the S.N.D.T. Women's College. Was a co-opted Member, School Board, Poona City Municipality. Was President of Borar Women's Social Educational Conference.

Publications—1. "Gitadvidal" (Poems). 2. "The Child in Ancient India."

Address—S.N.D.T. Women's College, Yerondona, Poona.

Deshpande, Lingo Virupaksh, alias Tatyasaheb Budihalkar, Inamdar of



Kadapore in Chiekkodi Taluka, and General Merchant and Commission Agent. Born in 1886. Educated at Mission High School, Belgaum. Married in 1907 to Miss Annapurnabai, daughter of Sardar Hoblikar of Dharwar, and has six sons and four daughters.) After education he started business as

General Merchant and Commission Agent, and is one of the leading merchants of Belgaum. Tatyasaheb is also a Director, Urban Co-operative Bank Limited for the last fifteen years. One of the founders of the Belgaum Bank Limited of which he is the Chairman from 1934. Also Chairman, Merchant's Association, Belgaum, for five years.

Address—Revivar Peth, Belgaum.

Deshpande, Kashinath Yeshvant, Cloth Merchant, Belgaum. Born in 1900. Educated at Sardars High School, Belgaum. The Y. C. Deshpande and Sons are agents to Binny Mills, Karnatak Mill, Buckingham Mill and Bangalore Woollen, Cotton and Silk Mills. Mr. Yeshvantrao, who was a leading Cloth Merchant died in 1924 leaving three sons, (1) Kashinath, (2) Shripad (3) Vasudeo. Kashinath the senior member of the family and the subject of this sketch is a well-known figure in Belgaum and a leading merchant in Karnatak.

Address—Khado Bazaar, Belgaum.

Devadoss, The Hon'ble Sir David, M., Bar-at-Law, Member, Council of State. Born on 18th December, 1868. Educated at Palamcottah and Presidency College, Madras. Practised as High Court Vakil and later trans-

ferred his practice to Madras High Court. Became a Judge of the Madras High Court and retired. Was elected to the Legislative Council by Central District Christians. Resigned his seat on elevation to Bench. Is a Member of the Council of State since 1930.

Address—Sylvan Lodge, Tanj, Mylapore, Madras.

Dhagat, Pandit Premshanker, M.A., I.L.B., M.L.A. Pleader, Damoh, C. P. Born



on 19th June, 1898; educated at Model High School, Jubbulpur, Robertson College, Jubbulpur, Fwing Christian College and University School of Law. Started practice in 1923. Served on the Education Board of M.C., Damoh, 1923-24; Secretary, District Scouts Association since 1923; Secretary, Co-operative Central Bank

Limited since 1925; Member of the Northern Co-operative Institute from 1928; Vice-President of the M. C. Damoh, 1930; Conductor Satyagrah Movement in 1930 and jailed in the same year; elected president of the M. C. Damoh, 1931; Vice-President of the District Congress Committee since 1930; Member of the District and Provincial Harijan Savak Sangh; Member, the Provincial Congress Committee since 1931; Member of the Managing Committee of the Provincial Co-operative Bank Limited, Nagpur, since 1936. Elected to the C. P. Legislative Assembly in 1937.

Address—Damoh, C. P.

Dharmananda Nayaka Thero, Venerable Thripitaka, Wagsiwar Charya,



Upadhyaya, Sri Ratnatana, Dharmakirti; Principal, Vidyalanakara Oriental College. Born on 18th September, 1869. Educated at Vidyalanakara Oriental College; Buddhist Monk; Teacher at Vidyalanakara Oriental College, in 1892; Vice-Principal of the same in 1897, and from 1918 he

was appointed Principal. Chief High Priest

of the Colombo and Chilaw Districts. Awarded the title Thripitaka Wagsiwarā Charya at the Maha Sangha Sabha of the Siamese sect at Kandy.

Address—Vidyaiankara Oriental College, Poliyagoda, Kelaniya, Ceylon.

Dhurandhar, Rao Bahadur Mahadev Vishwanath.

A.M. Born on 4th March, 1871. Married Gangubai, daughter of Madhavrao T. Rao. Educated at Rajaram High School, Kolhapur, and at the Sir J. J. School of Art, Bombay. Appointed as a painting master on the staff of the School of Art, then as Head Master from 1909 to 1918. Acted as Inspector of Drawing and Craft Work, Bombay Presidency, 1918-21. Retired as personal assistant to the Principal of Sir. J. J. School of Art, Bombay, in 1928, and was reappointed as Visiting Professor of Painting; Re-appointed as Inspector of Drawing and Craft work, and retired in 1931. Publications: A. Kincaid's (1) "Deccan Nursery Tales," (2) "Stories of King Vikram," "By-Way of Bombay," "Women of India," and several other Marathi, Gujarati, Hindi, and Mythological books for Messrs. Macmillan & Co., Oxford University Press, Longmans Green & Co., and several other Indian Publishing firms.

Address—"Shree Amra Sadan," Prabhu Nagar, Khar, Bombay, No. 21.

Dhurandhar, The Hon. Mr. Justice Vishnu Krishnarao.

B.A., LL.B., (Advocates)



ate). Born in 1881. Educated at Elphinstone High School and Elphinstone College, Bombay. Married in 1903 with Miss Gulab, daughter of Mr. Vinayak K. Kirtikar of Bombay. Passed LL.B., enrolled Vakil, Bombay High Court,

1906. Practised on the appellate side, Bombay High Court, working with the then Government Pleader, late Sir Mahadeo B. Chaudhari. Kept terms for Advocates' Examination and passed examination, 1912. Enrolled Advocate, Bombay High Court, the same year. Practised on the original side of the Bombay High Court, 1912-1921. Worked in the Chamber of the then Advocate-General for two years. Professor of Law, Government Law School, Bombay, 1917-1921. Joined Baroda State Service as City District Judge on 13th October, 1921. A second Judge of the Varishta Court (High Court) from 10-5-23. Acting Chief Justice, 1924-25. Went to Europe on leave, 1926, and travelled all over Central Europe and the British Isles, visiting historical and other important places. Nyayamantri, 1929-34. President of the services Committee, 1929-34; President of the Committee that drafted Legal Dictionary in eight languages, 1930-1931. Member of the Executive Council, 1932. Drafted all social Reform legislation in Baroda, 1929-1934, as Nyayamantri. Sat in Huzur Adalat and Huzur Nyaya Sabha (Privy Council), and has been appointed the Chief Justice of Baroda High Court from 8th February, 1934. Given the Rajya-Ratna Gold Medal for Meritorious Service especially in the matter of Social Reform legislation on His Highness's 72nd birthday on 7th March, 1934. Awarded His Majesty's Silver Jubilee Medal on 6th May, 1935.

Address—Baco Courso Road, Baroda B. B. & C. I. Railway.

Dias Bandaranaike, Hon. Mr. S.W.R.

B.A. (Oxon); Bar-at-Law, Minister of Local Administration and Member, State Council (Vayangoda).

Address—Silveranith Street, Colombo.

Divatia, The Hon'ble Mr. Justice Harsidhbhai Vajubhai.

M.A., LL.B., Puisne Judge, High Court of Judicature, Bombay. Educated at Gujarat College, Ahmedabad. Joined Barodilly College as Professor of Philosophy, 1910-12; Practised on the appellate side of the High Court, 1912-33; Professor, Government Law College, 1928-31; Hon. Secretary, Bar Council, Bombay, 1932-33. Married Jollyben, daughter of Principal A. B. Dhruva, Pro-Vice-Chancellor, Benares University.

Publications:—"Psychology" (in Gujarati Language).

Address—Ridge Road, Malabar Hill, Bombay.

Dinshaw, Sir Hormusjee Cowasjee, Kt., O.B.E., M.V.O., Consul for Portugal and Austria and Principal Partner in Cowasjee Dinshaw and Bros., at Aden, Zanzibar, and Bombay, and Managing Agent of Burhanpur Tapti Mills. Born on 4th April, 1857. Educated at Elphinstone High School and College, Bombay, and evening classes in commerce at King's College, London. Married in 1875 with Manekbai, daughter of Nusserwanjee Erskine of Bombay (three sons and one daughter—Mrs. Ala Saklatvalla. His two sons, Framroj and Dinshaw, are managing the firm of Cowasjee Dinshaw and Bros., at Aden; second son, Dinshaw and third son, Nusserwan, are managing the Burhanpur Tapti Mills and Bangalore estates). His father, late Cowasjee Dinshaw, C.I.E., who was born in 1827, entered business at the age of seventeen and served as an apprentice to Muncherjee Sopariwalla of Poona. He founded the firm "Cowasjee Dinshaw and Bros.," at Aden in 1854, who are doing business as merchants, naval agents, shipping agents, ship owners and managing agents of various mills. Their sphere of business activities extend over Aden, Zanzibar, Hodeidah, Djibouti made famous during the recent Abyssinian war, Benadir and along the Somali Coast line, besides India. Cowasjee Dinshaw died in 1900, leaving four sons and three daughters: Eldest son, Sir Hormusjee, subject of this life-sketch; second son, Kaikobad; third, Sorab; and fourth, Shavak. Sir Hormusjee, while receiving education in London, served as an apprentice with James Barbar Son and Co., and later with Leopold Bing Fils and Gans, in Paris. On his return from Europe, he joined his father's firm at Aden in 1879, and under his inspiration and initiative, their business expanded further in Africa and India. Besides business activities, he has been a trustee of the Port of Aden since 1891, and acted as a member of the Aden Port Commission in 1901.

He has been head of the Parsi Community in Aden since 1900, and is today one of the trustees of Parsee Panchyats, Bombay. In 1912 he represented the Aden Chamber of Commerce at the Fifth International Congress at Boston. He is also Chairman, Union Bank of India, Ltd., and Zoroastrian Co-operative Credit Bank, Ltd., at Bombay. Awarded M.V.O. in 1912. Made O.B.E. in 1918. Knighthood conferred, 1922. He has established a Anglo-Gujerati School at Aden, and has endowed for its maintenance with Rs. 55,000.

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Sir Hormusjee Cowasjee Dinshaw, Kt., Bombay.

Dinshaw, Kaikobad Cowasjee, J.P., Partner of Cowasjee Dinshaw and Bros., Bombay, Aden, Hodeidah, Barbara, Djibouti, and Zanzibar. Son of the late Cowasjee Dinshaw, C.I.E., Mr. Kaikobad was born on 21st April, 1866, at Aden. Educated at Fort High School and Elphinstone College, Bombay. Married on 8 January, 1892, with Miss Kharshedbai, daughter of late Hormusjee Eduljee Davar, Merchant in China, and has three daughters. After undergraduation, Mr. Kaikobad joined his father's business in 1890. After the death of his father, Cowasjee Dinshaw, C.I.E., he became a partner of the firm, Cowasjee Dinshaw and Bros. He was in charge of several branches of the firm. Their sphere of business activities extend over Aden, Zanzibar, Hodeidah, Djibouti, Somali Coast and Benadir made famous all over Europe and America, besides India. A very extensive sphere one can boast of. Besides his business activities, Mr. Kaikobad has other distinctions to his credit. He was a trustee of Port of Aden several times. As a delegate to the Parsee Chief Matrimonial Court, Bombay; a member, Governing Body of I.M.M.T.S. "Dufferin," and a member of the Advisory Committee of Light Houses in India and Aden, he is very useful to the Public. He is a trustee and treasurer of many charitable institutions. He is also a Hon. Presidency Magistrate, and a Member of the committee of Indian Sailor's Home; a Freemason Officer of the District Grand Lodge of Bombay and of the United Grand Lodge of England. His charity is no less bountiful. Generous men, Dinshaw Brothers are famed for their hospitality. They are a typical product of the old School. Intellectual, dignified and possessing great charm of manners, their character is essentially solid than showy. They have something more substantial and solid to show in their services, devoted to their and other Communities and their country. They have established a link between Bombay, Arabian and the African Ports, and thus are Pioneers in introducing Indian Products in Arabian and African Markets.

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The Late Mr. Cowasjee Dinshaw, C. I. E.



Mr. Kaikobad Cowasjee Dinshaw, J.P., Bombay



Mrs. Kaikobad Cowasjee Dinshaw, Bombay

Doddaveerappa, J. V., General Manager. The Mysore Insurance Company, Ltd., Bangalore.



Educated at Maharaja's College, Mysore. Realising the increasing demand for Insurance of Indigenous nature among the people of Mysore, started the Mysore Insurance Co., Ltd., in 1933; General Manager and Director ever since. Senior Partner, Messrs. Kantarava & Co., Insurance consultants and General

Agents, and the Managing Agents of the Mysore Insurance Co., Ltd. Interested in Commercial and Economic development of Karnataka in General, and Mysore in particular. Keenest an inextinguishable love for Kannada literature ever since his scholastic career. Managing-Editor, "VIMA-VANJJYA," the only Kannada illustrated monthly on Insurance, Banking, and Commerce.

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Doering, The Most Rev. Dr. Henry, S.J., D.D., Archbishop-Bishop of Poona, was



born on 13th September, 1860, in the small township of Bocholt in Westphalia, Germany. He completed his studies in his native country, and went through his higher studies in the University of Innsbruck in Austria. He was ordained priest at Ratisbon in Bavaria, on 21st, Dec. 1882. For eight years he performed the duties of curate in the important parish of Wadersloh in Westphalia; entered the Novitiate of the Society of Jesus in 1890, and renewed his studies of Philosophy and Theology in Holland and England. He came to India in 1895, and for a time taught in St.

Xavier's High School. He was soon sent out as a missionary to the Deccan. After twelve years of arduous self-sacrificing work in the small village of Valan in Ahmednagar District, he was consecrated as Archbishop-Bishop of Poona on December 8, 1907. Served European War, 1914. Soon after the war, he tried his best to return to India to work in his Diocese, but failed; thereupon tendered his resignation to the Holy See. He was subsequently promoted to the rank of Archbishop and nominated Vicar Apostolic of Hiroshima in Japan in 1922. Before he could complete his work there, the Holy See offered him the present appointment and he returned to Poona in 1927. He celebrated the Golden Jubilee of his Sacerdotal ordination and the Silver Jubilee of his Episcopal consecration on December 8th, 1932.

Address--Bishop's House, Poona.

Dongerker, Sunderrao Ramrao, B.A., LL.B., J.P. Registrar, University of Bom-



bay. Born on 25th February, 1898, at Mangalore. A son of Ramrao S. Dongerker, late Traffic Superintendent, Bhavnagar State Railway, was educated at Bombay, and had throughout a brilliant educational career. Passed Matriculation from St. Xavier's High School, 1914. Joined the Elphinstone College, 1915; secured a first class in all University examinations; B.A., in 1919. Stood first class first at the first LL.B. examination in 1920, and won the Kinloch Forbes Gold Medal. Was Dakshina Fellow at Elphinstone College in 1920-21. Passed the Solicitor's examination in 1923, and practised as a solicitor for seven years. Appointed Assistant Registrar of the Bombay University in August, 1930, and Registrar of the same University in January, 1931. Created a J. P. in 1933, and appointed Honorary Presidency Magistrate, Bombay, in 1934. Vice-President of the Kanara Saraswat Association from 1934-35. Secretary of the

Legal Education Committee appointed by the Chief Justice, 1935. President of the Kanara Saraswat Association in 1936-37. Married on 30th April, 1920, Miss Kamalabai, granddaughter of Mr. Arur Shivrao, late Government Pleader, Dharwar. Mrs. Dongerkory is a keen and energetic social worker and an artist. She is an active member of the following Standing Committees of the Bombay Presidency Women's Council: Management, Finance Home Industries Department and House Home, and of the Managing Committee of the Shradhanand Anatha Mabilashram, Bombay. She successfully organised the N. C. W. L. Arts and Crafts Exhibition in 1933, and represented the B. P. W. Council at the joint meeting held at Delhi to consider the question of Women's Franchise in 1934. She did splendid work as the Honorary Secretary of the Ladies' Sub-Committee appointed by the Mayor of Bombay for the Quetta Earthquake Relief Fund, 1935, and as one of the Organizers of the Cama Hospital Day Jubilee Fund. Vice-President and Chairman of the Fine Arts Section of the Exhibition Committee of the United Goud Saraswat Conference held in Bombay in October, 1935.

Mr. Dongerkory is the author of the three legal publications: "The Law Applicable to Khojas and Cutchi Momons," 1926; "Commentary on the Indian Sale of Goods Act," 1930; "Commentary on the Indian Partnership Act," 1932, (second edition,) 1936, and has contributed several articles on legal subjects to the Bombay Law Reporter, the Bombay Law Journal and the All-India Reporter.

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Drake-Brockman, Sir Digby Livingstone, Kt. (1937); C.S.I. (1933); C.I.E. (1927);



I.C.S.; B.A. (Oxon.); Chairman, U. P. Public Service Commission. Born on 21st December, 1877. Educated at Emlish College and Christ Church, Oxford; Senior Scholar; Litt. Hum. first class 1900; I.C.S. 1900. Married on 16th November, 1909, Gladys Kate, daughter of late

Major-General S. M. Renny, C.S.I., C.I.E. B.A. One son and one daughter. Arrived India, 1901. Was appointed Assistant Magistrate and Collector, Muttra, Agra; Assistant Settlement Officer, Banda, 1905-1908; Secretariat, 1908-1909; Joint Magistrate and Collec-

tor Jhansi, 1910-12; Settlement Officer Allahabad, 1912-1915; Joint Registrar Co-operative Societies, 1915-17; Settlement Officer, Saharanpur, 1917-1920; Revenue Member, Regency Council, Jodhpur State, 1920-23; State Council, 1923-1929; Commissioner Fyzabad Division, 1929-32; Bareilly, 1932-33; Member Board of Revenue, U.P., 1933-36. Retired 1936. Publications: "District Gazetteers of Mutra," "Etawah," "Azamgarh," "Mirzapur," "Jansi," "Banda," "Hamirpur," "Jalau," "Final Settlement Reports," "Allahabad and Saharanpur."

Recreations: Tennis, golf, riding and shooting

Address—U.P. Public Service Commission, Allahabad, U.P.

D' Silva John, M. B. E. Retired Deputy Superintendent of police and Vice-President



Karwar Municipality, Karwar. Born on 9th July, 1877, educated at Govt. High School, Condapur (S. Kanara). Married on 10th October, 1905, with late Miss Magdalen daughter of late Mr. Robert Rodricks of Sadashivnagar, (two sons & one daughter). After education,

he entered Government service in postal department on 1st April, 1901; After one year he got himself transferred to the Police Department as a Head Constable on Rs 25 per month in December, 1902. Promoted as Sub-Inspector, 1905; Inspector, 1914; Deputy Superintendent of Police, 1920. After serving in Dharwar Panchmala, Bijapur and Belgaum, he retired on 17th June, 1933. During his career as Dy. S. P., he had a strenuous time during the C. D. Movement at Belgaum and Dharwar. He has also to his credit investigation and detection in important and difficult cases of serious crimes and of hauling up a number of arrests of notorious dacoits. As a mark of appreciation of his services as a Police officer, Government conferred upon him the title of M. B. E. in 1934. Nominated to Karwar Municipality in October, 1934. Elected Vice-President, Municipality, in October, 1934. Also a member, Nursing Association Karwar.

Address—Karwar, North Kanara.

Dow, Hugh, C. S. I. (1937); C. I. E. (1932); Secretary, Commerce Department, Government of India, since 1931. Born in 1886. Educated at Aske's Hatcham School and University College, London. Married in 1913, Ann, daughter of James Sheffield. Entered I.C.S. in 1909 and served as Assistant Collector in Sind. Was Municipal Commissioner for Surat, 1916-18; Assistant Commissioner in Sind for Civil Supplies and Recruiting, 1918-1920; Deputy Controller of Prices; Deputy Secretary, Finance Department, Bombay, 1921; Acting Secretary, Finance Department, 1923; Financial Advisor to P. W. D., 1926; Revenue Officer to Lloyd Barrage Scheme, Sind, 1927; Member of the Sind Committee, 1932.
Address—Delhi and Simla.

Dotiwala, Khan Bahadur, Sorabjee Cowasjee, Retired Dewan of Alirajpur,



Mhow, C. I. Born on 8th December, 1866, he was educated at Poona and Daly College, Indore. Married in April, 1890 with late Miss Ainali, a daughter of C. Dinshaw, Army Contractor, Mhow. On completion of his education, joined Government Service in Central India Agency, 1883. After serving for thirty years in the Political Department, he joined Alirajpur State Service as Dewan in 1913. Retired from Alirajpur State Service in 1934 after a total service of fifty-one years. Created Khan Sahib 1918; Khan Bahadur, 1932.

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Dugan, Lieut-Colonel, Sir Jamshetji Nusserwanji, Kt. (1935) C. I. E. (1933); O. B. E. (1929); D. O. Oxon (1913); L. M. & S. (1904); F. C. P. S. (1918); J. I. T. Col. (1929—1935) (I. M. S., A. I. R. O.); was awarded a badge of voluntary War Workers (1914-1919); Silver Jubilee Medal, (1935); Professor of Ophthalmic Medicine and Surgery, Grant Medical College, and Superintendent, Sir C. J. Ophthalmic Hospital, Bombay. Born on 8th April, 1884. Educated at Bombay, Oxford, Vienna and London. Married 14th November, 1914, to Miss Jena Parakh. Kaiser-I-Hind Medal, First Class, 1934, and Silver Jubilee Medal, 1935; two sons. Registrar in Surgery, J. J. Hospital, 1935; Registrar and then as a tutor, Sir C. J. Ophthalmic Hospital, Bombay, 1906. Acted as officiating Ophthalmic Surgeon, Sir C. J. Ophthalmic Hospital and Professor of Ophthalmology, Grant Medical College for one month in 1918, and again from 1920 to 1921 and was confirmed in 1935; has been a Fellow of the Bombay University since 1918; Dean of the Medical Profession, 1929; President of the College of Physicians and Surgeons, Bombay, 1934 and 1935; Member of the All-India Medical Council since 1934 and also of the Bombay Medical Council; Hon. Member of the Ophthalmological Society, Egypt, since 1930; on the editorial Committee of the Ophthalmoscope Journal, representing Bombay Presidency and of *Kolia Ophthalmological Orientalia* (Jerusalem). Elected President of the All India Ophthalmological Society in 1934. Address: The Lawnside Harkness Road, Malabar Hill, Bombay.

Duhr, the Rev. Joseph, S. J., Ph. D. D. D., Principal, St. Xavier's College, Bombay. Born on 18th March 1885, he was educated at the Gymnasium Echternach Grand Ducy of Luxembourg, St. Joseph's College, Turnhout, Belgium, Maressa House, Rochester, London, St. Mary's Hall Stonyhurst, Imperial College, South Kensington, St. Mary's Theological Seminary, Kurseong, India, Gregorian University, Rome and Campion Hall, Oxford. As Professor in St. Xavier's College, Calcutta from 1910 to 1915 as Professor, St. Xavier's College, Bombay from 1918 to 1921 and later on as Principal of the same Institution, he is liked by all who have come in contact with him.

Address—St. Xavier's College, Crnic-shank Road, Bombay.

Duni Chand Lala, B. A., Licentiate, in law, Honours in Persian and Literature. Born in 1878. Educated at Foreman Christian College and Orient College, Lahore. Practised at the Bar until

1921. Entered public life and took part in various activities of the Arya Samaj since 1899; Member, Anglo-Sanskrit High School, Ambala, 1906-21; Member, Managing Committee, D. A. V. College, Lahore; resumed practice in 1928; presided over All-India Sud Conference, 1917; Member, all-India Congress Committee since 1920; sentenced to six months' imprisonment under Criminal Law Amendment Act, 1922; presided over Punjab Provincial Conference held in Rohtak in 1922; Swarajist Member, Second Legislative Assembly; suspended practice in 1930; Nominated Member, Working Committee of All-India Congress Committee. Invited to serve on Punjab Jail Inquiry Committee, 1929; President, Punjab Provincial Congress Committee 1930; was again sentenced to six months' imprisonment for continuing Member of Congress Working Committee, declared unlawful in 1930.

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Dunnicliff, Horace Barratt, M. A., (Canada); M.A., Sc. D. (Dublin); F. I. C., L.P.S.;



Principal, Government College, Lahore, since 1936. Professor of Inorganic Chemistry since 1924; (also Fellow and Dean of the Science Faculty and Syndic.) Chemical advisor to the Central Board of Revenue Department,

Government of India, since 1928. Born on 23rd September, 1858. Married Freda Gladys Burgoyne older daughter of Fredric William Burgoyne Wallace (1926). Educated at Downing College, Cambridge (Foundation Scholar); M. A. O. College Aligarh, U. P. 1908-1914; Khalsa College, Amritsar, 1914-17; Government College, Lahore, 1917 to date; Indian Munitions Board, 1917; Cordite Factory, Aruvankadu, 1918-1921 and 1923; Delegate to Imperial Education Conference (London) 1927; special duty with Finance Department, Government of India, 1928-29; Foundation Fellow, National Institute of Sciences; Member, Punjab Research Council, Punjab Chemical Research Fund Committee, Indian Advisory Committee of Institute of Chemistry of Great Britain and Ireland; President Indian Chemical Society; President, Chemistry Section, Indian Science Congress, 1934; Vice-President, Punjab Olympic Committee and N. W. I. F. A.

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Dutt, Amar Nath, B. A., B. L., M. L. A., son of late Mr. Durga Dass Dutt and Shrimati Jugal Mohini Dutt, Advocate, Calcutta High Court. Born on 19 May, 1875. Married, 1897, Shrimati Tiucari Ghosh. (daughter Sandhyatara, born in 1902; son, Asok Nath, born in 1906.) Educated at Salkiya A. S. School, Howrah. Bible School, and



Ripon Collegiate School, and Municipal School, Calcutta, Metropolitan Institution and Presidency College. Was Chairman, Local Board; Member, District Board; Secretary, People's Association, District Association, and Central Co-operative Bank Ltd., Burdwan; elected Member, Court of the University of Delhi from 1925-1934 and elected Member, Indian Legislative Assembly from 1923-1934; was President, Bengal Postal Conference, 1926, and All India Telegraph Union, 1928, and President, Arya Samaj, 1928-30. President, Sudhi Conference, 1928. He was editor of monthly magazine "Alo." Member, Retrenchment Committee in 1931.

Address—"Rukri Aloy," Keshavpur, P. O. and "Purbhachal," Burdwan.

Dwivedi, Ramagyan, M.A., (Hons.), Principal, Maharaja's College, Dhar, is the



oldest son of Pt. Rambhadra Dube, Zamindar of Basti U.P. Born on 6th January, 1900. Married Miss Sarala Devi Misra. Educated at Govt. High School, Basti, and Benares Hindu University; and Allahabad University; U. P. Govt. Scholar (1917-20); First Class Honours in English Literature, (Gold Medalist and

Scholar of the University, 1918-24; Prof. of English D.A.V. College, Cawnpore, 1924-27; Head of the English Department, N. R. E. C. College, Khurja; Vice-Principal, K.K. College, Lucknow and Principal, Hindi Vidyapith College, Allahabad; Chairman, Reception Committee, All-India Students' Conference and Secretary, All-India Poets' Conference (1925);

President, Board of Education, Dhar State; Member, Board of Education for Central India, Rajputana, and Gwalior at Ajmer; represented Dhar State as its delegate in the All-Asia Educational Conference, and read two papers there (1930); elected President, All-India Arya Kumar Conference, Bareilly, 1931; served on the Executive of the All-India Hindi Sammelan, as also the Education Federation, and was invited to deliver lectures in the Vasant Vyakhyan Mala series (Donnai founded by the late B. G. Tilak, and attended the All-India Education Conference at Gwalior (1936).

Publications:—"From Dawn to Dusk," "Songs from Surdar," "Songs from Mirabai," "History of Hindi Literature," "Sacrabh," "Sona-ki-Gari," (Hindi Drama), "Dooj-ka-Chand," (Hindi), "Sanskrit-Sahitya," (Hindi); "Padya Punj," "Life and Speeches of Pandit J. L. Nehru," (illustrated); "Critical Guide to the Study of Poetry," Published a number of original papers on Philology, Literature, etc., in leading English and vernacular Journals; edited several classical Hindi books and periodicals. "Udaya" and "Sammelan Patrika" and the "Kadambari."

Recreation:—Billiards, bowls and chess. Hobby—Stamp-collecting. Has four sons, Sudhakar, Kamdhakar, Padmakar and Prabhakar, and one daughter, Ganri Ranjana.

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Dwivedi, Ramanand, L.S.M.F., P.S.M.S., in charge Government Dispensary, Madhotanda, U. P., was born on 15th June, 1915. He was educated at Maharaja's College, Dhar, Christian College, Allahabad and Medical College, Agra. Married in May, 1932, Miss Shukla of Almogha, and has one daughter. He was in the State Dispensary, Barwani in C.I., from 1935-36; Govt. Hospital, Mauranipur, and Govt. Jail and Police Hospitals and Tuberculosis Sanatorium at Sultanpur, U.P.; was awarded several medals and prizes by the U.P. Government and State Medical Faculty for Surgery and Ophthalmology, in which subjects he stood first in the whole of the U.P. Also served during Cholera epidemic at Ayodhya during the 1935-36 yearly fair.

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Eastley, Charles Mortimer, J. P., Solicitor and Notary Public. Born on 2nd September, 1890. Married Esao Beryl Chester Winkle. Educated in England, Switzerland and Germany. Served in the Great War from 1914-19 as Lieut. R.F.A. (T.F.) in India; was an Observer and Pilot in R.F.C., and as a Pilot in the R.A.F., in the operations against

the Mohmands on the N.W.F., in 1916; against the Marri in Baluchistan in 1917; against the Turks at Aden in 1918; against the Afghans in 1919; formed The Bombay Flying Club, Ltd., in 1928. Hobbies:—Yachting, flying, dog breeding.

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Ervad Sorabji Manekji Mirza Dasturna, Secretary, Athornan Anjuman



Udwada, most sacred pilgrimage of the Parsis in India. Born on 5th January, 1899. Besides religious education, he received his education at Sir J. J. V. School and Seth J.D.A.V. School, Udwada, and Seth Bharda New High School, Bombay. After his education he served as a storekeeper in Standard Oil Co;

Manager Singer Sewing Co; Seth M.C. Mody's silk and jewellery shop, Jamnagar; teacher in Seth J.D.A.V. School, Udwada. He has been a Persian and Zend Avesta teacher in Seth S. M. Damanwala Madressa for twelve years. He has been appointed secretary by the Athornan Anjuman of the most ancient and sacred "Iransha Piro," Udwada. He was the Pioneer of the Udwada "Light Fund" and manages the lighting with proficiency. He is a member of the Sanitary Committee, the Native General Library, Discount Committee; Sadder Bhitadwala People's Co-operative Bank, Pardi. He is a Honorary Secretary and Treasurer Udwadal Itwardhak Committee; Honorary Secretary, Hindu P. Committee; and life Member, Bilsar Taluka Village Improvement committee. He was also a member, Seth J.D.A.V. School Silver Jubilee Celebration Committee, and their Majesties' Silver Jubilee Celebration Committee. Collected Funds to Gujarat Flood, Bihar Earthquake, etc. He was appointed to help in Government census work, Taluka Local Board and Legislative Assembly elections. He was thrice appointed Joint Scrutinizer in M.C. Damanwala Dispensary Committee election. He is a popular young and enthusiastic worker in the cause of social educational and other public matters. He married in March, 1923, Miss Tehmina, daughter of P. J. Katak. He is the joint publisher of the holy song of "Iransha Piro" established 1200 years old.

Address:—Manek Mansion, Mirza Street, Udwada.

Edwards, The Rev. James Fairbrother, Principal, United Theological College of



Western India. Born on 25th March, 1875, he was educated at Wesleyan Theological College, Handsworth, Birmingham, England. He married Miss Mary Louise Wheeler, Principal, Kindergarten Training School, Sholapur. He has been in charge of English Churches in England for eight years. He arrived in India in September, 1908, and was Wesleyan Supt. in Bombay till 1914. His services were lent to the American Marathi Mission for Literary and Theological work from 1914 by British Methodist Church. He came to Poona as Principal of United Theological College of Western India in 1930. He is the author of various useful publications.

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Eugene Banasinski, Ph. D., Consul. for Poland at Bombay. He was educated at



Poland and Switzerland. Married Kira Banasinski (NeeKira Godycki-Cwirko) and has one daughter, Lily Banasinski.

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Evans, Eryk Agard, M. A. (1929), Principal Lawrence Royal Military School, Sanawar. Born on 11th January, 1896. He was educated at Christ's College, Cambridge. Married in January, 1928 (three sons). War service, B.E.F., 1914-22, and India (40th Pathans).

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Fanibanda, Adarji Sorabji, Landlord, Merchant and Hon. Magistrate (second class),



Jalgaon, East Khandesh, comes of a respectable Parsi family of Navsari in Baroda State. Born on 14th May, 1893, he was educated at Sir R.J.J. School, Navsari. In 1925 he married Miss Ratanbai, daughter of Framji Manchhorji Framji (Boomlakhuo), a well-known merchant of Calcutta, Simla and other places. (One son and four daughters). Mr. Fanibanda, after his school career, served as Mechanical Engineer for seven years. He then came down to Jalgaon and started his own business in different lines in 1914. He takes great interest in public affairs and also helps the deserving poor and needy. He was nominated to the Jalgaon Municipality in 1928 and worked there as a Member, and also of the Standing Committee, and again nominated in 1937. He has also worked in a number of Sub-Committees in the Municipality. He was a Member of the Excise Advisory Committee at Jalgaon for many years. He was made a Second Class Hon. Bench Magistrate in 1928 which position he holds till now. He is also a Life

Member of the Red Cross Society. Was a member of the Executive Committee Stalls, Decorations and Lodging and Boarding Committees, and Treasurer, and one of the judges in the Asoda Exhibition which was opened by His Excellency the Governor of Bombay in 1935.

Address—Fanibunda Building, Station Road, Jalgaon, E. Khandesh.

Fateh-Ud-Din, Khan Bahadur Maulvi, M.B.E.; I.A.S.; Deputy Director of



Agriculture, Punjab. Born on 13th April, 1887. Graduated from the Punjab University in 1908, and in 1909 went to Pusa for Post Graduate Course in advanced Agriculture. On the completion of that training, joined the Punjab Agriculture Department as Assistant Director of Agriculture in 1911. Soon

after he was appointed officiating Deputy Director of Agriculture; promoted to the Indian Agriculture Service in 1921. Was awarded the title of Khan Sahib on the occasion of the visit of H. R. H. the Prince of Wales to the Punjab, as he was on special duty in connection with the People's Mela arranged on that occasion. Made Khan Bahadur in 1926 and M.B.E. in 1935.

Address—Jullundur, Punjab.

Fielden, Lionel, Controller, Indian Broadcasting and Broadcasting Adviser to the



Government of India. Born in 1896. Enlisted in the Artists Rifles, and was commissioned in the Gunners in December, 1914. He was on active service during the greater part of the Gallipoli and Palestine Campaigns, and remained in Palestine till the end of the War. After the

War he went to Brasenose College, Oxford, for a short period and then went abroad to learn French, Spanish and Italian; League of Nations Secretariat at Geneva; accom-

panied Dr. Nansen who was High Commissioner for Refugees, to Smyrna and Greece, 1922; Secretary to the Lord President of the Council (Lord Parnoor) in the newly formed Labour Government, 1923; studied Art in London and Italy, and joined the Staff of the British Broadcasting Corporation; Head of the Talks Department of the B.B.C., 1931-33. Later he was specially employed on the discovery of new talent and new methods of presentation of broadcast items.

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Firodea, Kundanmal Sobhachand, B.A., L.L.B., M.L.A. Advocate, and President,



District Local Board, Ahmednagar. Born in 1885. Educated at Ahmednagar High School and Fergusson College, Poona and Law College, Bombay. Married in 1904 with Miss Baijabai, daughter of Panisal of Kolgaon, (three sons and two daughters). Passed Matric, 1903; B.A., 1907; Daxina Fellow at the Fergusson, College, 1908; L.L.B., 1910. Commenced practice at Ahmednagar, 1910. Has been an elected Member, Ahmednagar Municipality, 1916-1934; was Secretary, Famine Relief Fund and Chairman, General Co-operative Bank for the last four years; Secretary, Pinjarpol for the last eighteen years and Secretary, District Conference and Provincial Conference Ahmednagar, 1916 and 1918. Chairman, National Education Board, Ahmednagar; President, Ahmednagar City Library; Secretary of the District Congress Committee for several years. Elected to the Bombay Legislative Assembly in 1937.

Address—Ahmednagar.

Fleming, Major-General George, C.B. (1935); C.B.E. (1932); D.S.O. (1916); Commander, Madras District since 1934. Born on 3rd Nov., 1879. Married Simone, daughter of

late Marie G. P. Grosy of Paris, and has one son. Educated at Epsom College and University College, London. Joined Somerset L.I., 1901; S. African War, 1900-01; Great War, 1915-19. Commanded 7th Battalion Gloucester Regiment, 7th Bn. N. Staff., Regt., 9th Bn. R. War. Regt., 1st Bn. Welsh Regt. Served in France, Gallipoli M.E.F. Persia and Middle East. Commander in Shanghai, 1931-33; Major General, 1933; Medal S. African War; Q.M.G. Clasp; Order of Stanislaus 3rd Class with Swords, 1914-15.

Address—Flagstaff House, Bangalore.

Flowerdew, Lt. Col. Richard Edward, C.I.E. (1917), I.M.S., Inspector General of Prisons, Bengal. Commissioned early in 1909, his services were placed at the disposal of the Government of Burma from 1922 and was appointed First Superintendent of the Central Jail at Masein and then at Rangoon. Officiated as Inspector General of Prisons, in Burma in 1930, and in 1931 he was transferred to the present post.

Address—Calcutta.

Forbes, Vernon Siegfried, M.A. (Cantab); F.R.G.S., Vice-Principal, Rajkumar College, Raipur, C.P. Born on 9th December, 1905. He was educated at Capetown, South Africa; Christ's College, Cambridge; University of California.

Address—Raipur, C.P.

Forster, Sir Martin Onslow, Kt. (1913), Ph. D. (Würzburg), D.Sc. (London), F.I.C., F.R.S. (1905). Born in 1872. Educated at private schools; Finsbury Technical College, Wurzberg University; Central Technical College, South Kensington. Asst. Prof. of Chemistry, Royal College of Science, 1902-13; a Director of British Dyos, Ltd., 1915-1918; Director, Salters' Institute of Industrial Chemistry, 1918-22; Director, Indian Institute of Science, Bangalore, 1922-33; Hon. Secretary Chemical Society, 1904-10; Treasurer, 1915-22; Longstaff Medallist, 1915; President, of Chemistry Section, British Association, 1921; President, Indian Science Congress, 1925. Publications: Contributions to Transactions of the Chemical Society.

Address—Old Banni Mantap, Mysore City.

Freke, Cecil George, C.I.E. (1937); M.A., (Cantab); B.Sc., (Lond.), F.R.S., I.C.S., Secretary, Government of Bombay, Finance Department. Born on 8th October, 1877. He was educated at Merchant Taylor's School, London, and St. John's College, Cambridge. He passed

the I.C.S. examination in 1912. He soon became Under Secretary to Government of India, Commerce and Industries Department in 1919. He has been Director-General of Commercial Intelligence and Statistics from 1921-1926, and Deputy Secretary to Government of Bombay Finance Department from 1926-29. He officiated as Finance Secretary from 1929 to 30.

Address—Secretariat, Bombay.

Gadgil, Narhar Vishnoo, B.A., LL.B., M.L.A., Plunder. Born on 10th January, 1896



at Mulhargad (Rajputana). Educated at Noemuch, Bombay, Baroda, and Fergusson College, Poona. Married on 28th April, 1920, to Miss Mathurabai, daughter of G. N. Chaphkar of Poona. His ancestors acted as Dewans of Akalkot and other states and served Peshwas in various capacities. Passed B.A., 1918, LL.B., 1920. Joined Poona Bar, 1920. Was Secretary, Poona District Congress Committee, 1921-1924. Member, old Provincial Congress Committee, 1921-32, and All India Congress Committee, 1926-32, and was President, Maharashtra Provincial Congress Committee, 1931. Convicted in connection with G. D. movement several times. One day's imprisonment and a fine of Rs. 100/- in 1921, six months' imprisonment, 1930, six months, 1931, and twenty-one months, 1932. Was one of the originators of youth movement in the Bombay Presidency; Vice-President, Bombay Presidency Youth League, 1928-1932; President of the Poona Youth League, 1928-32; President of Youth Conference at Khar and Nasik; President of the G.I.P. Railway Workers Union, Poona Branch, since 1930; Municipal Councillor, 1928-32, and Vice-President Poona City Municipality, 1931. Elected to the Legislative Assembly in 1935.

Address—419, Shanwar Peth, Poona City.

Gadgil, Dhananjaya, R., M.A., (Cantab), M. Litt (Cantab), Director, Gokhale Institute of Politics and Economics, of Servants of India Society, Poona. Born on 10th April, 1901. Educated at Patwardhan High School, Nagpur, 1910-1915 and Queen's College, Cambridge, 1918-1923. Married daughter of Rao Bahadur Kale of Satara. Served as Assistant Secretary, Finance Department, Government of Bombay 1924-1925. Principal, M.T.B. College, Surat, 1925-1930. Resigned and became the Director, Gokhale Institute of Politics and Economics founded at the Servants of India Society, Poona, by Rao Bahadur R. R. Kale, M.L.C., of Satara, in June 1930. He has been a Fellow of the Bombay University. A Fellow and Syndic, Indian Women's University.

Publications:—"Industrial Evolution of India" 1924 (3rd Ed. 1933), "The Bombay Land Revenue System" 1928, "Salaries of Public Officials in India" 1931, "Imperial Preference for India" 1932, "Marketing of Fruit in Poona" (in collaboration with Mr. V. R. Gadgil) 1933.

Address—Dacca Gymkhana Colony,
Poona 4.

Gaekwad, Damajirao Vithalrao, B.A., (Hons., Oxon), B.L.S., Chief Assistant to the



Government of H.H. the Gaekwad of Baroda. Born on 10th December, 1884, he was educated at Baroda High School, Manchester Grammar School and Exeter College, Oxford; obtained Honour's Degree in History, 1919. Joined the Baroda State service as Revenue probationer, 1919. Married in 1920 to Miss Sushilabai, daughter of Sardar Ramchandra Rao Baji Ghatge of Akkalkot. Appointed as Vihivadar Gandevi, Personal Naib Suba, (Asst-Collector) Navsari and Baroda, 1922. On special duty in Barkhali department in 1924. Assistant Manager, Huzur Political Office, 1924. Vyara

Vibhag Naib Suba, 1926. Visnagar Vibhag Naib Suba, 1927. Naib Sar Suba, 1928. Chief Assistant to the Ministers, 1928; on the staff of His Highness in his 21st Europe-Trip, 1931, and as Companion to Yuvaraj Partapsinh while there; rejoined as Chief Assistant to the Ministers, in December 1931. Naib Khangi Karbhari, February, 1932. Ag. Khangi Karbhari from 12th April, 1932. Continued to work as Chief Assistant to the Minister from July 1932 to March 1934.

Address—Datta Villas, Makarpura, Baroda.

Gandhi, Diwan Bahadur Chunilal Maneklal, B.A., LL.B., Advocate High Court,



Surat. Born on 5th August, 1871. Educated at Government High School, Surat and Elphinstone College, Bombay. Married in 1886 with late Kamalabai, daughter of Jamnadas Vajubai of Rander (two sons, eldest Lalit-mohan M.A., LL.B., B.Sc.). Passed Matric 1889, B.A., 1892, LL.B., 1895; was Elphinstone prizeman and Cobden Club Medalist. Served as Librarian and Superintendent, Elphinstone College, 1894-1895. Joined Surat Bar, 1896. Secretary, Indian National Congress, held at Surat, 1907. Elected Member Surat Municipality, 1904-1909; President Rander Municipality 1909-1912; started Sarvajani Education Society, Surat, 1912; Secretary, Surat Liberal Association, 1907-1913; Government Pleader and Public Prosecutor, 1913-1920. Elected to Bombay Legislative Council, 1921. Chairman, Sarvajani Education Society since 1920. Chairman, Excise Committee, Retrenchment Committee and Member, Primary Education Committee, 1922. One of the founders of Surat District Co-operative Bank, Ltd.; Member, Excise Committee, All-India Co-operative Institute and Council, All-India Liberal Federation; Chairman of District Co-operative Bank since 1917; has started a Drawing and

Design Class in Servajanik Middle School with a view to revive and improve old designs by giving students a knowledge of theory and colour-harmony. In 1934 started a Girls' High School in Surat, and in 1935 started an Anglo-Vernacular Class with industrial bias. Was made Diwan Bahadur in the Birthday Honours, June 1935.

Address—Nanpura Road, Surat, B.B. & C.I. Railway.

Gangla, Shanker Sambhaji, B.A., Contractor, Bombay. Born in January, 1886.



Educated at Elphinstone High School and Elphinstone College, Bombay. His father, Sambhaji Mallooji Gangla came to Bombay about 100 years ago and started the Contract business. Mr. Sambhaji died at the age of 70 in 1913. Mr. Shanker Sambhaji Gangla passed his

B.A. in 1907; joined the family business in 1920. He takes keen interest in the social and educational activities of the Telugu Community in Bombay. He is trustee of many Educational Institutions, such as Telugu Education Fund; Lingubai Education Fund; Malku Saiboo Babil Fund; Telugu Free Library. He is also a trustee of the Students' Library and Scientific Society's Girls' High School at Bombay, founded by Dadabhoi Nawrojee, the great Indian Patriot.

Address—Kenway House, Proctor Road, Girgaum Back Road, Bombay.

Ganguli, Suprakash, Artist, M. R. A. S., F.R.S.A. (London), Curator, Museum and Art



Gallery, Baroda, is grand-nephew of the poet Dr. Rabindranath Tagore. Born on 8-5-1886, he was educated at St. Xavier's College, and Doveton College, Calcutta; studied up to the 4th year class (B.Sc.), Central Hindu College Benares, 1908. Married Shrimati Tanujabala Devi. Devoted some time

in water colour drawings and painting in oil

on canvas; went to Europe for Engineering studies, but not finding it congenial reverted to Fine Arts, Museum etc., 1909-11; joined the department of archaeology in India in the Indian Museum, Calcutta and the Eastern Circle comprising of Bengal, Behar and Orissa, Assam and Chhota Nagpur under Dr. D. B. Spooner and Sir John Marshall, Director General of Archaeology in India, 1912-18; appointed Curator of the Baroda Museum and Picture Gallery, 1920; in charge of all the paintings, etc., in the Palaces of the Raj and Art Adviser, 1928. Publications:—"Descriptive Guide to the Baroda Museum Art Gallery."

Address—Pushpubag, Baroda.

Gangoli, Ganapati Subrao, Pleader Ex-M.L.C. and President, District Local Board



Kanara was born on 9th January, 1896, and received his education at Kunta and Karwar. He was only four years when he lost his father and had to fight out his way in the world against great odds. It was with the aid of charities that he could go to a school and pass his School Final examination. He is a typical example of a self-made man. Starting life as an ordinary agriculturist, he entered Government service as a Shoristedar to a Subordinate Judge; studied Law and passed High Court Pleaders' Examination in 1927. In 1928, he resigned Government service and entered politics. In 1931 he was elected as the only member from Kanara to the Bombay Legislative Council. It is difficult for a new member to make any mark in the present Bombay Legislature and more so for a member from the "benighted" district of Kanara. An agriculturist's son, Mr. Gangoli, whose advent to the Bombay Council has aroused friendly curiosity, has also proved thoroughly efficient. No back-bencher was heard with such great respect and admiration as he when he made during the Poona Session of the Bombay Council in 1933,

one of the fine speeches ever heard in the house, on the hardships of the Ankola peasants. Tact and knowledge, he has displayed in the debates at the Council, justify his inclusion in the rising men of the day.

He was also a Chairman of a bank for two years, and for the first time he entered the Local Self-Government Institute in 1933 when he was returned unopposed as a District Local Board Member, Kanura, and later elected as its President. As a member of nearly a dozen special and selected Committees, he is responsible for several original and constructive ideas and changes. He married Shri Puttibai (second marriage) on 26th May, 1931.

Address—Honavar, Kanura District.

Gangaram, Kaula, C. I. E. (June 1930). B.A., L.A. and A.S., Chief Minister, Jind State.



Born on 9th May, 1877, he received his education at Central Model School and Government College, Lahore (Punjab). In 1896 he married Chandrani Bhagya-bhawan Wanchoo, of Lahore. Joining as Assistant Examiner of Public Works Accounts, Indian Audit and Accounts Department of the Government of India in 1896, he rose to the rank of Accountant General in 1921. His abilities were soon appreciated and he was appointed Accountant General, Central Revenues, New Delhi (1925-28), and soon became Director, Railway Audit, New Delhi and Simla, 1929-30. He then became Controller, Civil Accounts, New Delhi and Simla in 1930; and was appointed to officiate as Auditor-General in India from September 1930 to January 1931. As member, Posts and Telegraphs Accounts Enquiry Committee, 1931, and Member, Bombay Reorganisation Committee, 1932, his work was highly appreciated. Retired on pension from the Audit Department, November, 1932. Member,

Sind Administrative Committee, 1933-34. Honorary Treasurer, Their Majesties' Silver Jubilee Fund, 1935. Joined Jind State service, 1936. Honorary Treasurer, All-India Women's Education Fund Association, and Lady Irwin College for Women, New Delhi, since 1931. Acting Honorary Treasurer, Indian Red Cross Society (1930-31, 1933, 1935). Honorary Treasurer, Indian Public Schools Society (1931-37), and Doon School, Dehra Dun.

Publications—Several Departmental Codes, Manuals, and Reports.

Address—Jutogh View, Simla, W; 7, Sikan-dara Road, New Delhi; and Kothi Mubarik, Sangrur (Jind State).

Garbett, Colin Campbell, C.S.I. (1935) C. I. E., (1917); C. M. G., (1922); B.A., LL.B.,



P.R.G.S. Born on 22nd May, 1881. Married Marjorie Josephine, Kaisar-i-Hind (1933), daughter of late Lt.-Col. Maynard, I.M.S., and has one daughter. Educated at King William's College, Isle of Man; Rowing, Cricket, and Football Colours (Captain); Victor Ludorum Cricket XI; Jesus College,

Cambridge Senior Scholar, Football, Athletic and Rowing Colours Victor Ludorum; B.A. (First Class Hons. Classics), 1903; LL. B., (Second Class), 1904; I.C.S., 1904; Assistant Commissioner, Mesopotamia, and also Administrator, Agricultural Development Scheme (Military), 1917; (despatches twice); Assistant Secretary, India Office, 1919-20; Secretary, High Commissioner, Iraq, 1920-22; Member of the H.M.G.'s Delegation, Turkish Peace Treaty, 1920; returned to India, 1922; Deputy Commissioner, Attock, 1925-29; Rawalpindi, 1929; Chief Secretary to Government, Punjab, 1931; Commissioner, Multan, 1935.

Address—Shishmaha, Multan, India.

Garrett, Joseph Hugh, C.S.I., I.C.S., B.A., (Canada) Commissioner, Northern Division, Ahmedabad. Educated at Highgate School, Gonville, and Caius College, Cambridge. Entered the Indian Civil Service on 20th October, 1904, and came out to India as Assistant Collector. Joined duties at Ahmednagar on 25th November, 1904. In 1906 his services were placed at the disposal of the Government

of India for a time—officiating Assistant Collector, Imperial Customs Service. Officiating Collector and Political Agent, and Collector and District Magistrate from 17th February 1911 to 4th May 1917. His name has been brought to the notice of the Government of India for services rendered in India in connection with the War up to 4th August, 1917. On special duty for Settlement work in East and West Khandesh and Sholapur Districts from 11th November 1921 to 1st September 1922. Confirmed as Collector and District Magistrate and Talukdari Settlement Officer at Ahmedabad on 9th January, 1926. Nominated Member Bombay Legislative Council from 4th July 1929 to 28th January 1931. On special duty in the Reform Office 28th February to 3rd March 1933. Appointed Companion of the Most Exalted Order of the Star of India in January, 1931. Officiated as Chief Secretary to the Government Political Department and Reforms Officer 4th March to 30th June 1933.

Address—Ahmedabad.

Garware, Bhalchandra Digambar, Governing Director, Garware Motors,



Limited, Bombay and London, Garware Finance Corporation, Ltd., Bombay, and Garware Industries Bombay. Born on 21st December 1904 at Tasgaon, Dist. Satara. Educated at Sangli High School. Married Miss Shantabai, daughter of Narahar Nagarkar of Poona in 1927. Has

two sons and one daughter. After completing education, came to Bombay in 1921 and joined the B.B.&C.I. Railway in a subordinate position. Not content with the slow progress in life and having a great ambition to build a business of his own, resigned his post in 1922 and started Motor Car business under the name and style of Deewan Motor Agency. In 1933 he made this into a limited liability company under the name of Garware Motors, Limited, and went to Europe with a view to expand activities. Was the first one to import used cars from England on a large scale for retailing in India. Went to Europe again in 1934 to explore the possibilities of doing business with Englishmen going from and returning to India. At this time he purchased the Burney Streamline car belonging to H. R. H. the Prince of Wales, and sold it in Bombay. Business having increased, Mr. Garware

found it necessary to open an office in London, and again sailed for England in 1935. Registered a separate company under the name and style of Garware Motors (London), Limited, and went across to the United States to study the motor car industry in general and manufacturing in particular. After going throughout the United States and Canada, returned to India and founded Garware Industries

Being a through sportsman he has done everything to encourage sports in this country and amongst his many generous contributions he has given the Garware Challenge Cup to the Y.M.C.A. Open Tennis Tournament (singles event) which is being contested for since 1934. Mr. Garware is a young man of dashing enterprise and great industry.

Address—Garware Motors, Ltd., Swadeshi Mills Estate, Bombay No. 4.

Gauba, Khalid Latif, formerly **Kanhaya Lal** B.A., J.L.B. (Cantab), 1920.

Barrister-at-law, was born on 28th August, 1890. Married Hasmara Aziz Ahmed, daughter of the late Aziz Ahmed, Barrister-at-law. Converted to Islam in 1933. Educated privately and at Downing College, Cambridge; Member, Committee, Cambridge Union Society, (1920). Associated with many Joint Stock enterprises as Director; Lahore Electric Company, Ltd., The Bharat Insurance Company, Limited, etc. President, Punjab Flying Club, 1932-33; Ex-President, Punjab Journalists' Association (1932); Member, N.W.R. Advisory Committee; and Member, Managing Committee of the Irwin Flying Fund (1931).

Publications—"Leone" (1921); "Uncle Sham," 17th Ed. (1929); "H. H. or the Pathology of Princes" 4th Ed., (1930); "The Prophet of the Desert" (1934).

Address—Aikman Road, Lahore.

Geddis, Andrew, J.P., James Finlay and Co., Bombay. Born on 11th July, 1886, he was educated at George Watson's College, Edinburgh. Married Joan Balke Gunn, daughter of Dr. Gunn, George Square, Edinburgh. Joined James Finlay and Co., Ltd., Bombay, in 1907. Chairman, the Finlay Mills, Ltd., The Surya Mills, Swan Mills, Ltd., Gold Mohur Mills, Ltd.; Director, Bank of India; Chairman, Bombay Millowners' Association, 1926; Millowners' Association's Representative on Port Trust; G.I.P. Railway Advisory Committee; Director, East India Cotton Association.

Address—Sudama Villa, Nopan Sea Road, Malabar Hill, Bombay.

Gennings, John Frederick, C.B.E. (1933); *Bar-at-Law*; Commissioner of Labour and Director of Information, Bombay, and Acting Commissioner of Workmen's Compensation and Chief Conciliation Officer. Born on 21st September, 1885, he was educated at Aske's Hatcham and Dulwich. He entered Journalism in 1902, and was in the Editorial Staff of the "Daily Mail," "Daily Telegraph," "Star" and the "Morning Leader." He served in the Army (25th Bulls and R.C.A.) from 1915-19 and in the War Office M.I. 7b; Propaganda Section from August 1916 to February 1917. He was appointed Director of Information in 1920 and in addition acting Director of the Labour Office from July 1925 to March 1926. He is now in charge of both the Offices. Married Edith, daughter of T. J. Wallis, Esq., of Croydon, Surrey and Aldburgh, Suffolk.

Address—Secretariat, Bombay.

Gentle, Hon. Mr. Justice Frederick William, M.A. (Cantab.), Judge, High Court



of Judicature, Madras, since 1936. Born on 12th July, 1882. Educated at Queen's College, Cambridge, married, 1927, Ursula Willmer White and has one son. Called to the Bar in 1919; South Eastern Circuit Recorder of Margate, 1935-36; Member of General Council of the Bar, 1921-27 and 1935-

1936. Served European War, 1914-1919, in Sussex Yeomanry, Lt.; Transferred to First Life Guard and served with that regiment in France and Flanders, and also, attached to Guards Machine Gun Regiments. Retired in 1919, Captain. Recreations: Shooting and Fishing.

Clubs: Carlton; Madras Club, Madras.

Address: High Court of Judicature, Madras.

Gerrard, Charles R. Director of The Sir J. J. School of Art, Bombay. Educated in Antwerp received his early training in painting in the Lancaster School of Art, and the Royal College of Art, London, 1915-1920; also studied in France, Belgium and Italy. His works were exhibited at the Royal Academy and in London, New York, Montreal, Toronto, Winnipeg, and Vancouver. They were highly appreciated and several of them

were purchased by prominent Art Galleries for their collections. His portrait of Mrs. Mollison (Amy Johnson) was purchased and presented to the Hull Art Gallery by Lord Wakfield. He joined the Sir J. J. School of Art in 1935 as a Deputy Director, and also officiated for some time as Director. He is an Associate of the Royal College of Art, London, and Member of the Royal Society of British Artists and the Royal Society of Oil Painters.

Address—Sir J. J. School of Art, Bombay.

Ghorpade, Vinayakrao Narayanrao, Advocate (A.S.), Assistant Public Prosecu-



tor, Kolhapur, was born in October, 1886, and received his education at the High Schools of Ichalkaranji and Jamkhandi and at Fergusson College, Poona. He has been the first Organiser of the Scout movement in Kolhapur 1923-26, and is now the Vice-President of the Kolhapur Boy Scouts' Association. He studied Law, 1928, and passed the examination in the same year. He practised for one year in Poona and at the special request of some of his highly placed friends and well-wishers in Kolhapur, he changed the venue of his legal activities to Kolhapur where, during the course of his practice for the last few years, he has already earned a reputation for integrity, honesty and conscientiousness in the discharge of his responsibilities as an Advocate. He is very much in the good books of His Highness the Chhatrapati Maharajah of Kolhapur who gave him full and unqualified hearing in his claims to succeed the present Chief Sahab of Ichalkaranji. He is a nominated member of the Haks Panchayat, and is also a very active member of the Kolhapur Municipality. He is very pleasing in his manners, and is never known to be upset under any condition.

Address—Kolhapur City.

Ghandy, Pestonjee Kaikobad, B.A., LL.B., Retired Advocate High Court, Kenya, East Africa. Born on 2nd August, 1870. Educated at Proprietary High School and St. Xavier's College, Bombay. Married in 1908, with Miss Dhunbai, daughter of Munchorjee Dadyseth,



Bar-at-Law of Bombay (2 sons and 5 daughters. Eldest son, Kaikobad P. Ghandy is a 1st class Marine Engineer; 2nd son, Adi, is studying in London for Chartered Accountancy). Passed Matric in 1886; B.A., 1890; LL.B., 1896. Started practice at Jamnagar (Broach District) for some time. He went to Kenya in 1900 and was the first Advocate to practise at Nairobi. He took a great part in public activities. He was appointed a Member, Legislative Council in Kenya in July, 1927. Practised for twenty years at Nairobi and for eight years at Kisumu. He was one of the finest examples of an Indian Advocate and one who followed the high traditions of service and the high standards of life and character imposed by it. He was a Member, Nairobi Municipality for twenty years; a Member, Education Board, Kenya. As President of Kisumu Indian Association, he received

Mrs. Sarojini Naidu when she visited East Africa. Retired from practice in 1930.

Address—11, South Petty Staff Lines, Camp, Poona.

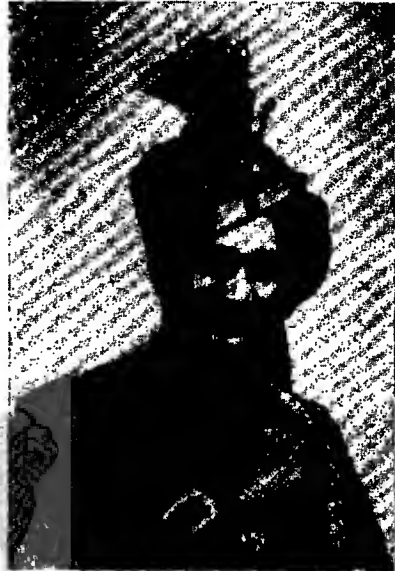
Gheewalla, Abdul Majid, M.L.A. and Merchant. Born in 1908. Educated at Belgaum.



Married in January, 1925, with Miss Halimbi, daughter of Mohnud Ghose Gotikhor of Belgaum, and has two sons. He a grandfather, Osman Sahab, came to Belgaum from Chandgad and started butter and ghee business about sixty years ago. His father, Abdul Kader Gheewalla, died in 1934, leaving five sons and one daughter, Abdul Majid being the second son. After education, Mr. Abdul Majid entered family business and developed it to a great extent. Contested the Municipal election in 1935, and the same year he was elected President. He is the first Mohomedan to be elected President of Belgaum Municipality Borough. As a President he worked very zealously without sticking to any party. He brought out many reforms during the period of his authority. His work was so admired that on the last date of relinquishing his office, the borough unanimously passed a special resolution of appreciation of his work as a President. The fact that he became popular throughout the District in a very short time can be seen from his tremendous success in the Legislative Assembly where he was elected in 1937 in spite of opposition of two strong candidates. He is also a member, Anjuman Islam and Islam Club, Belgaum.

Address—Khanjir Gully, Belgaum, S.M.C.

Ghorpade, Shrimant Sardar Wyankatrao, alias Dadasaheb Amir-ul-Umarao of Bedag, District Belgaum, was



born in the year 1904. He belongs to a famous Ghorpade family who played a conspicuous part during the Maratha confederacy. He joined the Baroda College and was companion to Shrimant Yuvaraja Maharaja of Baroda (Prince Pratapsinh Raje). He is married to Princess Kamalaraja, daughter of the late H. H. the Maharajasahab of Dhar (C. I.) in 1924. He is a well known tennis player and has won several championships. He is a good cricket player too, and was selected for the Hindu Team in the year 1926, and there he scored several centuries and made the highest score of 287 runs in a Shield Match. He takes a keen interest in the village uplift and social matters. Very recently he was promoted to the rank of a First Class Sardar in the Deccan.

Address :—P. O. Bedag, Dist. Belgaum.

Ghose, Tushar Kanti, B.A., Editor, "Amrit Bazar Patrika," Calcutta. Born on 4th October, 1899, he was educated at Calcutta. Married Bibha Rani Ghosh in June 1920. Joined the "Amrit Bazar Patrika" as Editor; sentenced to three months' imprisonment and Rs. 100 fine for contempt of Calcutta High Court.

Address—2 Ananda Chatterji Lane, Calcutta.

Ghule, Gunajirao Dhondbarao, J. P. Retired Superintendent, Port Trust, Bombay, Landlord, Ghule-Wadi, Dapodi, Poona, a prominent member of Universal Motherhood Mission—Bassein—Thana, India and a sympathiser and donor of a number of Public Institutions. Born



at Mahtarpakhady, Bombay, in 1875. His ancestors came from Bopkhol, five miles from Poona; his grandfather first migrated from Bopkhol to Bombay and accepted the service of a rich Parsi gentleman, as a coachman, and purchased two houses in Bombay. His father, Dhondaji, who worked as a Book-binder, was as honest and hardworking as his father (Shivramjee). He was so much good-natured and charitably disposed that his charitable acts emptied his purse. After education Mr. Gunajirao, the subject of this life sketch, worked as a compositor in a private press in Bombay on a small salary. Entered the Port Trust as a tally clerk. Also conducted a tea-shop and a fuel Depot for a number of years. At the instance of Mr. Gunajirao a

Haulage Department was created by the Port Trust and he was put in charge of it as Officer on Rs. 100/- per month. Soon promoted to the position of a labour Superintendent in Port Trust on Rs. 325/- per month with a special allowance. Among charities he has given Rs. 1,000 to the Dock Workers' School at Bombay; Rs. 1,000 to Shivajee Maratha Society, Poona; Rs. 1,000 to Shree Godhade Bawa's Rest House, and to many institutions.

At Ghulewadi the place of his Wataus a public rest house, in the name of his revered mother, Kashibai, a water fountain in the



Mrs. Ghule

name of his worthy wife, Bai Yashodabai, and a primary school were constructed by him. Due to his humanitarian efforts the long-standing pernicious practice of slaughtering goats by way of sacrifice to the Deity in the Ghulewady Temple was permanently stopped. Hardwork, studious habits, and a burning desire to do good to others in a disinterested manner, are the outstanding qualities of Mr. Gumajirao. These and other qualities of his head and heart have not only made his life completely successful but an ideal and exemplary one.

Address—Ghulewadi, Kerkoe.

Ghose, The Hon. Mr. Justice Sarat Kumar, I.C.S., M.A. (Cantab) Puisne Judge, High Court of Judicature, Calcutta. Born on 3rd July, 1879. Married Bell, daughter of Mr. D. M. A., I. C. S. Educated at Presidency College, Calcutta; Trinity College, Cambridge; Inner Temple, London. Was Magistrate, Bengal; District and Sessions Judge, acting Puisne Judge, High Court, Calcutta, 1928; confirmed 1929.

Address :—London Street, Calcutta.

Ghose, Aurobindo, was born on 15th August, 1872, at Calcutta, and was educated at Paul's School, Darjeeling, and England. Graduated at the Kings College, Cambridge, in 1892. Joined the Baroda State Service where he worked in the Dewani Office and was later on transferred to the State College as Professor, and subsequently became the Principal of the Baroda College. Joined the National College, Calcutta, as Principal, in 1906; Editor "Bando Matarani," tried for sedition, but acquitted; took part in Nationalist movement in 1907; arrested on charge of treason and conspiracy, 1908, but released after a trial of one year when he was found not guilty; conducted the weeklies, "Karmayogin" and "Dharmma," 1910; now he is at Pondicherry leading the life of a Yogi. Publications: "Yogic Sadhna," "Ahana," "Love and Death," "The Objects of Yoga," "The Ideal of Karmayogin," "The Brain of India," "The Renaissance in India," "Self Determination," "Super Man," "Isha Upanishad," "Essays on the Gita," "The Mother," "The Riddle of the World."

Address—Pondicherry.

Ghotge, Vasant Vithal, B. A., I.L. B.;

Plunder and Vice-President, Municipal Borough, Belgaum. Born in December, 1904, and matriculated from the Savantvadi High School in 1922. Father Vithalrao was the most popular Head-master of the Savantvadi High School, and after retirement was tutor to H. J. the Ranisahob of Savantvadi. After passing



his I.L. B. in 1928, commenced practice at Sirsi and later at Belgaum. Elder brothers, Amratrao and Vasudeorao, are practising lawyers at Savantvadi and Vengorla. Only sister is married to Sunderrao, son of the late R. B. P. N. Pandit of Sirsi. Is a Member, Belgaum Municipality, elected with topping majority; a Member, Supervision Committee of the Belgaum P. U. C. C. Bank, Ltd. Had the honour to present an address of welcome to Mr. M. A. Jinnah and to garland Mr. M. N. Roy as Vice-President of the Belgaum Municipality. Had unique success in bringing together on several occasions the Savantvadi State subjects residing at Belgaum. Is a staunch Congress-devotee and loyal State subject, and is on the M. C. of several social and public institutions. Has a vast circle of friends and admirers and is the most popular figure among the junior members of the Belgaum Bar. Address :—Belgaum.

Gibson, Edmund Currey, C.I.F. (1933); Resident, Western India States since 1937. Born on 6th July, 1886; son of Rev. Thomas William and Frances Georgina Gibson. Educated at Merchant Taylors' School and St. John's College, Oxford. Joined I.C.S., in 1910, and held various posts in the Central Provinces. Foreign and Political Department, Government of India, 1921; Commissioner, Ajmer Morwar, 1924 and 1927; Political Agent, Eastern Rajputana States, 1925; Agent to the Governor-General, Eastern States, 1933-34. Resident at Gwalior, 1934-37.

Club—Royal Societies.

Address—29 Landon Gardens, Bayswater, W. 2.

Gilbert-Lodge, Captain Edward Morton, F.S.O., F.I.A., F.A.I., M.T.P.I., J.P. Born on 28th January, 1880. Married May, daughter of Thomas Spencer of Norwood, London S. E. Educated at Sydney, N. S. Wales, Australia; was Royal Engineer, 1915-20; retired with the rank of Captain; Assistant Land Acquisition Officer, Bombay, 1920; Land Manager and Consulting Surveyor to Government Development Directorate, 1920-25.

Address—Improvement Trust Building, Esplanade Road, Bombay.

Gilder, M. D., M.D., F.R.C.S. Medical Practitioner, Bombay. He has been a member of the Bombay Legislative Council since 1931; introduced the Parsi Religious and Charitable Trusts Bill in the Bombay Council. Was member, Bombay University Senate for several years. Is a reputed medical practitioner; attended upon Mahatma Gandhi on several occasions. Was President of the Bombay Medical Union in 1923 and 1924; during the Great War he was Medical Officer to Lady Hardinge War Hospital with the rank of Major in the I. M. S.; joined the Congress party; elected to the Bombay Legislative Assembly in 1937.

Address—16, Cumballa Lane, Cumballa Hill, Bombay and Ghodhunder Road, Vile-Parle, Bombay.

Giles, Major-General Edward Douglas, C.B. (1932); C. M. G. (1919); D. S. O. (1916); A. D. C. to the King 1930-31; Major-General, Cavalry in India. Born on 13th October, 1879. Educated at Marlborough College, and R. M. C. Sandhurst. Married Eileen Graham Dingwall-Fordyce, daughter of late C. G. Dingwall-Fordyce. Joined King's Shropshire L.I., 1899; Great War in France, 1914-18; transferred to R.G.O., Central India Horse, 1919; Instructor, Staff College, Quetta,

1921-24; Commanded fourth Cavalry Brigade, 1925-26, and third Cavalry Brigade, 1926-29; Director of Military Operations; Army Headquarters, India, 1930-31; Major-General, Cavalry in India, 1931.

Address—Army Headquarters, India, Delhi and Simla.

Ginwala, Sir Padamji Pestonji, Kt., B. A. (Can.), Barrister-at-Law., Economic Adviser to Kroner and Toll of Stockholm and Deputy Chairman, Tata Iron and Steel Company. Born in November, 1875. He was educated at Government High School and Gujarati College, Ahmedabad and Trinity Hall, Cambridge. He was called to the Bar in 1899 and started life as Advocate, Chief Court of Lower Burma in 1905. He was appointed Assistant Government Advocate in 1915 and Secretary, Burma Legislative Council in 1916. As President, Rangoon Municipal Corporation from 1922 to 1923, as Member, Legislative Assembly from 1921 to 1923, as Member, Indian Tariff Board in 1923, and as its President from 1926 to 1930, he has been in the forefront of public men in India. He attended the Imperial Conference in 1930 as a Delegate. He was a Member of the Round Table Conference in 1931. He is a strong believer in the value of the Ottawa Agreements to Indian Industries, and he said so in a recent address to the Indian section of the Royal Society of Arts in London.

Address—Bombay House, Bruce Street, Bombay.

Gopalaswamy Mudaliar, Dewan Bahadur, M., B.A., B.L., Advocate, Bellary. He was educated at the Christian College and the Law College, Madras. Started practice in Bellary in 1896. He was elected five times Chairman of the Bellary Municipality from 1910 to 1924. Was appointed Govt. Pleader and Public Prosecutor in 1916. He was responsible for constructing two hostels for boys and establishing a cosmopolitan club. A water-project was successfully carried out for the town and worked up a scheme for laying light railways in some outlying portions of the District. He has been taking keen interest in public affairs. Was President, Discharged Prisoners' Aid Society and President, Central Famine Relief Fund. He served as a member of Ceded Districts Irrigation Committee and took interest in the starting of the great Tungabhadra Project. Was President, District Board, Bellary. Elected to the Madras Legislative Council, and is a Member of several committees of the Legislative Council.

Address—Advocate, Bellary.

Ginwalla, Khansaheb Sorabji Boman-shaw, B. A., LL. B., Merchant, Broach. Born



in 1875, he was educated at R. S. Dalal High School, Broach and Elphinstone College Bombay. Married in May, 1907, to Khorshod, bai, daughter of Mr. Gavasji P. Pochhaji of Bombay. Passed B. A. in 1898; LL. B. in 1900. Then he and his brothers commenced business at Broach of supplying leather washers and Ghistores. He was an elected and a nominated member of the Broach City Municipality for several years from 1911 during which period he served as a chairman and a member of several committees. During War time he was a member of the War Loan Committee. In 1918, he worked as Joint Hon. Secretary of Broach District Famine Relief Committee, and in 1919 as Honorary Secretary of Cholera Medical Relief Committee, and his services in both these directions were greatly appreciated. He has been working as Joint Honorary Secretary, Broach Sanitary Association since 1919 up to this day. In 1920 he was appointed Honorary Magistrate and Chairman of a Bench of Honorary Magistrates (2nd class), which post he has been holding up to now. He has been a non-official visitor of the Sah-Jail at Broach since 1922, and a Delegate for the Parsi District Matrimonial Court at Surat since 1925 up to now. He is the President of "Bazma-Jashne-Roze-Belram" (Parsi religious and educational institution) since 1925. In recognition of his various public services, he was

erected Khan Sahab in 1926. He was a Joint Managing Trustee of Broach Parsi Panchayat Funds in 1932 and 1933, and has been again so since 1935. He worked as Joint Honorary Secretary of His Majesty's Silver Jubilee Fund Committee in 1935 and was awarded a silver Jubilee Medal in May, 1935.

Address—Civil Lines, Broach (Gujarat).

Gobindram Pritamdas, Honourable Mukhi, comes from the well-known family



of Mukhis of Hyderabad, Sind. He is the lineal descendant of a long line of Mukhis, who have been leaders of the Sind Panchayats for many generations, even prior to the advent of the British in the province. They were known for their excellent civic spirit and public service. To his magni-

ficent heritage, Mukhi Gobindram has added considerable experience in civic, social, educational and banking experience. He has been a member of the Hyderabad Municipality for over twelve years and taken a leading part in amelioration of the condition of his people. He has been associated with many institutions and is one of the leading bankers and landlords of Sind. He has taken keen interest in introducing scientific agriculture into the Province. Mukhi Gobindram is a leader in whom the Hindus have placed full confidence and elected him as President of the Hindu Sabha and of the Sind Hindu Panchayats. By virtue of his eminent position in the life of his people, he has been appointed as a Hindu Minister in the first Government of Sind, and holds the portfolio of the P. W. D. at present.

Address:—Karachi, Sind.

Gokul Chand Narang, The Hon'ble Dr. M.A., Ph. D., Bar-at-Law; Minister, Punjab Government, Lahore. Born 15th November, 1878. Educated at The Punjab University, Calcutta University, Oxford University, and Bern University. Was Professor and Barrister.

Publications—"The Message of the Vedas and Transformation of Sikhism."

Address—5, Montgomery Road, Lahore.

Godbole, Shankar Vaman, M.Sc. B.Ag., Managing Director, Premier Food Products Co. Ltd, Thalakhwadi, Belgaum. Born on



28th June, 1894. Educated at Karwar High School, Ferguson College and College of Agriculture, Poona. Married in 1922 with Miss Sundarabai, daughter of late Shivrampant Joshi, B. A., Sangli. Passed Matric 1912; B. Sc. 1919; B. Ag. 1921. (Stood 2nd in the University of Bombay). Appointed as the

officer in charge of investigations of Drought Resistance of Rajri in Poona, part of which work has been published as a Memoir of Department of Agriculture, Government of India. In 1925, took the degree of M. Sc. in Research in Plant Physiology and Genetics. Appointed in (Bombay University), October, 1927, Senior Assistant to the Cotton Physiologist, Surat. In 1932 he started the work of developing the Food Products Industry with special reference to Fruit Canning. In 1934 he started the Premier Food Products Co., Ltd., at Belgaum. The Company manufactures canned mango pulp and slices on a large scale at Belgaum and Karwar, and has also put into market, products like pure honey, toffees, pickles, chatnoys and condiments. Address:—Thalakhwadi, Belgaum.

Gopalaswami Naidu, P., Diamond Merchant; Proprietor, Messrs. P. Gopalaswamy



Naidu & Sons, St. Thomas' Mount, Madras.

He is Hon. Magistrate, Saint Thomas' Mount; Director and Treasurer of the Adambakkam Janopakara Sasawatha Nidhi, Ltd.; Member of the Saidapet Taluk Rural Compulsory Education School Attendance Committee, 1928; Publisher, Humourist Monthly Tamil and Telugu Journals, "Vinodhan," "Vinodhini" and "Kalyangam"; Patron of the Mount Standard Badminton Club.

Address—5, Pudurpet Street, St. Thomas Mount, Madras.

Gordon, Eyre, B.A. (Oxon), C.S.I. (1935), C.I.S. (1931); President, Public Services Commission. Born on 28th February, 1884. Married Lilias Edith Napier in 1912. He was educated at Rossall and Queen's College, Oxford. Joined I. C. S.; Member of the C. P. Executive Council.

Address—Government of India, Delhi and Simla.

Gothoskar, Shripad Bhaskar, M.B.B.S. Civil Surgeon, Sakara. Born on 13th March



1888. Educated at Savantvadi High School, Wilson College and Grant Medical College of Bombay. Married on 16th February, 1913, with Miss Indirabai daughter of Ranchandra Saaji Dhond of Baroda. (Two sons and one daughter.) Passed Matric in 1906; M.B.B.S., 1913. Joined Government Service in 1914 as an Asst. Surgeon on Diarrhea Investigation

Commission at Poona and served in that capacity for two years. Took a Commission during the Great War in June, 1916, and served in Mesopotamia till June, 1920. Served in Military Department in India till March, 1921. Reported as Asst. Civil Surgeon and posted at Malvan in Ratnagiri District 1921-1930. Was a certifying Surgeon at Ahmedabad, 1931-36. Posted at Jalgaon as Civil Surgeon. Transferred to Satara on 7th July, 1936. Also mentioned in despatches for good and distinguished services in the field.

Address—Camp, Satara.

Gour, Mr. Mazharul Haque, M. D. (Washington), 1922; Homeopathic Practi-



tioner, Bombay. Born on 29th November, 1889. He was educated at Meerut College; College of Physicians and Surgeons of Calcutta and U. S. A. Graduated, 1922. Married, and has three sons and two daughters. He took active part in Civil Disobedience Movement and was the Secretary, Nationalist Muslim Party, Bombay Presidency. He was Vice-President, Bombay Provincial Congress Committee and was jailed for four months in 1930 and two months in 1932. Served in the Great European War, 1915-19.

By his kind nature and sympathy for the poor, Dr. Gour has endeared himself to his patients. He is well-known in Bombay as an able and expert Homeopath.

Address—Killedar Chambers "A,"

11, Motilal Street, Bombay 11.

Gough, Eric John, B.A. (Oxon) 1935. Secretary to the European Group in the Bombay Legislative Council and Honorary Secretary of the European Association in Bombay. Born on 13th November, 1913. Educated at the City of London School and Magdalen College, he had a brilliant scholastic career. He was Captain of the College Rugby Team. Graduated from Oxford University taking Honours in Philosophy, Politics and Economics. He acted as Asst. Secretary of the Oxford Branch of the League of Nations Society (an organisation comprising 400 members).

Address—European Association, Anarchand Building, Ballard Estate, Bombay.

Govindoss, Chathurbhoojadoss, Dewan Bahadur (1911, Delhi Durbar Honours), Senior



Partner of the firm of C. Khussaldoss and Sons. Born in February, 1878, at Madras. Was Sheriff of Madras in 1914. A well-known philanthropist. Presented the City of Madras a statue of H.M. the King George V. Vice-President of the S.P.C.A. since 1915, and President of the Southern India Chamber of

Commerce; Member of the Local Board, Reserve Bank of India; (Southern Area) Madras; Member, Madras Port Trust Board; Director, Madras Telephone Co., Ltd.; President, Hindu Central Committee, Madras; was Director of the Indian Bank Ltd. and Hindustan Bank Ltd.; Vice-Chairman, Madras City Co-operative Bank Ltd.; was Member of the Madras Legislative Council for one term, representing S.I. Chamber of Commerce.

Telegrams—Diamond Madras.

Telephone No. 2151.

Address—459, Mint Street, Park Town, Madras.

Govind Das, Seth, Member, Legislative Assembly. Belongs to a big Zemindari family of Jubbulpore, C. P. He took leading part in the Non-Co-operation Movement in 1921, and was elected to the Council of State as a Swarajist Member, 1924-30. Resigned on the launching of Civil Disobedience Movement in 1930 and underwent imprisonment several times. Elected to the Legislative Assembly as a Congress Parliamentary Board Candidate in 1935.

Address—Jubbulpore, C. P.

Govindanand, Swami, M.A., was born on 21st November, 1889, and was educated at Bombay. He joined the Fergusson College, Poona, as a Professor in 1910; Professor of Economics, Hishop College, Nagpur, 1911; Professor of Economics and History, B.B. College, Mutazaffarpur, 1913. As senior Professor of Economics and Politics, he visited Japan and U.S.A. in April, 1914, and returned to India the same year, only to be arrested and detained in jail from 30th September to 10th April, 1918, in connection with the "Kona-gatti Maru," Budge Shooting Case. He was again arrested in connection with the Rowlatt Bill Satyagraha and the N.W. Ry. Employeess' first general strike, 1920; sentenced to five years' transportation, N.C.O. Movement, 1921; on release he started the "Daily Kozari" in Karachi, 1924; founded the Swaraj Ashram; elected the First President of the A.L. Political Sufferers' Conference, Cawnpore, 1925; Chairman of the Sind Provincial Conference Reception Committee, 1928; sentenced to one year's imprisonment in 1930 as First Dictator of Sind; became Vice-Chairman of the Reception Committee of the Indian National Congress, Karachi Session, 1931; again arrested in 1931 under 124/A; released on bail in September 1931; rearrested under Ordinance in the 2nd C.D. Movement of 1932 and sentenced to two years. Leader of the Left Wing Congress Party; started the "Voice of India," the English Weekly Organ of the Left Wing Congress and Socialist Views at Karachi in 1934; led Rent Reduction Campaign at Karachi 1935.

Address—Karachi.

Govind, C. Iyengar, Managing Director, Messrs. Rano. Ltd., Bombay. Born in Salem on 28th May, 1892, he received his early education in the Madras Presidency. On finishing his education he remained in Government service for four years. His inherent instincts for business did not permit him to remain there and he joined the Empire Automobiles, Bombay, where he showed his abilities in a remarkable way by his tact, cleverness and undaunted courage. He is to a large extent instrumental

in forming the present limited liability concern "Rano Ltd." and establishing branches throughout India with headquarters at Bombay. He is connected with the same firm from 1916, onwards. He has great organising abilities and untiring enthusiasm in all he undertakes. He is held in the highest esteem by his friends and co-workers. He is the President of the Bombay Motor Merchants' Association and also the President of the Suburban South Indian Society, Khar.

Address—Rano Ltd., Queen's Road, Bombay.

Govindan Nayar, Diwan Bahadur C., B.A., B.L., Barrister-at-Law, and Secretary to Orissa Government, Law and Commerce Department, since 1936. With a brilliant educational career, and having won high honours in his legal studies in England, the Diwan Bahadur is a distinguished member of the Madras Judicial Service. Entering Government service in 1910 as District Munsiff, he rose to the position of Assistant Secretary in the Law Department, Madras Secretariat, in 1923. He became Under Secretary (Drafting) in the same Department in 1927, and was responsible for drafting various important bills, including the Malabar Tenancy Bill. His commentary on the Malabar Tenancy Act is recognised as a standard work. He underwent legal training under the Government of India in 1928, and his services were placed at the disposal of the Government of India as Secretary to the Drugs Enquiry Committee in 1930. He acted as Special Sessions Judge to try the Pudukkotta Riot case at Pudukkotta, 1932-33. Later, he rose to the position of a District Judge and served with distinction in various parts of the Presidency. He was a nominated member of the Madras Legislative Council, the Legislative Assembly and the Council of State. He acted as Deputy Secretary to Government of India in the Legislative Department and was Joint Secretary, Madras Government, Law Department, and later Joint Secretary in the Reforms Department of Bihar and Orissa Government. He was also Secretary to the Council of State. He is a nephew of the late Sir C. Sankaran Nair, Kt. and a brother of Justice C. Madhavan Nair.

Address—Cuttack.

Grant, C. F., I.C.S. (Retired); Chairman of the Public Service Commission, Burma.

Address—Rangoon.

Graham-Smith, Colonel Cyril, O.B.E.
V. D., A.C.G.I., A.M.I.C. E., I.E.S., Principal.



College of Engineering, Poona. Born on 2nd June, 1892, he was educated at St. Dunstan's College, Catford and City and Guilds Central Technical College (now the Imperial College of Science and Technology), South Kensington, London. He arrived in India on the 20th Dec., 1908, and joined the Bengal and North-Western Railway as an Asst. Engineer. On the completion of the construction of the Izat Bridge over the Gogra River in 1908 in which he showed his abilities, he was appointed Executive Engineer in charge of the construction of the Nagaha Bridge over the Gandak River close to the Nepal Frontier. He became District Engineer, Muzai in 1912 and of Saran, Bihar, in 1914. He was commissioned as Second Lt. in 1904. He became Lt. and then a Captain. He was Staff Captain on the Poona Division holding a Commission on the special Service List of the British Army for nearly four years. On two occasions he has officiated as Principal, College of Engineering, Poona. He has been Hon. A.D.C. to H.E. the Viceroy from 1924 to 1929, and Hon. A.D.C. to H.E. the Commander-in-Chief in India from 1933. He has been made Hon. Col. on 2nd May, 1929. He has been a Fellow of the Bombay University since 1918, and has worked as Hon. Treasurer and Member on the Committee of the Bombay Engineering Congress in 1917, has been Hon. Secretary of the Royal Commaught Boat Club and Hon. Treasurer of the Poona Club, Ltd., Poona, for several years and was also President of the Auxiliary Force Club. He is at present the President of the Poona Branch of the Ex-Service Association and Member of the Syndicate and Dean of the Faculty of Technology of the Bombay University. A noteworthy event under the regime of Col. Graham-Smith is the affiliation of the College

to the University of Bombay for the Degree of Electrical Engineering. He has been permanent Principal since 1927.

Address—College of Engineering, Wellesly Road, Poona.

Green, Nariman Ratanji, B. Sc. (Eng);
B. E., A.M.I.E.; M.I.St., Manager and Engineer—



in-Chief, Morvi Railway, Morvi. Born on 15th August, 1893, at Rajkot in Kathiawar. Educated at Alfred High School, Rajkot, Elphinstone College, Bombay, and Engineering College, Poona. Joined Messrs. Mistry and Bhedwar, Architects and Consulting Engineers, Bombay, for about two years; proceeded to Europe for further studies in 1919, and obtained the degree of B.Sc. of the Glasgow University in 1921; also attended the evening classes in "Railways and Roads" and "Design of Structures" at the Royal Technical College, Glasgow, and secured certificate of merit and stood second in the final examination. He is a member of the Institution of Structural Engineers (London); Associate member of the Institution of Engineers (India); served the Great War on the Indian Defence Force; joined the London, Midland and Scottish Railway at Glasgow as an apprentice Engineer and served for two years. Appointed as Assistant Engineer on the B.B. & C. I. Rly., but had to refuse to join as Assistant Engineer on the Jamnagar & Dwarka Railway in 1923 by a special request of H.E. the Maharaja Jam Sahib of Navanagar. Became Executive

Engineer and Deputy Manager in 1925, and was given charge of the Traffic Department in 1928 and worked as Traffic Superintendent, Executive Engineer and Deputy Manager up to 1934; elected as the President of the Kathiwar Railways Traffic and Audit Conference in 1934; officiated as Manager and Engineer-in-Chief, Loco and Car Superintendent and Stores Superintendent of the J. & D. Rly. on different occasions. Officiated as Port Commissioner, Navanagar State, from 29-5-1932 to 18-11-1932, and subsequently was appointed as Manager and Engineer-in-Chief, Morvi Railway on 4-5-1934. He is also working as Port Engineer of Morvi State; attended the meetings of the Indian Railway Conference Association as a delegate, representing the J. & D. Rly. and Morvi Railway on several occasions. Was elected member of the Rail Road Competition Committee of the Indian Railway Conference Association in 1933. Elected Member of the Commercial Committee for Interchange of the Indian Railway Conference Association since 1934; awarded Silver Jubilee Medal through the Railway Board in 1935 and Coronation Medal in 1937. Married Jorbanoo in 1926 and has one son named Russi.

Address—Morvi, Kathiawar.

Grieve, William, M.A., B.Sc., (Edin.), Director of Public Instruction, Bombay. Born on 21st March, 1885. Joined Indian Educational Service in 1914, and was appointed Head-Master, N.J. High School, Karachi, in 1914; Education Inspector, Sind, 1921; on Military Duty, 1916-1919; Inspector of the European schools in the Presidency, in 1924; Assistant Director of Public Instruction, 1926; Deputy Director since April, 1926; acted as Director of Public Instruction for eight months, 1932-33. Was a nominated member of the Bombay Legislative Council, 1930.

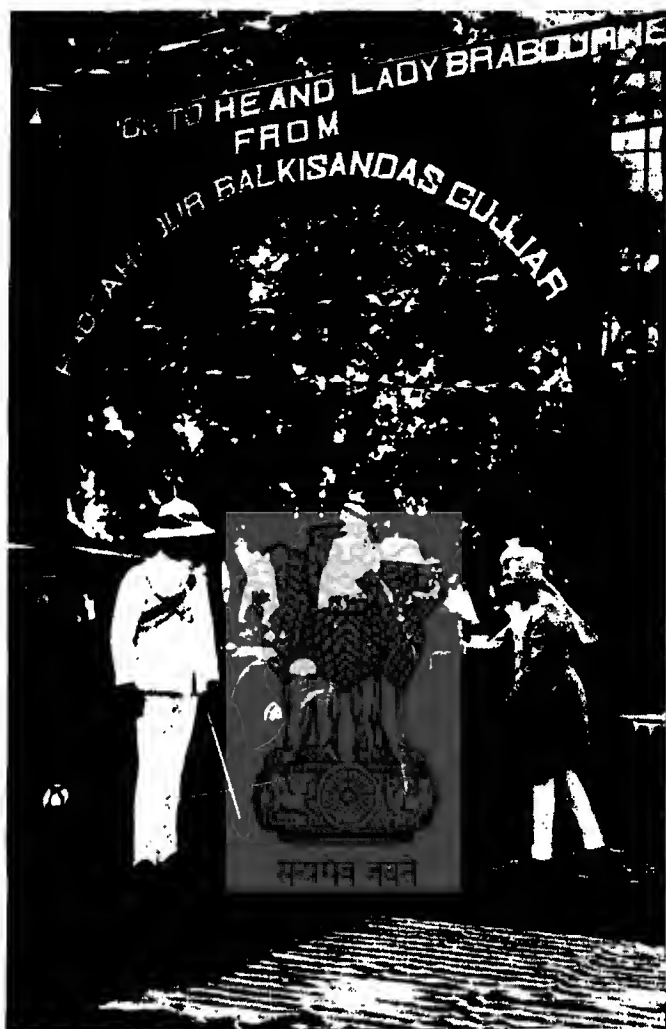
Address:—Poona.

Gulliland, Colin Campbell, Secretary and Clerk of the Course, Royal Western India Turf Club, Ltd. Born on 2nd December, 1892, he was educated at Oundle School. He joined Messrs. F.W. Heilgers & Co., London in 1912. He came to India and was in Calcutta from 1914-1915. He served with Indian Cavalry from 1915-1919, and saw active service with 82nd Lancers, Iraq from 1919-1920. He became a Partner of Messrs. Croft and Forbes, Exchange Brokers, Bombay, and served as Member of Committee, Chamber of Commerce, Bombay, in 1929. He joined Royal Western India Turf Club, Ltd., as Assistant Secretary in November, 1929.

Address—5, Burnett Road, Poona.

Gujjar, Rao Bahadur Balkrishnadas alias Babushet Venkatidas. of Bagalkot, comes of an old and well-known family from Bagalkot and is the son of a rich Banker, Venkatidas Tukaidas. Born on 21st August, 1895, he received his vernacular education at Poona. In 1909 he married (1st marriage) Miss Manibai, daughter of Krishnadas, a leading merchant of Indore, and in 1932 he married (2nd marriage) Miss Sardabai, daughter of Bhagwandas of Ahmedabad. (One son from the 2nd wife). After leaving school, he joined his father's business as banker. With head office in the name of "Tukaidas Gulubdas" at Bagalkot, he has established branches at Bombay "Venkatidas Tukaidas" and also with the same name at Bagalkot. He also owns the Venkatidas Tukaidas Ginning and Press Factory and Rao Bahadur Balkrishnadas Venkatidas Ginning Factory at Bagalkot and another Ginning Factory at Hungund. He is a partner in "Parappa Sanguppa Palled," Commission Agent at Bijapur and Bagalkot. In addition to his professional activities, he has also been giving much of his time and labour for public work. As President of the Bagalkot Municipality in 1928, he has done very useful work to the people of Bagalkot. He takes a keen interest in all social and educational movements in Karnatak. He has given away large sums for educational institutions. His philanthropic generosity is seen by a munificent donation given to complete the building of the I s l a m i a School, "Babushet Building," Belgaum. He has also given charities on a large scale to Hindu temples, Muslim dargahs, schools, libraries and farm houses without any distinction of caste or creed. He has contributed a large sum for the Punine Kolof in 1927 at Bijapur. He was made a Rao Bahadur in 1928. He has mature knowledge in scientific and mechanical works and has a liking in carpentry and fretworks, etc. He is also a good musician.

Address:—Bagalkot or Thalankwadi, Belgaum.



Rao Bahadur Balkrishnadas *alias* Babushet Venkatidas Gujjar receiving H. E. Lord Brabourne when His Excellency visited his (Rao Bahadur's) Residence at Thalakwadi, Belgaum.

Gupte, Bhalchandra Maheshwar, M. A., LL. B., Advocate; Member, Bombay Legislative Assembly, Poona. Born in 1895. Educated at Nutan Marathi Vidyalaya and Ducean College, Poona. Married on 23rd May, 1915, with Miss Kumbhabai, daughter of late T. R. Kotwal, retired



Judge, Small Causes Court of Ahmedabad and Member, Executive Council of Baroda (one son and two daughters). A man of keen intelligence, Mr. Gupte had successful academical career, and having won Sanskrit honours and Dakshina fellowship at the Ducean College in his B.A. examination he secured in 1919 his Master's degree in Economics and Politics. A sincere, selfless and unostentatious congress worker he has taken part in all the various congress activities in Maharashtra, and has been the President of Poona District Congress Committee for the last two years. Mr. Gupte has remarkable capacity for teamwork a quality particularly useful in those days of democratic organisation. He was a detainee under Emergency Powers Act in 1933, and subsequently prosecuted for breach of order and acquitted at the trial. He is the chairman of the company which is responsible for the publication of Lok-shakti newspaper

(a Marathi daily), which is the chief organ of the Congress in this part of the Presidency. Though through the Congress he is associated with agitative campaign, he combines in himself constructive capacity also. He has been connected with many educational, financial, local self-government and co-operative institutions, some of which he has served with conspicuous success. Salient features of his activities are: President, Naveli T.L.B., 1925-28; Member, D.L.B., 1928-34; Member, Poona City Municipality; Member, Poona District School Board, 1926-1928; Chairman, Poona Central Co-operative Bank, 1934-36; President, Poona District Co-operative Institute; Chairman of the reception committee of Maharashtra Co-operative Conference; Honorary lecturer at the training class for officers conducted for the Local Self-Government Institute; Editor of the Local self Government quarterly, in Marathi and ex-Editor of the Co-

operative quarterly; Director, Bank of Maharashtra Ltd.; Member, Governing body of Samarth Vidyalyaya, oldest institution of National Education in Maharashtra. He drafted on behalf of the local Self-Government Institutions a full and complete village Panchayat Bill embodying all the popular suggestions. It was admitted even by Government that this bill was of much use in the drafting of their own bill which has now become the Act of 1933. Gave evidence before the Provincial Banking inquiry committee as one of the witnesses on behalf of the Poona Central Co-operative Bank. In personal capacity also submitted to the committee a special note on the Deccan Agriculturist Relief Act. Elected to the Bombay Legislative Assembly as a Congress Candidate from Poona City Constituency in 1937, defeating L. R. Bhopalkar, President, Democratic Swarnj Party in one of the keenest fights in India. Defied District Magistrate's order regarding music before Sonya Maruthi Temple, as a protest against encroachment on the civil liberties of a large mass of people.

Address—410, Shanwar Poth, Poona 2.

Gulamjilani, Bijlikhan, Sardar Nawab of Wai is a first class Sardar of the Deccan



and a Treaty Chief. He comes of a very respectable Muslim family. Born on 28th July, 1888, he received his education at the Rajkumar College, Rajkot. He served with the Imperial Cadet Corps for two years from 1906-08. He was an additional Member of the Bombay Legislative Council and Member of Legislative Assembly from 1921-28, and also elected Vice-President of the Bombay Presidency Muslim League. As Hon. A. D. C. to H. E. the Governor of Bombay in 1929 and President of the State Council, Jaora

State, he has earned a name in the public eye. He is permanent President of the Satara District, Anjuman-e-Islam, and is doing his very best for the amelioration of his countrymen. He takes a keen interest in all educational and social activities not only in Wai but also outside the Presidency. He was married to the sister of H. H. the Nawab Sahib Bahadur of Jaora. His son, Sahibzada Saeeduddin Haidar, is 20 years of age, and is studying in Bombay.

Address :—The Palace, Wai, Satara District.

Guzdar, Fram Nusserwanjee, Landing and Shipping Agent, Bombay. Born on 5th



October, 1898. Matriculated from Bhurda High School in 1918, and further studied in St. Xavier's College, Bombay. Married on 21st January, 1937, with Miss Gulestan, daughter of Shrivax P. Lala of Ville-Parle. Leaving college, joined his father's business in Nusserwanji S. Guzdar & Co., well-known cotton merchants and Shipping Agents. He is a keen collector of autographs. His album includes very rare signatures of the royalties of Europe, late Shah of Persia, late King Nadirshah of Afghanistan and several viceroys of India. A keen sportsman and a great traveller, and he is very popular in business and social circles.

Address—Canada Building, Home Street, Fort, Bombay.

Guraswamy, Kenekal Nettakallappa, Excise Contractor, Bangalore City, was born in the year 1900 and is the son of late Rao Subho K. Nettakallappa, of Kenekal, Bellary Dt. He was educated in St. Joseph's College, Bangalore, and after he left the collegiate course, he was



assisting his father in the expansion of Excise Contracts, not only in the Mysore State, but also in British presidencies. In dedication to the memory of his late revered father, he has done yeoman services to humanity. He has donated a big sum to the New Maternity Hospital and to the Krishnarajendra Hospital, and has handed over a school to the Government built at Arudi, his Jodi Village. Apart from these, he has done innumerable charities. In recognition of his several charities, the Government of Mysore has

been pleased to award him a first class Public Service Medal.

He is an amiable young man with sportive habits. Having taken a keen interest in shooting as his hobby, he has been of immense help to the villagers. He takes keen interest in the development of banking and industrial institutions in and out of the Mysore State. He is a Director of the Bangalore Bank, Ltd., and also of the India Sugars and Refineries, Ltd., Hospet.

Address.—Shahapur and Bangalore.

Guzdar, Nusserwanji Sorabjee, Landing and Shipping Agents, Bombay.



Born on 6th May, 1871. Educated at St. Xavier's High School, Bombay. Married in March 1908 to Miss Gulshanoo, niece of late Sir Jahangir, Kolhari of Karachi. His father, Sorabjee Pranjee Guzdar, was a landing and Shipping Agent to Tate & Sons. His son, Mr. Nusserwanji, has continued the same, also doing cotton-purchasing work for some well-known mills. He has continued business connections with the Tatas from his grandfather, and by his enterpriso, he has increased it largely and is also doing for Mitsui Bussan Firm for forty-two years and for the great Wadins for twenty-five years. He made a 16,000 miles flight in the Graf Zeppelin from Germany to South America and back in June, 1934. A Britisher congratulated him saying "You have made such record that will enhance the already established reputation of your enterprising community. Out of 350 millions of Indian people, you are the only one who has flown without stopping 5000 miles in 68½ hours and a record flight of 16,000 miles in thirteen days." He has given substantial donations to Parsoo charities and he is always ready to help others irrespective of caste and creed.

He has visited several times Europe, America, China and Japan.

Address—Chinoy Mansion, Colaba or Canada Building, Hornby Road, Fort, Bombay.

Guzdar, Hormusjee Bapujee, Retired Manager, Leopold Cassella & Co. (unincorporated into Havoro Trading Co.), Bombay. Born on 22nd May, 1853. He was educated at Proprietary School and Sir J. J. Parsoo Benevolent Institute, Bombay. Married on 20th May, 1870, Miss Baehnbai, daughter of Pranjee Dorabjee of Bombay. (Two sons and two daughters). His father late Bapujee Cusrojee, was in the employ



of Ewart Latham & Co. After education Mr. Hormusjee started life in Solicitors Firm in 1872. Was Editor, "Akhare Sodagar," Bombay for seven years. Joined Messrs. Volkart Bros. and served there for eight years. Joined Messrs. Leopold Cassella & Co. in 1896, and after thirty-five years service in the company retired as its Manager in 1925. The Bombay office of Leopold Cassella & Co. presented him with an address, recognising his services. The said Company also gave him pension of Rs. 1000 per month for life. A man of great experience and knowledge in auditing colours, he commanded great influence in the Company. He made the first trip to Europe in 1902; second trip in 1912, and the third trip in 1933, and gained great experience in the lucrative industry.

Address—Beach House, Nepan Sea Road, Bombay.

Hakim, Kassmalli Bapusaheb, B. A., Excise Commissioner, Kolhapur State. Born in 1893. Educated at Rajaram High School and College, Kolhapur and St. Xavier's College. He was Municipal President of Kolhapur Municipality in 1921. Appointed as first class Magistrate for three years. He served a Magistrate at Gudhinglaj and Puhale, Appointed Excise Commissioner in 1930.



Address :—Mangalwar Peth, Kolhapur.

Haji Fateh Mohamed Khan (Khan Sahib), M.B.E., is a prominent Army Contractor, Landlord and a First Class Honorary Magistrate of Quetta and is Managing Proprietor of Khair Mohamed Bros., one of the oldest firms of Army and Air Force Contractors in India. He is also one of the Directors of the Canteen Contractors Syndicate Ltd., Karachi. He served on the Quetta Nominated Cantonment Board during 1924-33, and was Municipal Commissioner during 1920-35. He served His Majesty's British Government during the Chithral Field Force, 1895, Malakand Expedition, 1897-98, Marris Expedition, 1917, Afghan War, 1919, and the Great World War, 1914-18. In recognition of his unswerving services to the Crown he was awarded Medals and Bars for Relief of Chithral, 1895, Punjab Frontier War, 1897-98, Afghan War, 1919, Great World War, 1914-18, General Service Medal, 1914-18, King's Silver Jubilee Medal, 1935. His Firm was complimented by His Excellency the Viceroy and Governor-General, 1917, and was granted the warrant of appointment by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief, 1919. He was granted the dignity of M.B.E. by His Majesty the King Emperor in 1920, after his return from his tour of the British Empire, France, Germany, Italy, Turkey and Egypt. The Sanad of Khan Sahib was conferred on him in 1930. He was proposed and accepted a Fellow of the British Empire Exhibition, 1924. He is a Member of the Overseas League, London, and a Member of the All-India Muslim League. He helps all good and deserving causes in general, and those of the community in particular. The Khan Sahib is one of the few lucky survivors of the tragic Quetta Earthquake of 1935. He suffered heavy losses both in many dear lives and property, as many as fourteen members of his family including servants and property worth lakhs of rupees, including stores, equipments and furniture, etc., of the Royal Air Force headquarters, to whom he was contractor at the time. He was himself lying buried under the debris for about six hours and was fortunately pulled out by one of his personal attendants. He is rather optimistic, as he still intends, and has arranged, to settle there again. He has once again been selected as Municipal Commissioner for Quetta.

Address—Ghorpuri, Poona.



Khansaheb Haji Fatch Mohamed Khan, M.B.E., Poona.

Haji, Haiderally Haji Bachocally (Khansaheb), J. P., Member, Bombay Port



Haj Committee, Merchant and Landlord, Bombay. Born on 24th July, 1894. Educated at Khan Mahomed Hashih A. V. School, Khoja Mahodha, Bombay. Married in 1910 to Miss Shirinbai, daughter of Alidina Tadak Hamji of Bombay (one son, Hajee Abdul Razak and daughter, Miss Noorbai). His father, late Khan Bahadur Hajee Bachocally, J. P. founded the "Khan Bahadur Haji Bachocally Free Ophthalmic Hospital" at Parel which cost Rs. 50,000, of which Mr. Haiderally is one of the trustees. Khan Bahadur Bachocally died on 28th April 1933, leaving four sons and six daughters, Haji Haiderally being the eldest. After completion of his education, Haji Haiderally joined his father's business. He is a trustee of several charitable institutions. Created J. P. 1928. Appointed a Member, Haj Committee, 1934. A Treasurer, Islam Club; President of Khan Bahadur Hajee Bachocally Free Ophthalmic Hospital at Parel. Takes a keen interest in Haj pilgrims and a trustee, Shia Ismail Jamat Mosque.

Address :- -Bachocally House, Sandhurst Road, East Durgri, Bombay No. 9.

Haji, Ali Mahomed Jalaluddin, J. P. Merchant, Landlord, Corporator and Presi-



dent, Milk Merchant's Association, Bombay. Born in 1885. Educated at Elphinstone High School, Bombay. His father Jalaluddin was a prominent figure in Mahomedan Community, died in 1921. After his education, Mr. Haji Ali Mahomed joined his father's business. He is President of Anjuman-e-Mashayakhi

Momin. Was President, Madrasa Hafasia, Bombay and several madressas in Idar State for nearly twenty years. A leader of the Momin Caste, he was elected to the Bombay Presidency Corporation from "E" ward in 1932. Re-elected to the Corporation from "D" ward in 1935. Also served as a Member, C. T. Hospital and Haj Committee. Presided over the Gujarat Momin's conference at Sindhpur, 1927. During the Communal riots in Bombay, he was appointed President, Peace Committee of "C" ward. Also a trustee of Hajrat Pirampir Milk Market. President, Hack Victoria Owner's association, Bombay and Mutawalis of Islampura Jamat. President, Milk Merchants' Association, Bombay from 1932.

Address :- Islampura, Bombay.

Haldipurkar, Krishnarao Ramchandra, B. A., LL. B., Pleader, Karwar.



Born on 25th July, 1894. Educated at Karwar High School and Deccan College, Poona. Passed Matric, 1910. B. A. (with Honours in Sanskrit from Deccan College) 1915. Was a Daxina Fellow, Deccan College, 1915-1917. Also Editor, Deccan College Quarterly. Served as a Professor of English at K. E.

Society's College, Dharwar 1920-1921. Was Secretary, Taluka Congress Committee, Karwar, 1921-1924. Passed LL. B. (Poona Law College) in 1926. Started practice at Karwar in 1926. A Member, District Local Board School Board, 1926-1929. Is closely connected

with the Boy Scout's Association, Karwar. Also a member, Managing Committee, Native General Library, Karwar. One of the founders and President since inception of "Sarvajanic Vachanhalaya" of Karwar. An eminent lawyer and an active public worker, he is liked by all.

Address:—Karwar, North Kanara.

Halemani, Parappa Phakirappa.
M. B. B. S., L. R. C. P., M.R.C.S., (England).



Medical Practitioner, Hubli, Dist. Dharwar. Born on 2nd February, 1901. Educated at Government High School, Dharwar, Karnatak College, Dharwar, Grant Medical College, Bombay, and Middlesex Hospital and London Hospital. Passed Matric in 1921. Passed Inter-science in First Class from Dharwar College in 1925. A Shirsangi Trust Scholar, he stood very high in all Medical Examinations; M.B.B.S. in 1929. Proceeded to England for higher studies, in 1931 and passed Primary F.R.C.S. in 1932; Final conjoint L.R.C.P. and M. B. C. S. in 1933. Returned to India in August, 1935. His career was brilliant and he is the recipient of testimonials from William Wright, Dean London Hospital Medical College (University of London). He started practice in Hubli in 1935 and is having a large clientele.

Address—Durgadball, Hubli, Dist. Dharwar.

Halkatti, Rao Saheb Phakirappa Gurubasappa, B.A., LL.B., Pleader, Bijapur.



Born in 1882. Educated at Government High School, Dharwar, and Deccan College, Poona. Married in 1896 with Bhagirithibai, daughter of Tama-nappa Chickodi of Banhatti, State Jamkandi (three sons and two daughters). Passed Matric 1896; B.A. 1901; LL.B., 1904. Commenced prac-

tice at Bijapur, 1905. Started Lingayat Educational Association, Bijapur, 1910, and the Shri Sidheshwar High School, 1917, for which the Dharma Day Fund was organized by him. Nominated Member of the Bijapur Municipality, 1910-13 and 1915-19, and acted as Vice-President and Chairman of the Managing Committee for some time. Was Hon. Organizer of the Co-operative Societies in 1914, and started The Weaver's Co-operative Society in 1914, the Sidheshwar Urban Bank in 1912, and was its Chairman from 1912-20. Started the Cotton Sale Society, 1921, and was its Chairman from 1924-30. The Building of the Sheppard Hall was started and completed by him. Organized the Karnatak Literary Conference at Bijapur of which, he was the Chairman, Reception Committee, 1923. Presided over the All-Karnatak Literary Conference, 1926 at Bellary. He was Secretary of the District Agricultural Association from 1913-20 and introduced iron ploughs and conducted a farm and was President, Bijapur Taluka Development Association, and is one of the Directors of the Anti-Famine Institute. Was elected to the District Local Board from the Taluka Local Board, Bijapur, 1910, and was its member for three years and Vice-President, Taluka Local Board Bijapur, for the same period. Was a Member of the Senate of the Bombay University being elected by the Municipalities of the Southern Division in 1931. A Member of the Kanarese Board of studies in the University since 1926. Also a Member of the Vernacular School Book Committee, Dharwar. Was an elected Member of the Bombay Legislative Council from Bijapur District, 1921-24. Was Government Pleader and Public Prosecutor from 1923-26. Organized the first non-Brahmin Conference at Bijapur 1918 and was one of the Members of the Lingayat Deputation to late Mr. Montague, 1917. Presided over the 11th session of the All-India Lingayat Conference at Dhar-

war, 1933. Presided over the 11th Session of the Sangli Rayat Parishad held at Rabkavi in 1931. Has been the Editor of Navakarnatak, a weekly and a monthly "Shivanubhava." Edited and published fifty-two old Kannarese books, several with notes and annotations dealing with the work of Lingayat Saints of 13th to 15th century, of which thirty-five have been recognized by the Educational Department of the Bombay Government, and some of them are used as text-books in the Universities of Bombay and Mysore. Created Rao Sahab, 1918. Has been a Member of the Karnatak Unification Committee and presided over its Conference at Dharwar, 1928; is appointed as a Member of the Executive Committee of the Provincial Scott Council Bombay in 1937, and is Member of the Governing Body of the Lingraj College, Belgaum.

Address—Bijapur.

Hall, Rt. Rev. George Noel Lankester, M.A. (Cambridge) 1918; Bishop of



Chhota Nagpur since 1936. Born on 25th December, 1891. Educated at Bedford School and St. John's College, Cambridge. First class Classical Tripos parts I and II and First class Theological Tripos part II. Vice-Principal, Bombay Theological College, 1919-25; S. P. G. Missionary, Diocese of Chhota Nagpur, 1925-36.

Address—Bishop's Lodge, Ranchi, Bihar.

Hamil, Hary, B.A., Secretary to the Public Services Commission, Government of India. Born on 3rd August, 1881. Educated at the Royal Academical Institution and Queen's University, Belfast. After graduation he served in the British and Indian Army, 1917-19. He joined the Indian Educational Service in 1919. Married Hilda Annie Shipp. In September, 1919, he was appointed Professor of English Literature in the Deccan College, Poona; Elphinstone College, Bombay in 1922; acted as Principal of the Government College at Dharwar in 1923; Ahmedabad in 1924. He assumed charge of the Elphinstone College, Bombay, in June, 1926. Connected with the University of Bombay for nearly sixteen years, as a Member of the Senate, the

Academic Council and the Syndicate. He was instrumental in effecting many reforms in the University and always had the strong support of his Co-Senator. He was also President of the English Board of Studies. Was Officer Commanding the University Training Corps Battalion, 1919-26.

Address—Now Delhi.

Hamidali, Mrs. Shareefah. Vice-President, All-India Women's Conference, Satara.



Born in December, 1884. The oldest daughter of Mr. Abbas Tyabji, Ex-Judge of the Baroda High Court, she was married in 1908 to Mr. Hamid Ali, I.C.S. Started classes for children in Sind and a Maternity Home at Larkana. Was a co-opted Member, School Board, Larkana, 1925-27; was a delegate from Sind to the first session of the All India Women's Conference at Poona, 1926; Presided over the Sind Women's Conference, 1926; was elected Chairman of the All-India Women's Conference, 1928. Also presided over the Provincial Sessions of the All-India Women's Conference held at Lucknow. Was Chairman of the All-India Women's Education Trust Fund. One of the organizers of the Asian Conference and represented the Asian Conference at Geneva, 1933. Gave evidence along with Rajkumari Amrit Kuar, Dr. Mrs. Muthuluxmy Reddy before the Joint Parliamentary Committee, 1933.

Hammond, William Henry, M.A. J.P., F.R.C.S., M.R.S.T., V.D., Hon. Presidency Magistrate and Principal, Anglo-Scottish Education Society, Bombay. Born on 20th April, 1886. Educated at Warwick School, Worcester College, Oxford and Trinity College, Dublin. Married Dorothy Dymoke, daughter of late H. Dymoke of Serveloby Hall, Lincolnshire. Lieut.-Col., Commanding Bombay Battalion, 1931.

Address—Cathedral and John Cannon High School, Fort Bombay.

Hardas, L.N., M.L.A. About twenty-nine years of age. Pioneer in C.P. & Berar movement



amongst depressed classes for elevation and exercises considerable influence over the M a h a r community. Displays a keen interest in the education of adults since 1921. Founder of the Depressed Classes Federation, and General Secretary since its inception in 1927. Also the founder and General

Secretary of the C.P. & Berar Vidi Labour Union. Edited "The Maharatta," a Marathi weekly newspaper in 1928. Appeared as a witness before the Royal Commission on Labour under Mr. Whitley during its tour in Nagpur. Submitted memorandum of C.P. and Berar depressed classes to the Indian Statutory Commission. One of the founders and Secretary of the All-India Depressed Classes Congress held in Nagpur to select a representative of the depressed classes for the Round Table Conference and Chairman of the R.C. of the second session held in Kampton to support the demand of Separate Electorates for the depressed classes. One of the Framers and Signatory to the famous Poona Pact. Identified himself with the social and educational revival movement of the depressed classes which played an important part during the political crisis. Organiser and General Secretary of the C.P. & Berar Branch of the Independent Labour Party formed by Dr. B.R. Ambedkar in Bombay in 1936. Elected to the provincial Legislative Assembly in 1937 and now leads the party.

Address—Kampton, C.P.

Hampton, Henry Verner, B.A. (Dub), (First Class Honors and Gold Medalist in Philosophy); Dip. Ed. M.A., J.P., Fellow of the Bombay University, Principal, Secondary Training College, Bombay. Born on 1st May, 1890. Married Stella, only daughter of late Sir George Townsend Fenwick, K.C.G.M. Educated at Trinity College, Dublin. Appointed to I.E.S., 1913; Prof., Gujarat College, Ahmedabad, and Elphinstone College, Bombay, 1914-20; Vice-Principal, Karnatak College, Dharwar, 1920-23; Principal, Karnatak College, Dharwar, 1923-30; Principal, Secondary Training College since 1930. Publications: Editor, "Indian Education," 1919-23.

Address—Secondary Training College, Crickshank Road, Bombay.

Harrison, Arthur Neville John, B.A., (Oxon), Chief Auditor, B. B. & C. I. Railway, has to his credit a record of thirty years' service in India. Born on 15th September, 1881, he was educated at Cheltenham College and Lincoln College, Oxford, where he was elected to a Modern History Scholarship in 1900. He married Helen Zoe Foote, youngest daughter of the late R. Bruce-Foote, F.R.C.S. He came out to India in 1905 and was posted to Madras in the Public Works Department Accountants Branch as Asst. Examiner. After five years in Madras he was appointed Asst. Auditor, Eastern Bengal State Railway Calcutta. In 1914 he became Auditor of the Jodhpur Bikaner Railway. Another ten years passed, and Mr. Harrison became Deputy Chief Auditor of the B.B.&C.I. Railways, and was made Chief Auditor in 1926 succeeding Sir Ernest Jackson, who became Agent. He continued in that appointment till 1923 when he acted as Agent, when Mr. Braysbury acted as Chief Commissioner of Railways. Though verging upon fifty-four years, Mr. Harrison keeps good health and takes an all-round interest in various sports.

Address—B. B. & C. I. Railway, Churchgate St., Bombay.

Hasan, Shaikh Mohamad, B.A., LL.B., (Leeds); Barrister-at-Law; M. L. A.; Jalgaon,



Dist. East Khandesh. Born on 5th January, 1906, at Faizpur (Khandesh), he was educated at Garud High School, Dahanu, Elphinstone College, Bombay, King's College, London and Leeds University. Passed B. A. 1929 (Bombay), LL.B., 1932. Called to the Bar in January, 1933

(Lincoln's Inn). He was President, Hindustan Association of Leeds University, 1931-32. Was Founder and Treasurer of Islamic Society at Leeds University. He started practice at Jalgaon from November, 1933. He is elected President of the East Khandesh Muslim Education Society and a Nominated Member, School Board, Jalgaon; Editor, Young Men's Muslim Association's Magazine, Bombay. Re-elected member, Jalgaon Municipality since 1935; Elected Vice-President Municipality in 1936; Elected to the Bombay Legislative Assembly from East Khandesh in 1937; Re-elected Secretary of the Muslim League Party, 1937.

Address—Jalgaon, Dist. East Khandesh.

Hartley, Major-Gen. Alan Fleming.

C.B. 1936; D.S.O. 1917; to be Commander, Waziristan District from October, 1937. Born in 1882; son of late Reginald Hartley, M.D. Educated at Charterhouse; R.M.C., Sandhurst. Married, 1914, Philippa, daughter of late P.H. Osborne, Enniscorthy, New South Wales. Joined 68th Durham Light Infantry, 1901; transferred to 11th Bengal Lancers (Probyn's Horse) 1905. Served South Africa, 1901-2 (Queen's Medal with three clasps); European War 1914-18, in France, Belgium, the Balkans, and Iraq (despatches three), D.S.O., 1914 star, two medals; N.W. Frontier of India, 1930 (despatches), C.S.O. 2, A.H.Q. India, 1921-23; Instructor, Staff College, Quetta, 1925-26; Commandant, Probyn's Horse, 1927-30; Imperial Defence College, 1931; Commander, 4th (Secunderabad) Cavalry Brigade, 1932-33; Director of Military Operations and Intelligence, A.H.Q., India, 1933-36; Major-General 1936.

Address—*c/o* Glyn, Mills & Co., Whitehall, S.W. 1.

Hasenalli Sher Mohamed, Khan Bahadur, Agent, Belgium Steel Combined

Agent for Czechoslovakian State Railways in India and Representative, Prague International Fair. Born on 17th September, 1894. Educated at Blenheim High School, St. Xavier's College, and Davar's College of Commerce, Bombay. Married in 1918 with Mariambi, daughter of Haji Jaffer Jan-

mahomed of Bombay. She died in 1924 leaving a son. Remarried in 1925 Fatmahai, daughter of Haji Ahmed Moledina of Bombay. (two sons and three daughters). After completion of education, he started life as a trade agent in 1918. Amidst his business activities he also finds time to attend to various shades of public work. He was a Member, Bombay Suburban Municipality and its Chairman for two years; a Member, Bombay Suburban District Local Board for three years; Chairman, Bench of Hon. Magistrates, Bandra. He was created Khan Bahadur in 1932; Knight of Order of Crown of Belgium in 1934; obtained a Government diploma in recognition of merit from Czechoslovakian Government. He was Vice-President of the Local Committee of Paris Exhibition.

The Czechoslovak Republic has conferred on him the Order of the White Lion for Civil Merits (Fifth Class) on 20th July, 1936.

Address—Mohomed Building, Khadak, Bombay.

Hasanally Adamally, Merchant and Hon. Magistrate, Bhusawal. Born in 1875.

Educated at Bombay. Came to Bhusawal from Bombay forty years ago. Was a Railway, P.W.D. Irrigation Contractor for twenty-six years. Member and Chairman of Bhusawal Municipality for ten years. A member, T.L.B. for two years. President, Young Muslims Club and Public

Muslim Library, Bhusawal.

Address—Bhusawal, G.I.P. Railway.

Hattiangadi, Shankar Rau, B.A., C.I.E., Ex-Controller of the Currency, Calcutta, on

leave. Born on 29th September, 1887. Educated at Christian High School, Udipi, Government College, Mangalore, and Presidency College, Madras. Married Uma Bai on 12th June, 1905. Held non-gazetted appointments in the offices of the Accountant-General, Bombay and the Controller of the Currency, Calcutta (1907-22); Superintendent, Government of India Finance Department (1922-24). Appointed to Indian Audit and

Accounts Service and as Assistant Secretary, Government of India Finance Department (1924). Under-Secretary, Government of India Finance Department (1925); Deputy Secretary, Government of India Finance Department (1926). Budget Officer, Government of India Finance Department (1926-31). Deputy Controller of the Currency, Bombay, (1931-35). Controller of the Currency, Calcutta (1935). Nominated Member of the Legislative Assembly (1927, 1930 and 1931). Was Hon. Secretary, the Saraswat Co-operative Housing Society, Ltd., Gamdevi, Bombay (1915-19). Vice-President, Kanara Saraswat Association, Bombay (1917-18). President, Kanara Saraswat Association, Bombay, (1931-32). President, Mahasabha of Chitrapur Saraswats, Shirali (1932). Is author of (1) "English Poetry and Indian Thought" (published in periodicals), (2) "Tales from Society" (published in periodicals), (3) "Family Budgets" (published in periodicals) and (4) "The Chitrapur Saraswat Directory," 1933. He is one of those who were slightly injured in the Assembly Bomb incident, 1929.

Address—2, Laburnum Road, Bombay 7.

Hay, Major William Rupert, C.I.E.,
1934; Deputy Secretary to the Government of



India in Foreign and Political Department since 1936. Born 16th December, 1893; son of William Alfred Edward Hay and Louisa Tucker. Educated at Bradfield and University College, Oxford. Married in 1925 to Sybil Ethel Abram, and has three sons and two daughters. Served European

War in Mesopotamia (mentioned in despatches); entered Political Department Government of India, 1920; Political Agent, South Waziristan, 1924-1928; Assistant Commissioner or Joint Deputy Commissioner, Murdan, 1928-1931. Political Agent, Jalakand, 1931-33. Counsellor, British Legation, Kabul, 1933-1936. Fellow of the Royal Geographical Society. Publication: "Two Years in Kurdistan." Recreations: Tennis and shooting. Club.—East India United Service.

Address: Foreign and Political Department, Govt. of India, New Delhi or Simla.

Heblikar, Sardar Laxmanrao
Narsingrao alias Abasaheb, Jahagirdar



and Hon. Magistrate, Dharwar. From the earliest records it is revealed that the forts of Ramdurg and Nargund and the territory surrounding them were in possession of Appaji Soore, the founder of the family. Aurangzeb took possession of those forts in 1692. Appaji had been in the service of the Maharaja of Kolhapur as Prime Minister. He was sent on an invasion of Karnatak, and in consideration of the valuable military services rendered by him, the Maharaja had granted to him a portion of the Deccan lying between the rivers Chhatraprabha and Tungabhadra. In 1707 Ramarao Dadaji Bhau in the service of Appajirao managed to take possession of the forts of Nargund and Ramdurg. Ramarao managed the Samasthan during Appaji's old age and was guardian for Balwantrao, the son of Appajirao. Balwantrao obtained Peshwa's consent to occupy the forts in 1758. According to Govt. Gazetteer, Balwantrao obtained the Jahagir of Hobli from the Peshwa in 1748. Bhaskarrao, son of Ramarao Bhau, took possession of the Samasthan from Balwantrao, and a pension was given to Balwantrao. Later he got the village of Hobli in lieu of the pension.

The foregoing account is from The Gazetteer article on Ramdurg. According to the same authority Hobli was given as Jahagir by the Peshwas in 1748. While Appajirao's successors were quarrelling amongst themselves Balwantrao obtained a Sanad from the Nawab of Savnur

in 1748, and with his help wrested Nargund and Ramdurg from Appaji's successors. The Nawab was humbled by the Peshwas and was forced to surrender the territory including Hobli and Nargund to the Peshwas. Peshwas withdrew their help to Balwantrao and allowed Bhaskarrao to oust him. Balwantrao thus lost the whole of his estate including Hobli and was reduced to receiving pension. Finally Hobli was restored to him and the pension was stopped. Subsequently one Bhaskarrao Appasaheb commonly called Babasaheb Desai of Nargund was hanged for revolting against the British in 1858, and all his possessions were seized. Govt. thus came in to the possession of Nargund records. In 1817, Raghunathrao, the great-grandfather of Laxmanrao Narsingrao Hoblikar, subject of this life sketch, assisted the British against Tipu in settling and restoring peace in the territory round about Dharwar. In recognition of the valuable military services two villages of Talwai and Kurdipar in Dharwar District were granted to him as Inam by the British Govt.

Sardar L.N. Hoblikar who belongs to the junior branch of Hoblikar family, was educated at Nutan Marathi Vidyalaya and Deccan College, Poona. Married in 1920 with Indirabai, great-granddaughter of late Sir T. Madhavrao, Dewan of Travancore and Baroda, (one son, Narsingrao *alias* Annasaheb and one daughter). His father, late Narsingrao, died in 1916, leaving one son, Abasaheb and one daughter, late Rani Yashodabai Rajendra of Deccan Hyderabad. After under-graduation in Deccan College, Poona, Sardar Abasaheb entered public life. Has been an Hon. Magistrate (2nd class) at Dharwar since 1931. Was a Member of the Deccan Dismalards Association and of Dharwar District Watandars and Inamdars Association. Also Secretary of Sir Leslie Wilson Memorial College Fund, and a Member of the Deccan College Old Boys' Association. Created a second class Sardar in 1943. He has been taking interest in the welfare of his ryots and had organised Baby and Health work in his Village for the benefit of his ryots. He takes interest in land improvement and village sanitation. He is a patron of the Red Cross Association and a life member of the Borstal School After Care Association.

Address:—Surawat Colony, Dharwar.

Heras, Henry S. J., M.A., Professor of Indian History and Director of the Indian Historical Research Institute, St. Xavier's College, Bombay. Born on 11th September, 1888, he was educated at Barcelona (Spain), Cleveland and Ohio (U.S.A.). Before coming out to India he was Prof. of History in Sacred Heart College, Barcelona, and later Principal, Our Saviour's College, Saragosa, Spain. He is

the President of Bombay Historical Society. Corresponding Member of the Historical Records Commission of the Bombay Centre and Member of the International Committee of Historical Sciences. He is the author of many interesting publications.

Address—St. Xavier's College, Bombay.

Highet, J. C., Agent, North-Western Railway, Indin. Born in 1884. Educated at Ayr Academy and Blairlodge; Royal Indian Engineering College, Cooper's Hill. Appointed Asst. Engineer, P.W.D. (Railways Branch), India, 1905; posted to Eastern Bengal Railway and employed on construction of Golakganj Chauhati extension, afterwards becoming sub-divisional officer, Saidpur; services lent to Kashmir Government and subsequently posted to the British section of Kashmir Railway survey, via Abbottabad; transferred to Oudh and Rohilkhand Railway in 1910 as Personal Assistant to Manager; in 1914 was placed on special duty to investigate re-alignments and other works in the vicinity of Now Delhi; Asst. Secretary (Stores), Indian Railway Board, 1915; Asst. Secretary, War Branch, 1916; Controller, Railway Materials, 1917; Secretary to Indian Stores Purchase Committee, 1919; Asst. Agent, N. W. Railway, 1921; and Deputy Agent subsequently; Secretary, Indian Railway Board, 1928; officiated as Agent, N. W. Railway from May to October, 1931; appointed Agent, April, 1932. Elected Associate Member of Institution of Civil Engineers, 1910.

Address—Lahore.

Hobart, Robert Charles Arthur Stanley, C.I.E. (1937); L.C.S.; Commissioner United Provinces. Born on 27th July, 1881. Educated at



Charter House and Trinity College, Oxford. Married in 1915, Mrs. Elsie Hobart, daughter of G. P. Hinds, and has one son and one daughter. Joined

L.C.S. in 1904. He was assistant collector, U.P., from 1905 to 1918; Collector and Deputy Commissioner, 1918 to 1931; Commissioner of Division since 1931.

Address—Yew Tree, Mayfield, Sussex, England.

Hodiwala, Khan Bahadur, Bejonjee Maneckjee, J. P., Honorary Presidency



Magistrate, Bombay, is a conspicuous example of a self-made man who has attained his present position by his industry and abilities. He is a prominent merchant and landlord. He was born in 1871, and is the son of the late Mr. Maneckjee Rattanjee Hodiwala. During the Great War, he assisted Government by collecting large sums of money for War Loans and Government appreciated those services in a Certificate of Merit granted to him. He also helped in various other ways. He assisted the Commissioner of Police, Bombay, by placing at his disposal his bungalow and extensive garden at Uran for the accommodation of Arab Shoiks who were kept there as War detainees under surveillance. He likewise entertained European and Indian invalid and wounded soldiers at his Uran bungalow and garden and provided them with excursions in the harbour in special launches under the guidance of the then Collector of Bombay and the Deputy Commissioner of Excises. Gifts were also made by him to the troops. When the Liquor Distilleries were at Uran, he was the first to set an example at the suggestion of Government by importing

special plant and running his distillery on up-to-date modern lines. Mr. Hodiwala was Municipal Councillor of Uran Municipality from 1911-1920, and President of Uran Municipality from 1920-1922. He was President of the Bench Magistrate's Court, Uran, from 1917-1919; was appointed a Justice of Peace, Bombay, in 1916, and Honorary Presidency Magistrate, in 1925. In 1930, the title of Khan Bahadur was conferred upon him by Government. Mr. Hodiwala is highly respected in his community, and has been known for his silent but catholic charities to deserving institutions in Bombay and in the Districts. His generous hospitality is well known. His hearty geniality and good nature have secured for him a large circle of friends in all the communities, European and Indian. He has always co-operated with Government authorities and exerted his influence for peace and harmony in times of riots and disturbances.

Address:—Rusi Mansion, Hughes Road, Bombay.

Hogg, Gilbert Pitcairn, M. A. (Glasgow), (I.S.T. (1936); C.I.E. (1932), I.C.S.; Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal. Born on 2nd, February, 1884. Married Isobel Bain. Educated at Glasgow High School and Glasgow University. Appointed to the Indian Civil Service after examination of 1907; arrived 28th November, 1908, and served in East Bengal and Assam as Assistant Magistrate and Collector; transferred to Bengal, April, 1912; Jt. Magistrate and Dy. Collector, November, 1914; Vice-Chairman Chittagong Port Commers, July, 1915; on Military Duty, October 1917 to January 1918; Offg. Additional Dist. and Sessions Judge, Assam, May, 1918; on Military Duty, August, 1918 to January 1919, and returned to Bengal; Magistrate and Collector, April, 1921; Commissioner of Excise and Salt, Bengal, September, 1923; Offg. Secretary, Government of Bengal, A and I Department, and Director of Industries, April, 1926; Secretary, Government of Bengal, Agril. and Industries and P. W. Departments November, 1928; Offg. Commr. July, 1931; Addl. Secretary to Government of Bengal, Poll. Department, October, 1932; Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal, 10th April, 1933.

Address:—Chief Secretary to the Government of Bengal, Writers' Buildings, Calcutta.

Hollins, Samuel Thomas, C. I. E., (1931); Director, General of Police and Jails, Hyderabad, Deccan. Born in October, 1881. Married Ethel, youngest daughter of T. Sheffield, Esq.

Montenotte, Cork, Irish Free State. Educated at Queen's University, Cork. Joined Indian Police, 1902, as Assistant Superintendent of Police; served in various districts as Asst. and as Superintendent of Police; Assistant to D. I. G., C. I. D. and personal Assistant I. G. Police, 1915-1918; Judicial member, Tonk State, 1921-1925. D. I. G. J. Range U. P. 1928-1930; D. I. G., C. I. D., U. P. 1930-1931; appointed Inspector-General of Police, U. P. April, 1931, and Director, General Police and Jails, Hyderabad, Deccan. July, 1935. Degree of Honour, Urdu; High Proficiency Hindi; Police Medal, 1918. Publications: "Tonk State Police Reorganisation Scheme"; "Tonk State Police Manual" "Tonk State Criminal and Civil Court Manual"; "The Criminal Tribes of the U. P."

Address:—Hyderabad, Deccan.

Hosmani, Rachappa Balappa, Forest Contractor, Landlord, Banker and Merchant,



Khanapur, District Belgaum. Born in 1897, he was educated at Khanapur. He has one son and one daughter. Mr. Hosmani takes much interest in public affairs. He has been a Member, District Local Board, Belgaum, for six years; Chairman, Urban Co-operative Bank Ltd., Khanapur for five years; A Member District School Board. As a Member, Belgaum District Village Improvement Committee and Chairman, Safety Committee, he did very useful work. He was also a Member Silver Jubilee Fund Committee, Hosmanis

are the joint family in Khanapur who are dealing in Sikikai and Hardu which are exported to Bombay and Madras.

Address—Sowcar Gully, Khanapur, District Belgaum.

Horwill, Hon. Mr. Justice, Lionel Clifford, A. R. C. Sc. (1914); B. Sc. (1st class



Hons. London) 1914; Judge, High Court, Madras. Born 19th September, 1890. Educated at the Royal College of Science and Wadham College, Oxford. Married April 25th, 1934, to Dr. Vera Nemie Walkor, M. B. B. S. and has one son, Frank Memick born 11 May, 1936. Served in the Great War.

Joined A. I. R. O. and posted to 22nd Sam Brown's Cavalry, Mesopotamia in February, 1918, with 21st P. A. V. O. Cavalry. Fought in actions Table Mountains, Tur Khumathi, etc.

Address:—Madras Club, Madras.

Hulkoti, Channabasappa Sadashivappa, B.A., L.L.B., Pleader, Gadag, District



Dharwar. Born in 1894. Educated at Municipal A. V. School, Gadag, Government High School, Dharwar, Fergusson College, Poona, and Government Law School, Bombay. Married in 1908 with late Miss Andanava, daughter of Sangappa Billa of Gadag. (two sons and two daughters) Passed Matric in

1912; B.A., 1917; LL. B., 1919. Started practice at Gadag in 1920. Chairman, Primary Education School Board, Gadag-Botigeri, from 1925-1934; Director of the Gadag branch of K.C.C. Bank from 1926-1930, and a Managing Director of the same since 1930. A Member of the Board of Directors of the Karnatak Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd.; a Sub-Government pleader since 1926; a Member of the Bombay Provincial Co-operative Institute since 1933. Elected Member, District Local Board since 1936.

Address—Gadag City, District Dharwar.

HUNS PICTURES:—This institution was started early in 1936 by three artists already famous in their respective lines: Baburao Pendharkar, the famous character actor and specialist in organisation; Pandurang Naik, the ace cameraman; and Vinayak, the actor-



Mr. Baburao Pendharkar

of Mr. P. K. Atre, Maharashtra's premier parodist. His Dharmaveer was a safe success. The 1937 programme of HUNS PICTURES is ambitious; not only are they working two simultaneous units each with two versions, but shortly they are also producing for the international market—subject in English as well as Hindi. Great artists like Chandramohan and Durga Khote are gravitating towards HUNS and experts predict that ere long the concern will be a power in the industry.

BABURAO PENDHARKAR:—Has had a varied life and a lot of experience of men and things. He launched out in life at a very young age. After reading up to the matricula-

director. These three were actuated by a common keenness to direct their art towards the problems of life. So great was their urge to blaze a trail of their own, that they gave up safe and lucrative jobs (without straining relations with their employers) and threw their lots together in the common Venture HUNS PICTURES. The success of their first production, CHHAYA, was a foregone conclusion. It was hailed as a distinctive work of art, not only in Maharashtra but also in other provinces like the Punjab, Berar and Gujarat. One important step that this powerful Huns combination took was to give a greater scope to the literary side of pictures. Thus they obtained the services of Mr. V. S. Khandekar, the noted Marathi novelist; for their first picture, and consequently CHHAYA appeared with a theme which straightway achieved "class." Likewise the second subject was from the pen

tion, he tried his hand in numerous trades; police recruit, compounder, school-master, are some of the vocations he has attempted at the beginning of his career! He really found his proper line when he joined as Manager with the Maharashtra Film Company, which was being



started by the great Baburao Painter. Since then he has been in the cinema line always in a managerial and organising capacity. After Maharashtra, he worked with Prabhat, and then Kolhapur Cinetone until finally he started his own concern, the HUNS PICTURES, in partnership with Pandurang Naik and Vinayak.

The histrionic achievements of Baburao Pandharkar are too well-known to be repeated. Every one of his roles has made screen history. 'Ganganath Mahajan' in KING of AYODHYA, 'Sonapati' in JALTI NISHANI, 'Udaya Bhanu' in SIN H AGAD, 'Dikpal' in AKASHWANI, 'Vilas' in ORPHANS of SOCIETY 'Dr. Timis' in CHHAYA and 'Deenanath' in DHARMA-VEER, are characters which every picture goor can recall with a sense of hushed wonderment. Mr. Baburao Pandharkar thus presents a deadly combination of artistic talent and business acumen. In person he is a scrupulously well-

Mr. Pandurang S. Naik.

dressed man, well-moulded and smooth—too smooth for others to feel comfortable. He has a weakness for perfumes.

PANDURANG S. NAIK:—(or 'Pandu' to his friends whose name is legion) had a modest start in life like many other great artists. Twenty years ago he started as a carpenter in the Hindustan Film Company on a salary of Rs. thirteen. After a few months he joined the Putankar Friends Film Co.; he left it to associate with the Kohinoor, a big name in the silent days. There he picked up the elements of camera craft under the guidance of M.S. Devare and V. B. Joshi. Soon thereafter he became Mr. Dubke's assistant in Laxmi Picture

and 'Nira' was the first picture of his own. Followed short periods with Fatma Film Company and Jagadish, until finally Pandurang Naik came to roost in Ranjit as a full-fledged cameraman. His work soon began to get talked about, but it was not until 'Shailbala' (in



Master Vinayak.

which he used electric lighting for the first time) that the real genius of the man was revealed. Then the talkies came and he cranked in rapid succession, 'Devi Devyani,' 'Radha Rani' and 'Kashmira'; but 'Street Angels' was the picture which was his real triumph; its photography is still discussed among the technicians. "The photography of Miss 1933" was equally excellent. After "Gun Sundari" Naik left RANJIT for a European tour (1934) with director Nandlal Jaswantlal and the late Jammadas Subedar, his comrades on the sets. On his return he joined the Imperial Film Company, and photographed "Indra M.A.," "Pujarini," and the "Wild Cat of Bombay."

In 1936 he joined Baburao Pundharkar and Vinayak as partner in HUNS PICTURES, and produced GILLHAYA the photographic masterpiece. DHARMAVIR is his latest picture. Lighting and composition are the specialities of Pandurang Naik who has been

variously called "the King of Cameramen" "The Photography Wizard," "The Celluloid Artist" and such names by admirers all over India.

VINAYAK:—In the days when the movies were not considered quite the proper thing for respectable people, many good people shook their heads sadly when Vinayak first joined Prabhat to appear as "Narad" in the "King of Ayodhya." For, Vinayak was a typical "good boy," an idealist, a diligent student and a harmless dreamer of dreams. But the talkie claimed him for good, and Vinayak the B.A. student, the eminently correct schoolmaster of Kolhapur Vidyapeeth, became a cinema star, much to the regret of his orthodox well-wishers. He, how

over, immediately made good; he was given the male lead straight away in his second picture, "Jalti Nishani" and with the role of "Gorakh" in the third picture "Maya Machhindra" he won stellar honours. He then did a short "character" in "Sinhagad" and a clever portrayal of an old man in "Sairandhree."

Vinayak left Prabhat to join Kolhapur Cine-tone; he did well as Vasudeo in "Akash wani" as "Sanjiv" in "Orphans of Society" (which he directed) and as the artist in Atority's "Song of Life."

With his own company, The H U N S PICTURES, he directed and played male lead in his first picture CHHAYA with great success. But his best achievement is the direction and his dashing role in DIFARMA-VEER.

Address—Huns Pictures, 160, Tarden Road, Bombay.

Humayun Kabir, M.A. Oxon, 1935; M.A. B.L. (Calcutta); Professor of English Literature and Philosophy, Calcutta University. Elected Member, Legislative Council, 1937. Born on 22nd February, 1906. Educated at Presidency College, Calcutta, and Exeter College, Oxford; first class first in English in Calcutta University. Married on 3rd October, 1932, Mrs. Shanti Kabir, M.A. (Neo Das), and has one son and one daughter. He was professor Andhra University, 1932-1933, and subsequently joined the present post; Secretary, Oxford Union Society; Editor, Bharat, Oxford; Editor, Presidency College Magazine; President, Philosophy section, Bengali Literary Conference, Allahabad. Author of various useful publications.

Address—Faridpur, E.B.R.

Hunter, Capt. Guy Gunning Ratcliffe, M.A. (Oxon); B. Phil; M.B.A.S., A.I.R.O., I.E.S., Professor of History, Robertson College, Jubbalpur. Born in Swindon, Wills, England. Educated at St. Bee's School and Queen's College, Oxford; First Class Honours, Modern History, 1912; Scholar of Queen's College, Oxford, 1908; M.A. 1920; D. Phil, 1930. Married Marcelle De Marigny in 1912; (sons, Alexander Hunter, Bar-at-Law; Lt. Henry B. de M. Hunter, Royal Signals). Registrar of the Nagpur University in 1923. Nominated Head of Department of History and member of first board and executive council of Nagpur University, but ceased to be Member after expiring of nomination; Member of Royal Asiatic Society, London; and of Authors' Club, London; Chairman of the editorial board of Nagpur University Journal. Served European War 1917-1919, with 2/3 Gurkha Rifles in Palestine; 1/4 Gurkha Rifles in

Baluchistan, and after armistice in political appointments in Egypt, Palestine and Syria. He is the author of many useful publications.

Address—Robertson College, Jubbalpur, C.P.

Husein, Aboobaker Baigmahomed, J.P., M.L.A. Landlord, Merchant and Corporation. Born on 16th February, 1910. Educated at Tutorial High School, Bombay. Married in 1930 with Miss Zubeda, daughter of Sir Solomon Cassam Mitha, Kt., C.I.E., J.P. (one son). His father, Mr. Aboobaker Abulrehman, J.P., is a landlord and a well-known cotton merchant of Bombay. After completion of his education Mr. Husein, the subject of this sketch, joined his father's business. Elected to the Bombay Corporation in 1932, being the youngest member of the Corporation. Re-elected to the Corporation in 1935. Also a member of the Bombay Port Haj Committee and Bombay Municipal Schools Committee. A Trustee and Hon. Secretary of the Baigmahomed Charity of Rs. 6,00,000 and of the High School which will be constructed at the cost of Rs. 60,000 on Mahomedalli Road. Elected to the Bombay Legislative Assembly in 1937.

Clubs: Islam Club, Islam Gymkhana, Orient Club, and W. T. Club.

Address—Noor Mansion, Chaupatty Sewage, Bombay No. 7.

Ignatius W. P., Proprietor, Jaya Bharnathan Co., Madras. Born on 29th August,

1899. Educated at Cochin, Calicut, Trichinopoly and Madras; passed B.A. in 1919 and completed B.L. in 1921, but left as a non-cooperator without taking the degree. Married in 1926 and has two daughters and one son. Was prominently connected with the Congress; elected several times as a member, All-India Congress



Committee; jailed twice; led the first South Indian batch to the Nagpur Flag Fight in 1923 and was imprisoned; was in charge of the Central Khadi Production Centre, Tirupur, Chief Organizer of the All-India Khadi Exhibition in 1927; Organising Secretary, the Hindi Movement in South India; a good public speaker and journalist. Later took to

Swadashi Commerce, started in 1929 the now famous **Jaya Bharatham Co.**, Madras. They are manufacturers of reputed patent medicines (Digesto, Jabco's Malaria Cure etc.), toilet soaps, inks, etc. under The "Jabco" brand and Representatives of many well-known Indian articles.

Address—7, Kondi Chetti Street,
G. T. Madras. Phone 2314;
Tel. Manorama.

Iqbal, Sir Mahomed, Poet and Philosopher. Born in 1877 at Sialkot, he was educated at Scottish Mission College, Sialkot, Government College, Lahore and Cambridge. He was appointed lecturer in the Oriental College, Lahore; visited Germany; Ph. D. (Munich University), Professor of Arabic (London University); Was a member of the Punjab Legislative Council; Attended the Round Table Conference.

Publications—"Himalayan Mountain" (1921), "Fayami Masbiq" 1925.

Address—Lahore.

Irani, Khan Bahadur Ardeshir
Merwan, Merchant and Managing Partner



Imperial Film Company, Bombay, is a man of great intelligence and determination. Born in December, 1886, he received his education at the Sir J. J. School and afterwards at the New High School, Bombay. Married Bannbai, daughter of Behran Sharash Irani of Bombay. He was for some time in the Police Department. It has never been pleasant to his temperament to be under shackles of official life. He, therefore, joined his father in the business of musical instruments at Bombay which he soon developed into a group

of concerns he still owns. In the days when there were no film-producing concerns in India, Khan Bahadur Ardeshir Irani was one of the few independent importers of foreign films. He was also for some time agent for the Universal Film Company, of U.S.A. who at present trade in India as the Universal Pictures Co-operation of India. In 1914 he took Mr. Abdulali Yusufally as partner, and was one of the earliest to own cinema theatres, in Bombay and elsewhere. Khan Bahadur Ardeshir was one of the first to produce films in India and the present Imperial Film Co., was ultimately evolved out of his indefatigable efforts and knowledge of film craft. His personality and experience are responsible for the many outstanding pictures produced by the Imperial. In fact the Imperial attained its full stature as an outstanding film producing concern of India when Khan Bahadur Ardeshir Irani produced and released the first full-length Indian talkie. He now has also a controlling interest in the Premier Studios of Dadar, Bombay. Khan Bahadur Ardeshir is a heavy contributor to charity through film medium. Imperial's special films of the Bihar and the Quetta earthquakes made by command of H. B. the Viceroy, besides having had world-wide distribution, proved the means of contribution to H. B. the Viceroy's Relief Fund. Thanks to Khan Bahadur Ardeshir's enterprise, the Imperial Film Company now owns the exclusive rights of the world famous Cinecolour process of Hollywood whereby it will be possible for Imperial to make for the first time in India all-coloured process pictures.

Was made Khan Bahadur in 1932 and he is the first among the Irani community in Bombay to get this title.

Address—Master Mansions, Chowpatty,
Bombay.

Irani, Hormusji, Kaikhusró,
Agriculturist, born in Bombay, 1895. Educated



at Proprietary High School, Bombay. Married in 1919 with Shorinbai, daughter of Hormusji Irani of Bombay. He came to Dahamu at the age of nineteen and started business. His father, Kaikhusró, came from Persia fifty years ago and settled in Bombay. In the year 1937 he is awarded III Kaisori-Hind medal by

the Government for his Public services. He is Member of the Thana District Local Board;

Member of Dahann Taluk Board; Member of Thana District Village Panchayat Committee; Member of Hunan Dispensary Committee; Member, Excise Advisory Committee; Member of Veterinary Dispensary Committee; Member of Thana District Permanent Fire Relief Committee; Member of Mahaluxmi Dohadi Fund; Vice-President of the Village Uplift Committee; Vice-President of the North Thana Fruit and Vegetable Growers' Association Ltd. From 1932 to 1934 he was President of the Village Panchayat, Dahann Road. Also obtained several medals in Agricultural Exhibitions for growing best fruits and flowers. His fruit and flower gardens are well known in the District and he is known among the people as "King of Roses." Homi has by his sweet manners endeared himself to all.

Address:—Near Railway Station, Dahann Road, B. B. & C. I. Bly.

Irani, Khan Saheb Aspandiar Rustum, Government Contractor, Poona.



Born in 1881. Married in 1903 with Miss Kaisar, daughter of Jamshed Irani of Persia (two sons—oldest son Rustum Aspandiar, Irani B.A., studying at Cawnpore; and second son Sorah, helping his father in business). Since 1907, Khansahab has worked in various capacities as a Military, P.W.D., Municipal, Forest and Abkari Contractor. In the midst of his professional activities, he played a

prominent part in various public activities. As a member, Poona City Municipality for six years; a Member District Local Board for three years, he rendered much useful service.



Mrs. A. R. Irani

As a welfare worker he has rendered help to several families. He has intimate knowledge of the condition of the poor labourers and his advice is always considered to be valuable. He is ever ready to take up any work of public interest, and when once he takes it up, he puts his heart and soul into the work. He was awarded the title of Second Lt. in 1918. Created Khansahab in 1919.

Address—407, Quarter Gate, Nana Peth, Poona City

Irani, Ardesbir Khurshedji, alias Keikhusru, Agriculturist, Gholvad. Born in 1854. Educated at Bombay. Married with Sunabai, daughter of Mol Behramshaw of Morabad, Persia. (Three daughters and one son, Mr. Homi, who is looking after his father's business). He is the Chairman of the Parsee Fire Temple, Bardi. He has donated a sum of Rs. 30,000 for building a Girls' School at Khoran Shai in Persia through the Irani Association of Bombay.

Address—Baug-N-Arum, Gholvad, District Thana, B. B. and C. I., Railway.

Irani, Rustom Ardeshir, B.Sc., A.M.S.M. (Lond), F.G.S., F.R.G.S. (Lond), Specialist in reinforced Cement Concrete and Mining Engineer and Geo-physical Investigator, Bombay.

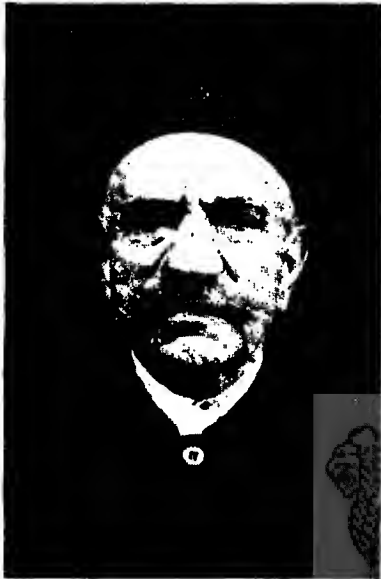


Born on 8th Feb., 1911. Was educated at Bharda New High School, St. Xavier's College, Bombay and University College of London. His father, Mr. Ardeshir Irani who was a priest, died when Mr. Rustom Irani was fourteen years old. He had to prosecute his studies by means of tutions and Scholarships, which enabled him to proceed to England for further studies. A man of great engineering skill, Mr. Irani is responsible for the earthquake-proof buildings at Quetta,

Bihar and Orissa. Has also designed public parks and buildings in England, India and Germany. A self-made man Mr. Irani is a great asset to his Parsee community in India.

Address—Central Bank Bldgs., Esplanade Road, Bombay.

Irani, Kaikhushroo Ardesir, General Merchant & Army Contractor, Camp,



Ahmednagar. Born in 1862 at Kerman (Persia). He came to Bombay in 1871 at the age of ten and began his career in a Steam Navigation Co., travelling so far as Aden. Thereafter he started his own business in Bombay and his industrious and straight forward nature soon brought him a name there. As he found the field in Bombay rather limited he removed to Ahmednagar in 1892, and founded the firm which since then is going on prosperously under the name of "Messrs B. J. Irani & Co.,". In 1891 he married Bai Gulnar, the daughter of Mr. Sarosh Shawksha Irani— (Ganji), father of Khan Bahadur K. S. Irani of Ahmednagar. He has two sons, Mr. Dinshaw K. Irani, Hon. Magistrate and President, Taluka Local Board Ahmednagar, etc., and Mr. Sarosh K. Irani, General Manager of Sarosh Talkies and Sarosh Motor Works Ltd., Ahmednagar, and three daughters. A man of simple and industrious habits, pious and impartial and charitably disposed. He has won the hearts of all the Cantonment and City population, so much so that people choose to get their quarrels settled

by him rather than going to the Court. In Cantonment area he is known as "The Grand or Bada Irani Sahib" and it is said of him that no person who approached him for help came away disappointed. He has subscribed generously to all charitable causes in the City and Cantonment area. He is the sincere friend of the poor and healing balm of the afflicted.

Address :—Camp, Ahmednagar.

Irani, Khan Bahadur Kaikhushroo Sarosh, Merchant and Landlord. Born in



Bombay in 1878, he received his early education at Ahmednagar, and entered Govt. service as a cashier in the P.W.D. for three years. Joined the business of his brothers-in-law, Messrs. K. A. Irani and B. J. Irani in the Cantonment. He soon got on to the top notch of the ladder and established himself as a leading citizen of Ahmednagar and a prominent member of his community. His trade activities are many and varied:—Partner of Messrs. Hassaram and Kaikhushroo Ginning Factory in Ahmednagar; Govt. Contractor, P.W.D.; Regimental Contractors in Poona and Ahmednagar; Proprietor, Sarosh Motor Works, Ahmednagar and Nasik, Sarosh Cinema and General Stores in Ahmednagar. Among his public services the following may be considered very important:—He maintained a poor house in Ahmednagar during the famine period; built a Maternity Ward in the Cantonment Hospital in partnership with Messrs. K. A. Irani and Haji Ibrahim; President of the Nagar Taluka Board in 1926; Chairman of the Standing Committee of the City Municipality 1920-30-31 and as Chairman of the Sanitary and Building Committee of the Municipality in 1932; recipient of Govt. Sanads in appreciation of his useful services during the three Censuses. He was made Khan Sahib in 1921 and Khan Bahadur in 1933.

Address—Ahmednagar.

Italia, Dinshaw Dadabhai, Military and Civil Contractor, Landlord and Banker, Hyderabad, Deccan. Born on 11th March, 1882, at Chikhli in Surat District. Educated at Hyderabad, Deccan. Married on 19th February, 1904, with Miss Baimai, daughter of late Pestonjee Dobara



of Navsari. (One son and seven daughters; his son Jamshet, B. Com. (Birmingham) is engaged in Agricultural experiments at Warangal and also a member of the Madras Aero Club). His father, late Dadabhai Mooljee, came to Hyderabad from Chikhli in Surat District about 1881 and started business, later in 1888 Mr. Dinshaw came to Hyderabad and after completion of his education in 1904 joined the father in his business. His father, Dadabhai, died in October, 1920, at Warangal. The business is conducted in the name of Bhicaji Dadabhai & Co., and Mr. Dinshaw is the managing partner. He is also a member of the Local Advisory Committee of the Nizam's State Railway for the last five years; a Director of the Local Advisory Board of the Central Bank of India Ltd., and Andhra Bank Ltd. He has been Director of the Central Co-

operative Bank at Warangal. He has paid more than a lakh towards charity, principal of which are contributed to a High School at Chikhli which is named after his father "Dadabhai Italia High School," and a Girls' School which is also named after his father "Dadabhai Italia Ranya Shala"; has built a Town Hall at Nizamabad, and is erecting a Maternity Hall at Warangal. Has contributed for a special ward in the Leprosy Hospital at Diehpalli (Nizamabad Dist.).

Address—Din Lodge, Station Road, Hyderabad, Deccan.

Ishwardas Lukhmidas, Sir, Kt. J.P., Merchant and Landlord, Hon. Presidency Magis-



trate, Ex-Sheriff of Bombay (1924-25), and President of his own community, Kapala Bania caste. Born in 1872, he was educated at St. Xavier's School, Bombay. He has been connected with Messrs. David Sassoon and Co., for many years. He is a Member of the Bombay Municipal Corporation and is on the Managing Committee of the Society of the Hon. Presidency Magistrates of Bombay. His commercial activities may be estimated by his presence on the Directorate of several well-known companies, including the Port Canning and Land Improvement Co., Ltd., the Sassoon and Alliance Silk Mill Co., Ltd., and the Union Mills. He is a trustee of Sir Narottamdas General Hospital, and of Hackisandas Technoy Phipson Sanitarium for women and children, Nasik, and President of the Managing Council, Sir H. Narottam General Hospital. He is a trustee and Member of the Managing Committee of the Lady Northcott Hindu Orphanage and of the Board of David Sassoon Industrial and Reformatory Institute and a number of other charitable and philanthropic institutions in Bombay. Member of Board of G.T. Hospital Nursing Association. Director, The Bundi Portland Cement Co., Ltd., The Punjab Portland Cement Co., Ltd., The Lonavla-Khandala Electric Supplying Co., The Panvel Taluka Electric Supply and Development Co., The Nasik-Dauladi Electric Supply Co., Ltd., Member, Indian Merchants' Chamber, represented Indian Merchants' Chamber on the Bombay Corporation and Port Trust for several years.

Address—Garden View, 19 Hughes Road, Bombay.

Ittyype, A.I., B.A., Managing Director, Kottayam Bank Ltd., Kottayam. Born on



13th September, 1900. He was educated at C. M. S. College, Kottayam, St. Thomas College, Trivandrum and Christian College, Madras. He was an elected Member of Kottayam Municipality for eight years; and its Vice-president in 1935. His guidance and advice in the

affairs of the town was sought for and it was his credit that he was elected President of the said Municipality in 1936. He is a Director of Mamalay Tea Estates, Ltd.; the Travancore Rubbers Ltd.; the Kottayam Printing and Publishing Co. Ltd.; Co-operative Bank Ltd., etc.

Address—Kottayam, Travancore.

Ivanios, The Most Rev. Mar. O. I. C., B.D., M.A. Metropolitan Archbishop of Trivandrum. Born at



Muvvelikara, Travancore, on 21st September, 1882, he passed his M.A. at the University of Madras in 1907. Mar Ivanios (Fr. P. T. Gevorgis) was the Principal of the M.D. Seminary, Kottayam, the foremost educational Institution of the Jacobite Church in

Travancore, 1908-12. He then became Professor of Economics and Syriac at the Serampore College (University of Calcutta), 1912-19. In 1919 he left Serampore and founded the Bethany Orphanage, Poor Dispensary and established the Brotherhood and Sisterhood of the Imitation of Christ, which keep the rule of St. Basil. He was consecrated Bishop of Bethany with the Episcopal title of Mar. Ivanios on the 1st May, 1925, and was installed Metropolitan of Bethany on 15th February, 1928. His Grace along with his Suffragan Mar Theophilos, Bishop of Tiruvalla, made his submission to His Holiness the Pope in September, 1930, and paid his Ad Limina visit to His Holiness the Pope in

May, 1932. His Holiness, by the Apostolic Constitution "Christo Pastorum Principi" dated 11th June, 1932, established the Ecclesiastical Province of Trivandrum and the Hierarchy for the Malankara Syrian Rite, appointed Mar Ivanios as the Metropolitan Archbishop of Trivandrum. His Grace presided over the 12th Annual Session of the Malabar Catholic Congress, 1931, and attended the 32nd International Eucharistic Congress in Dublin and lectured at a meeting of the Congress (Oriental Section) held in the University College under the presidency of His Eminence Cardinal Bourne. He again lectured at the International University Congress Fribourg, Switzerland, in 1932.

Address—Archbishop's House, Trivandrum.

Jadav, Rasesheb Vandravan Chhotalal, B.A., Managing Director, Surat



People's Co-operative Bank, Limited and Gujarat Urban Banks Co-operative Supervising Union Ltd. and Proprietor, Finance and Accounting Agency. Born in 1886 (Jyestha vadi 15 Samvat 1941). Educated at Bhavnagar High School, Surat Sarvajani High School, and Elphinstone College, Bombay. Married in 1908 with Samukhgauri, daughter of Thakordas Mathuradas. Passed B.A., 1908. Worked in Indian Specie Bank 1908-13. Teacher, Union High School, Surat 1914-15. Started College of Commerce and Finance and Accounting agency in 1915. Started Surat Peoples' Co-operative Bank 1922. Has floated Gujarat Investment Trust, Ltd. in 1934, a Joint Company, with a share-Capital of Rs. 5,00,00/- which is being worked on the lines which such trusts are conducted in Britain and America. Has floated in 1936, Gujarat Safe Deposit Company, Limited, with a share-Capital of Rs. 3,00,000- and The Surat Finance and Investment Agency Ltd., with a Share-Capital of Rs. 2,00,000- in 1937.

District Hon. Organizer, Co-operative Societies since 1922. Director, Surat District Co-operative Bank Ltd. since 1918. Member, Provincial Council, Bombay Provincial Co-operative Institute since 1928. Director, Bombay Provincial Co-operative Insurance Society from 1932 to 1935. Director, Surat Co-operative Milk Supply Society 1927; Hon. Treasurer, Surat Mahila Vidyalya, 1920; and Union Education Society 1929; Member Managing Committee, Sarvajani Education Society, 1927; Hon. Secretary, Hindu Nirashrit Fund Mahajan Committee, Surat, 1929; Director, Bombay Provincial Co-operative Bank, Ltd., 1929-1931; Member, Advisory Committee, Surat Vanita Vishram; President of Co-operative Conference held at Kosamba (Baroda State) and Hansot (Ankleshwar) 1929 and President, Silver-Jubilee Functions of Jambusar People's Co-operative Bank, Ltd. in 1934.

Address—Gopipura, Main Road, Surat, B. B. & C. I. Bly.

Jadhav, Bhaskarrao Vithojee Rao.

M.A. LL.B. Born in May, 1867; he was educated at Wilson College, Elphinstone College and Government Law School, Bombay. He served in Kolhapur State and retired as Revenue Member of the State Council. He started the Maratha Educational Conference in 1907 and revived the Satya Shodhak Movement in 1911 and has been a prominent member of the Non-Brahmin movement in the Presidency from its inception. He represented the claims of the Maratha and allied communities before the Joint Parliamentary Committee in England in 1919, and secured the seven reserved seats for them. He was nominated member to the Bombay Legislative Council from 1922-23 and represented Satara in the last two elections. He was made Minister of Education from 1924-26 and 1927 to 1930. He was nominated to the two previous sessions of the R.T.C. He is the President of the Satyashodhak Samaj; Member, Legislative Assembly, 1934; Chairman, Board of Directors of the Warden Insurance Co., Ahmedabad.

Address—Kolhapur.

Jagatnarayan, Pandit, Advocate, Chief Court of Oudh. Born in December, 1863. Married Srimati Kamalapati, daughter of P. Sham Narayan Sahab Rana. Educated at Canning College, Lucknow. Non-official Chairman, Lucknow Municipality; Chairman, Reception Committee, 31st Indian National Congress; Member, Hunter Committee; was Minister, U. P. Government, for Local Self-Government and Public Health; Vice-Chancellor of the Lucknow University.

Address :—Golagani, Lucknow.

Jafri, Khan Bahadur Dr. S. N. A.,
B.A., LL.D. Bar-at-Law. M.R.A.S. (London),



Gold Medalist and Life Member of the International Historical Society of France, comes from a family of Allahabad, U.P., which has been long known for its high traditions of light and learning, and which produced many reputed ulemas. Even today several members of this family are eminent theologians with their followers spread all over India. Born and bred under such surroundings Dr. Jafri had an inherent taste for learning and when he was placed under the old system of Arabic studies he very soon showed marks of brilliance and capacity to grasp. After completing his courses in Oriental studies he was put to English School and by making rapid advance from stage to stage, he graduated with distinction from the Allahabad University in 1906.

In 1909 he joined the Government service as a Tahsildar and was very soon raised to Deputy Collectorship and worked as Sub-Divisional Officer of various tahsils in the United Provinces. By dint of his ability, character and straight-forwardness he continued to rise in popularity among his people and favour at the hands of officials. He was appointed a Census Officer in 1911 and worked with marked ability. On the outbreak of the Great War he was placed on special duty as a Recruiting Officer, and later held the posts of Land Acquisition Officer, Survey Officer of Nazul buildings and lands, Income-Tax Officer Nazul Officer and Election Officer and in all these capacities his work received adequate recognition.

In 1926, taking a long leave from service, he went abroad and made extensive tours throughout Europe and other countries. He also utilised this leave in achieving further academic distinctions, and was called to the bar from the Hon'ble Society of Grey's Inn. He was also a research scholar in Economics

at the London School of Economics, and specialised in the art of public speaking and Indian Finance before coming back to his country and joining his service after leave.

In 1929 he was chosen for the important post of Publicity Officer in the United Provinces Government; and his work in this capacity was so marked by ability and distinction that he was appointed Deputy Director, Bureau of Public Information, Government of India in October, 1932. He was appointed Special Publicity Officer in connection with the Bihar Earthquake of 1934 and officiated as Director of Public Information during June and July of 1934. In 1935, when Mr. L. M. Stephens went to England on long leave he officiated as Director of the Information Bureau. He also went to Gwatta in connection with the earthquake disaster and his publicity work in this connection received highest approbation both from the public and the Government. In May 1935, he was awarded a Silver Jubilee Medal in recognition of uniformly brilliant record of Government service, and the title of Khan Bahadur was conferred on him in the Birthday Honours' list of June, 1935. Married to Begum Fatima Jafri. Issues—five sons and one daughter.

He is a speaker and writer of great reputation both in English and Urdu, and some of his works have been very highly commended by eminent critics. Some of his well known works are:—

1. A History and Status of Landlords and Tenants in U.P. (English), proscribed as a text book in Economics Honours in the Allahabad University.
2. An Introduction to the Assessment of Income-Tax (English).
3. Constitution of the World (Urdu).
4. Bharatmata (Urdu).

Address:—Home Department, Government of India, Simla and Now Delhi.

Residence:—Allahabad, U.P.

Jairamdas Daulatram, Journalist and General Secretary, Indian National Congress. Born at Hyderabad Sind in 1892. Graduated in Law in 1915 and practised at Karachi, 1915-1919; Joined the Home Rule Movement 1916; took part in Satyagraha Movement, 1919. Member, All-India Congress Committee, since 1917; Editor, "The Bhurawasi," 1919-1920; participated in the Non-Co-operation Movement, 1920-1921; Editor, "The Hindu and Vaidmataram," 1921; sentenced to two years rigorous imprisonment; General Secretary, Hindu Mahasabha, 1925-1927; Editor, the "Hindusthan Times," Delhi, 1925-1926; Member, Bombay Legislative Council, 1926 but resigned; joined Satyagraha Movement in connection with the Salt Act. Jailed four times during the Political Movement and released in June, 1934.

Address:—Hyderabad, Sind.

Jambotikar, Shrimant Nagojirao, alias Babasaheb Dattajirao Sir Desai of Jamboti, Taluka Khanapur, District Belgaum, is a 2nd class Sardar in the Decan. Born on 25th February, 1913, he was educated at Sardar High School, Belgaum. Married on 2nd June,



1930, to Miss Pramilaraje, daughter of Rao Sahab Khar-dekar, Sir-Las-khar Bahadur of Kolhapur, and grand-daughter of Late Sampatrao Gaikwad, brother of H.H. the Maharaja Gaikwar of Baroda, and has two sons and one daughter. A patron of the Union Gymkhana, Belgaum, he takes keen interest in sports, hunting and village uplift. He takes part in social activities and loyalty meetings. He has taken a prominent part in the Royal Coronation celebrations held on the 12th of May, 1937, at Belgaum. He has formed a Cricket

team of which he is the Captain. A man of generous nature and amiable manners, he is liked by all. He has also donated big sums to the Union Gymkhana and the Women Welfare Association.

Address—128, Camp, Belgaum.

Jall, Dhanjishaw Maneckji, Proprietor and Principal, Zoroastrian Boarding School,



Deolali. Born on 1st November, 1861. Educated at Mhow. Married on 6th March, 1896, with late Manockbai, daughter of Cooverjee Dinshaw of Mhow, and has two daughters. After passing Matric, he served as a teacher in a Parsi School at Mhow in 1890. Came to Deolali, 1907, and served under Mr. Talati the founder of Zoroastrian School which was founded in the same year. Since 1914, he has been the sole Proprietor and Principal of the School. He served Mr. Talati so faithfully that the latter transferred the full management of the School to Mr. Jall. The School is one of the best managed Parsi Boarding Schools in India. He was a Member, Deolali Contonment Board; a Member, Local Parsi Anjuman and its Treasurer.

Address:—Z. B. School, Deolali, G. I. P. Railway.

Jamiat Rai, Diwan Rai Bahadur, C.I.E., 1911; Diwan Bahadur, Kaiser-i-Hind Gold Medal, (1930); Bar to the medal 1935. Born in 1861. Married in 1891. Educated at Bhowm, Kokat and Gujrat. Entered Government Service, 1880, served in 1880, Political Office with Kuram P.M., 1880; accompanied Afghan Boundary Commission, 1885-1886; special duty, boundary settlement of Laghari Barkhan, 1897; Assistant to the Superintendent

of Gazetteers of Baluchistan, 1902-1907; services acknowledged by Government of India, on special duty in connection with revision of Establishments, 1910; Assistant to Superintendent of Census Operations, Baluchistan, 1910-11; Ex Assistant Commissioner, 1912; Settlement Officer, Baluchistan, 1912; Provincial Superintendent of Census for Baluchistan, 1920-22; Patron, Hindu Panchayat; and S.D. Sahab; Provul Vice-President, Dufferin Fund Committee; Member, Provincial Council Boy Scouts; Honorary Treasurer G.G. Association and also Ex-Committee Red Cross Society; Grammar School Committee; V.P. McMahon Museum Committee. One of the founders and patrons of Brown Gymkhana and of Sandeman Library and Ex. Vice-Chairman of Quetta Municipality. President, Baluchistan Shabi Jirga, 1926-1936. Publications: "History of Freemasonry in Quetta," "Reports on the Settlement of Duki" and "Barkhan," Notes on (1) "Domiciled Hindus," (2) "Hindus of Kandahar and Ghazni," (3) "Punjab Menial Castes and Sweepers," (4) "Afghan Pawindhas," (5) "Achnakzi Pathans" (6) "Shinwar" (7) "Shorad Valley" and (8) "Gogi Shrine and Hinglay" "Revenue rates and economic conditions" (9) "(Natts) a Wandering Tribe" (10) "Kharan State" (11) "Hindus of Dhadar," (12) "Cottage Industries of Baluchistan" (13) "Administration of Justice in Rural Areas of Baluchistan" (14) "Notes on the Study of the Brahui language" (15) "Manual (in Urdu) of Pushtu conversation" (16) "Translation into English of Balochi Text Book" and (17) "Translation into Urdu of Bengali (Giridharan)" (18) "Manual of Customary Law for Baluchistan."

Address:—Quetta.

Jamasandekar, Anant Ganesh, Shroff and Jeweller, Kolhapur. Born on 18th April,



1896. Educated at Harihar Vidyalaya and Private English High School, Kolhapur. His father, Ganesh, started a jewellery shop in 1898. His brothers, Shankar and Murli-dhar in jewellery business and other brother, Shridhar, has gone to Japan to study cultured pearls. Was president of Daivadrya

Boarding for six years and a Member, Taluka Local Board in 1933. Was also chairman of the Shroff Association.

Address:—Gujari, Kolhapur.

Jamnadas, Morarjee, J.P., Share Stock & Finance Broker, Bombay. Born on 24th



February, 1884. He was educated at New High School, Bombay. Married in 1901 to Bukhannanibai, daughter of Seth Hirji Shoshakaran, and has two sons and one daughter. His various activities include: -A Trustee and Director of The Bombay Stock Exchange, since 1915; President or Trustee of several Institutions of Maugrol viz. Jain Pathshala, Panjirapole, Shrinani Samaj and Maugrol Building Society, Ltd.; Director of Bombay Talkies, Ltd., Director of Marunagar Sugar Mills, Ltd.; President, Shrawika Ashram Palitana—Principal Founder of Bombay Stock Exchange Clearing House. He has built a Sanatorium at Lonavla, in memory of his late son, Shantilal; and other charities include Shrinani Boarding, etc.

Address—Kosidouce, Ghodbunder Road, Santa Cruz.

Office:—8-10 Dalal Street, Fort, Bombay.

Jamshed, Nusserwanji, Merchant, Karachi. Son of Khan Bahadur Nusserwanji B. Mohta, he was born on 7th January, 1886. Educated at Karachi. He was President, Karachi Municipality, 1922-1932; Mayor, Karachi Corporation, 1932-33; Chairman, Sind Provincial Co-operative Bank, Buyers' and Shippers' Chamber; Provincial Commissioner, Sind Scouts; President, Karachi Health Association; Vice-President, Indian Merchants' Federation of Commerce and Industry.

Address—Machi Mani Road, Karachi.

Jatar, Lt. Col. Nilkanth Shriram D.S.O., (1917); Inspector-General of Prisons C.P., Nagpur. Son of the late Rao Bahadur Shriram Bhikaji Jatar, C.I.E., Narayan path Poona City. Lt. Col. Jatar was born in 1887. He passed M.R.C.S. (England) and L.R.C.P. (London) in 1914; Served European War 1914-1919, latterly in Waziristan (Despatches D.S.O. with Bar, 5th Class Order of White Eagle of Serbia with Swords). Married first in 1907, Bhagirati, who died in 1922, and secondly in 1922 with Vimala, daughter of B. S. Dixit of Allahabad.

Address—Nagpur, C.P.

Javeri, Padmanabh Ramrao, B. A., B. T.; T. D. (London), Administrative Officer;



District School Board, Ahmednagar. Born in 1892. Educated at Elphinstone High School and Wilson College, Bombay and Day Training College of London University. Married in 1935 with Miss Venubai Chaudhari, B. A.; B. T. Assistant Teacher Government Girls A. V. School,

Ahmednagar. Passed B.A. 1921; B. T. 1926; T. D. 1930. Served as Headmaster, Karsi Municipal High School for eight years; was a teacher, Ram Mohan English School, Bombay, 1918-1926; appointed an Administrative Officer, District School Board, Ahmednagar in December, 1934. Was also a Scoutmaster in Bombay and takes keen interest in village uplift. He has organised a Boy Scout Association for the District of Ahmednagar, and has been appointed now as the Assistant Scout Commissioner of the District.

Address:—Chavpati Karanja, Ahmednagar.

Jayatilaka, Hon. Sir Don Baron, Kt. (1932); B.A. (Cal.); M.A. (Oxon.); M.R.A.S.; Vice-Chairman of Board of Ministers and Leader of State Council and Minister for Home Affairs, Ceylon. Born on 13th February, 1868; son of D. D. Jayatilaka. Married in 1929 to Mallika, daughter of Shri Devarakshita Batuntudawo, Pandit. Educated at Vidyalankara Oriental College, Kelaniya; Wesley College, Colombo; and Jesus College, Oxford (B. A. Cal. 1898; B. A. Oxon. 1913; M. A. 1916). Was Barrister-at-Law (Lincoln's Inn), 1913; Advocate of the Supreme Court of Ceylon.

1913; Principal of Ananda College, Colombo, 1900-1910; President, Young Men's Buddhist Association, Colombo, since 1898; Member of the Legislative Council of Ceylon, 1924-1931; Member of the State Council since 1931. Has revised and edited, number of old Sinhalese works; is Honorary Chief Editor of the Sinhalese Etymological Dictionary.

Address:—"Delaware" Horton Place, Colombo, Ceylon.

Jayle, Dr. Moreswar Chintaman. J. P. was born in October, 1880. Educated at



Popat Pabharan Ayurveda College. Passed A. A. M. S., 1904. Commenced practice at Dadar and Mahim. Took active part in educational and civic matters. Entered Corporation from G. ward, 1910, and still continuing as a member for the last twenty-four years, having been elected nine times. Appointed on Schools Committee and the Standing Committee of the Corporation for several years, and was Chairman of both the Committees, in 1922. Chairman, Improvements Committee; Mayor of Bombay, 1933-1934; Created J. P. and Honorary Presidency Magistrate in 1911; Chairman of the Board of Directors, General Education Society; through his efforts, Dadar Hindu Gymkhana was started in Shivaji Park. He opened the 10th All-India Medical Conference Exhibition. During his Mayoralty, two important things, namely, the amalgamation of the Improvement Trust with the Bombay Municipality and the Drainage Scheme for the North of the Island costing about thirty lakhs, have been undertaken by the Corporation.

Address:—Mayor Building, Dadar, Bombay.

Jedhe, Keshaverao Marutirao, M.L.A., Poona. Born in 1896. Educated at Poona



High School and Fergusson College, Poona. Married in 1920 to Miss Venubai, daughter of Dagdoba Shitole of Mul, Keregaon, District Poona. Started Non-Brahmin movement in Maharashtra, 1918, and Tarun Maharashtra party 1921. Jedhe Mansions was the Headquarters of the Non-Brahmin movement, 1918. Opposed presentation of an address to late Mr. Tilak, 1920. Started volunteer corps to welcome Prince of Wales, 1921. Started a Weekly Shivsarak, 1923. Started a daily, Major 1924. Elected to Municipality; Started most powerful Chhatrapati Mela during Ganapati festival. Was sentenced to six months in the sensational case as publisher of Deshaache Dushman (enemy of the country) but was acquitted in 1925. Started with the assistance of late Mr. Javalkar a weekly "Kaiwari" in Bombay. Was General Secretary of the Bombay Presidency Presidents' Conference held to oppose the small Holdings Bill, 1928. Was sentenced to three months rigorous and a fine of Rs. 1,000/- in connection with C. D. movement, 1929. Again sentenced to six months rigorous and a fine Rs. 50/- in connection with Congress movement. Vice-President and Chairman of Servants of Untouchables Society, Poona Branch, 1933. Was President of Borar and C. P. Agricultural Associations' Conference held at Amraoti on 10th December, 1933. Also took part in the Mahad and Parvati Temple Satyagraha. Collected a sum of Rs. 5,000 and erected a fine building in memory of the late Shahu Maharaj of Kolhapur in 1929.

Address:—Jedhe Mansion, 997, Shukrawar Peth, Poona.

Jeejeebhoy, J. R. B. Born 29th September, 1885. Son of Rustumjee Byramjee Jeejeebhoy



and Anand, daughter of Sir Jamsetjee Jeejeebhoy, Bart (2nd). Educated at St. Xavier's School and College, Bombay, Deccan College, Poona, and the London School of Economics & Political Science, London. Married (1911) Miss Curothai J. C. Jamsetjee Jeejeebhoy, and has two sons, viz. Jamsetjee (b. 1912) and Rustumjee (b. 1924). Delegate, British Association for the Advancement of Science, which met at Winnipeg, Canada, in 1909. Secretary since 1919 of the Western India National Liberal Association; Delegate, Parsee Chief Matrimonial Court, (1921 to 1925); Member, All-India Council of the National Liberal Federation of India since 1921; Managing Trustee, Byramjee Jeejeebhoy Institution since 1925; Honorary Treasurer, Bombay Presidency Released Prisoners' Aid Society since 1928; On the Council of the Society for the Protection of Children in Western India, Bombay Presidency Association and Western India National Liberal Association; Director, Bradbury Mills, Ltd. since 1923 and was also Director of Muneekjee Petit & Framjee Petit Mills, The Colaba Land, New City & New Grant Eastern Mills, Mombay, Royal Asiatic Society Library, Bombay Branch. Trustee, Sir Jamsetjee Jeejeebhoy Charity Fund and Poona Panjrapol since 1922, and the Nav Anjuman Fund, 1923. Appointed Justice of the Peace, 1933, and Honorary Presidency Magistrate, 1934.

"Publications:" Some Unpublished and Later Speeches and Writings of the Hon'ble Sir Pherozshah M. Mehta, (1918), "Non-Co-operation, Its Pros & Cons," (1921). Has written articles in several Memorial Volumes, Jubilee Numbers, annual publications and in various journals on historical subjects. Has travelled on the Continent of Europe, Canada and America.

Address: -Alice Buildings, Hornby Road, Fort, Bombay.

Jenkins, William John, M.A., B.Sc. (Agri. Edn); Officiating Director of



Agriculture, Bombay Presidency. Born in Edinburgh, Scotland, on the 27th October, 1892. Educated at George Watson's Boys' College, East of Scotland Agricultural College and Edinburgh University. Served during the Great War (1914-1918) in the Royal Field Artillery in

France, Mesopotamia and Palestine. Graduated in 1920 as Master of Arts and Bachelor of Science (Agriculture). Joined Indian Agricultural Service in December, 1920, and held charge of post of Plant Breeding Expert from 8th January 1921 to 16th March 1921. Appointed as Deputy Director of Agriculture, North Central Division (Nasik and Khandesh) in August, 1921. Services placed at disposal of Government of India as Deputy Secretary, Indian Central Cotton Committee, Bombay, on 24th May, 1926. Officiated as Secretary, Indian Central Cotton Committee in 1926 and in 1929. Services placed at the disposal of Governing Body, Institute of Plant Industry, Indore, from 1st May 1927 to 19th November 1927, when he officiated as Director of the Institute. Deputed as one of representatives of the Government of India at 9th General Assembly of the International Institute of Agriculture, Rome, in October, 1928. Appointed to the post of Chief Agricultural Officer in Sind with effect from 1st June, 1930, and held this post until 9th November, 1936, when he took over charge as Offg. Director of Agriculture, Bombay Presidency.

Address :—"Sans Souci", Yerowda, Poona.

Jhaveri, Natvarlal Motilal, B. A., LL. B. Advocate, Surat and President, Surat



Municipality (1935). Born on 28th October, 1886, he was educated at Ahmedabad Govt. High School, Gujarat and St. Xavier's College. Married on 5th May, 1903, with Miss Indumati, daughter of Chudilal Lallubhai Desai of Surat. Passed Matric (Baroda High School) 1902. B. A. (2nd Class) (St. Xavier's College) 1908. LL. B., 1910. Signed Articles for Solicitors' Examination with Messrs. Daphtary, Ferreira and Dewan, Solicitors, Bombay 1910-1913. Started practice at Surat in June, 1915. Has been Assistant Government Pleader, Surat, since 1925. Member, Managing Committee, Sarvajanic Education Society, Surat, since 1920; Member of the Board of Directors of Surat People's Co-operative Bank since 1922, and its Chairman since 1930. Chairman, Managing and Executive Committee of Union Education since 1930. Has been on the Managing Committee of Mahilavidyalaya since 1922 and a nominated Member of the Surat Borough Municipality since 1931. He was elected President of the Surat Borough Municipality in 1935. Chairman, G. J. J. Investment Trust Ltd., 1935. His pleasing manners and generosity have made him very popular in Surat and outside. His father, Motilal K. Jhaveri, was Shikardar at the Judge's Court at Ahmedabad.

Address—Havadia Chakli, Surat, B. B. & C. I. Railway.

Jones, Henry Edwin, F.F.A. (1911), A.F.A. (1914), General Manager, Oriental Government Security Life Assurance Co., Ltd. Born in 1888, he was educated at George Watson's College, Edinburgh. Joined Scottish Union and National Edinburgh, 1904-1911. Joined Oriental Government Security Life Assurance Co., Ltd., as Assistant Actuary; Actuary,

1912-22; Manager, since 1922; President, Indian Life Offices' Association 1928-1929 and 1934-35.

Address—Oriental Life Assurance Buildings, Esplanado Road, Fort, Bombay.

Jinsiwale Dattatraya Raghvendra, B.A., LL.B. Pleader, Yaval, Dist. East Khan-



dosh. Born on 2nd June, 1901. Educated at Garud High School, Dhulia and Fergusson and Sir P. B. Colleges, Poona. Married on 27th March, 1927, with Miss K. M. D. D. i. n. i, daughter of Rao Sahib V. G. Sant, retired Deputy Educational Inspector, Dadar, Bombay. (Two sons). Belongs to the well known family of Sardar Jinsiwale of Indore and Gwalior. Passed Matric in 1923. LL.B., in 1931. Started practice at Yaval in December, 1931. Lost his father at an early age and was brought up by his elder brother, late Nagesh R. Jinsiwale, who was a prominent pleader at Shirpur and Yaval. Was also Secretary, Yaval, Bar Association.

Address—Yaval, Dist. East Khandesh.

Jones, Sir Tracy French Gavin, Kt., 1936, Managing Director, Cawnpore Chemical Works; Director, Muir Mills Co., Ltd. Born in 1872. Educated at Clifton. Trained as Mechanical and Mining Engineer; served as Mining Engineer in Rhodesia, 1895-96; founded Empire Engineering Co., Cawnpore, 1898; British India Corporation, 1919-24, founded Cawnpore Chemical Works, 1926; served Matabele War, Rhodesia Horse, 1896;

Officer Commanding United Provinces Horse, 1912-18; President, Upper India Chamber of Commerce, 1921-23, 1934 and 1935; Member, United Provinces Council, 1922-25; Member, Legislative Assembly, 1926-29; Member, Round Table Conference, London, 1930 and 1931; Deputy President, Associated Chambers, 1929-30; Vice-President, European Association, 1930-31 and 1932; President, United Provinces Branch of European Association, 1930-34. Address—19, Cantonment, Cawnpore.

Jog. Vishwanath Narayan, B.A., LL.B., Pleader, Dharwar. Born on 15th March, 1880.



Educated at Fergusson College, and Deccan College, Poona and served for some time in the Revenue and Educational Departments. He has been an elected member of the Dharwar Municipal Borough since 1912, Chairman of managing Committee and School Board for some years, and was elected President in 1930 and again in 1934. He was Chairman of the Southern Maratha Urban Co-operative Bank Ltd., Dharwar, from 1914 to 1930, and is now the President of Supervising Board of the same Institution. He is the President of the Karnatak Division Co-operative Institute, Karnatak Education Society, and the Postal and Royal Mail Service Union, Dharwar. He was a Member of the Dharwar District Local Board and was elected to the Bombay Legislative Council, 1923; re-elected in 1926, and again elected for the third time in 1930. He has served on the Public Accounts Committee and Finance Committee and several Select Committees of the Bombay Legislative Council, giving satisfaction to all concerned. He is the President of the Physical Culture Institute, Dharwar, and of the Karnatak Maharashtra Mandal, and also Chairman of the Dharwar Urban Co-operative Bank, Ltd. He is the Chairman of the District Branch of the Backward Class Board, Dharwar, and a Member of the Managing Committee of the After-Care Association, Dharwar. Elected to the Bombay Legislative Assembly in 1937.

Address—Dharwar.

Joshi, Vishvanath Damodar, Pleader and President, Taluka Local Board, Ratnagiri.



Born on 29th April, 1884. Educated at Ratnagiri High School. Married in 1901 (three sons and three daughters). Passed School Final Examination in 1902. Government Service for three years. Passed District Pleader's examination, 1909. Started practice at Ratnagiri in 1909. A member and Pre-

sident, Taluka Local Board for the last six years. A member, Ratnagiri Municipality since 1914. A member, District Local Board. Also Chairman, Municipal Managing Committee for some years.

Address—Ratnagiri.

Joshi, Krishnaji Yeshwant, B.A., A.I.A. (London), Manager, The Western India Life



Insurance Co. Ltd., Satara. Born in April, 1899, at Poona. An orphan. Mr. Joshi had to struggle hard to receive his education. Stood first at the Matriculation Examination among the boys of the Poona High School and among the fifteenth number in the University. After receiving

his education at the Deccan and now Poona Colleges, he graduated in Second Class. He did not like to follow the routine of getting into service, so he decided to become an Actuary and with the assistance of the well-known Actuary, Mr. G. S. Marathe, he could pass the Actuarial Examination in 1926. In 1924 he was appointed in the Western India Life Insurance Company. Later joined General Assurance Company at Ajmer as an Actuary. Rejoined Western India Life Assurance Co. in 1931 and was appointed its Manager on the retirement of Mr. Chirmule, the Managing Director. He is at present discharging onerous duties with great skill and ability.

Address—The Western India Life Insurance Co. Ltd., Satara City.

Jungalwalla, Byramji Cowasji, Proprietor, Godrej Oil & Soap Co.; Gokhale Manufacturing Co.; Globe Dairy Co. and Imperial Publishing Co., Bombay. Born on 17th November, 1880, at Broach. Educated at Nadiad. Married in 1915 with Miss Sherbanoo, daughter



of Bapuji A. Billimoria of Bombay (two sons and two daughters). His father, Mr. Cowasji Jungalwalla was a merchant at Broach for many years. At the age of eighteen, Mr. Byramji came to Bombay and started life as a cotton clerk at Rs. 20 per mensem in Messrs. Greaves Cotton Mills in 1898. Later joined Dairy business in Bombay. Went to Rangoon in 1899 to represent the Imperial Dairy Co. Returned to Bombay in 1902. Went to Madras and Ceylon in connection with the Dairy business and returned in 1904. Visited Europe and America in 1909-10 to study the Casein Industry. Took a special course of Dairying at Cornell University, Ithaca, N. Y. Set up a casein factory at Nadiad in 1910 and thus was the pioneer of establishing Casein Industry in India and was first to export it to England. In 1913 started the

Joshi, Shridhar Vishnu, Inamdar in Satara District. Born on 23rd April, 1871.



Educated at Satara High School and Pergusson College, Poona. Appeared for Dist. Pleaders' Examination, 1894. Studied Vedanta for twelve years under late Pandit Balacharya Gajendragadkar and passed the Second Class examination in Baroda in Advaita Vedanta. Has been an elected Member, Satara Municipality for twenty-one years. Was Chairman, School Board and of Managing Committee for some time. Elected to the District Local Board, Satara, 1918, and was its Vice-President for two years. Was the first non-official President, Satara District Local Board, 1920-1924. Was an Hon. Magistrate for twenty-two years. Was a life Member, Aryanga Vaidyak Vidyalaya and Professor of Ayurveda in the Vidyalaya for six years. Is President Ayurveda Prasarak Mandal, Satara, and Vice-President, Satara Library. Has his own charitable dispensary, in which Ayurvedic medicines are generally prescribed. He treats patients and is greatly interested in Chropathy, Hydropathy and Fasting. Is an advanced Yogi Student. Managing Director, Satara Electric Supply Co. Ltd. from 1935.

Address—Shanivar Peth, Satara.

Jwala Prasad, M. A. (Allahabad), Ph. D. (Cantab.) 1930; Professor of Philosophy, Robertson College, Jubbulpore City. Born on 25th October, 1890. Educated at St. John's College, Agra, and Fitz William, Cambridge. Married in 1916, Shrimati Manorama Devi and has three daughters and one son. He was professor, St. John's College, Agra, 1914-1915; 1921-1923; Professor, Gurukul, Brindavan, 1916-20; Professor, Robertson College since 1923.

Author of several works on philosophy and logic in English and Hindi; Contributor to various journals.

Address—Robertson College, Jubbulpore.

K a b a d i, Vishvanathsa R a m-chandrasa, Merchant, Banker, and Land-



lord, Gadag Betigori, Dist. Dharwar. Born in 1890, he was educated at Gadag and Sholapur. Married in 1900 to Miss Gangubai, daughter of Dougrasa Shankrasa Valavekar of Islampur and has one son and four daughters. The family started business about eighty years ago, dealing in silk-yarn. They are also Commission Agents, Bankers and Merchants. Mr. Khabadi is one of the leading merchants of this place and a prominent citizen. Has been a Director and Chairman, Betigori Urban Co-operative Bank for the last ten years. He also has given several donations to different charities.

Address—Gadag Betigori, Dist. Dharwar.

Kachapikesa Mudaliar, T.S., Rao Sahib (1929), B.A., Dubash, The South Indian Export Co. Born in 1896. Educated at Madras Christian College. A prominent figure in Madras commercial circles and public movements. Member, Executive Committee, Madras Depressed Classes' Union Society; Hony. Secretary and Treasurer, San Thome Dispensary; Trustee of the Town Planning Trust; Executive Committee, Pasteur Institute, Coonoor; Director of the City Co-operative Bank, Purasawalkam; Trustee, Kachleswarar Temple. Was Honorary Presidency Magistrate for many years. Councillor of the Madras Corporation elected by the Southern India Chamber of Commerce, 1929-36; Secretary, Southern India Chamber of Commerce, 1935-36.

Address—Ajmer, Kilpauk, Madras.

Kadri, Khan Bahadur Sir Mahboob-miya Imambaksh Kt., O.B.E., B.A., LL.B.,



Ahmedabad. Born 4th November, 1878. Took degree of B.A. 1892, LL.B., 1901; Assistant Master, Ahmedabad, Nadiad and Elphinstone High School, Bombay. 1893-96, Principal, Mahabat Madressa, Junagadh, 1897-1901; Tutor and Companion to the then Heir-Apparant, Junagadh State, 1901-03; Sub-Judge at Khaddosh, Sholapur, Ratnagiri and Ahmedabad Districts, 1903-18; Assistant Judge, Dhulia, 1918-19; on special duty as Member of the Tribunal to try cases which arose out of riots in Kaira District, 1919; Assistant Judge and Additional Sessions Judge, Sarat and Ahmedabad, 1920-24; District Judge, Nasik, Poona, Ratnagiri and Nadiad, 1924-28; retired from service, 1928. Was Chief Judicial officer, Junagadh State, 1927-31. Created Khan Saheb, 1916; Khan Bahadur, 1918; O.B.E., 1924. Was Joint Honorary Secretary of the Women's Branch of the War and Relief Fund, Ahmedabad, 1914-19; Joint Secretary of the War Loan Committee, and principal Organizer of the Guzerat Branch of the Bombay Exhibition of Arts and Crafts 1917 in aid of the War and Relief Fund; President, Anjuman Islami, Ahmedabad, since 1914; President of the Guzerat Muslim Education Society since 1927, and Sunni Muslim Wakf Committee since 1918; Member of the Age of Consent Committee 1928-29. Created Knight in June, 1934; Silver Jubilee Medal, 1935.

Publications:—1. "History of the Literary and Political Rise of the Mussalmans and the cause of the decline." 2. "Life of Sir Saïved Ahmedkhan." 3. "The Conciliators' Guide."

Address—Mahbub Manzil, Delhi Gate, Ahmedabad, Guzerat.

Kakade, S.H., Kolhapur, (S.M.C.) India. Born in the neighbourhood of Kolhapur city



some forty years back, Mr. Kakade started his career as a tailor at the age of eighteen and obtained first class Diploma of the Tailor and Cutter Academy of London in the year 1922. The very year he started his Tailoring and Cutting College for the benefit of the Marathi

knowing student world. Since then the Institution has a number of useful departments, to its credit, namely, the Technical Publications in Marathi, Hindi, Gujarati and English languages. Up-to-date Fashion Publications, Accurate Tailoring Appliances, etc. The College has maintained a Printing Press of its own for the above purpose. The students can enjoy residential facilities under the able supervision of the Principal. A new building in the Rajawampuri is now being erected for the use of the College. Prof. Kakade is the only successful instructor having a number of pupils that have been awarded the London Diploma of Merit in Tailoring and Cutting.

Address—Kakade's Tailoring College, Kolhapur, S.M.C.

Kalachery, Rt. Rev. Dr. James, Ph.D., D.D., Bishop of Changamacherry, Central



Travancore. Was born in the same diocese on 20th April, 1892. He was educated at Rome. Was consecrated on 21st December, 1927, at St. Mary's Cathedral, Changamacherry. His Grace has got jurisdiction over 276,213 Syrian Catholics, 352 indigenous secular priests, 302 churches

and chapels, nine monasteries with 151 religious priests and clerics, thirty-six convents with 604 religious sisters, one first grade college, ten high schools, five training schools, fifty middle schools and 150 elementary schools educating altogether about 32,000 students.

Address—Changamacherry, Travancore.

Kalbhorr, Rao Bahadur Gangajirao Mukundrao, *B.A., M.L.A., Born of very poor*



parents at Tanti-Kalbhorr in Poona District on 3rd January, 1883; he was compelled to acquire sufficient knowledge of English by self-support. He commenced life as a clerk in a business firm and served as such from 1901-1913. He then started his own independent business on a modest scale and by dint of personal labour made it a success. Mr. Kalbhorr is now considered to be one of the leading and prosperous merchants of Poona and owns large self-acquired property. A staunch advocate of Non-Brahmin Party, he takes a keen interest in the work of the uplift of the agriculturists, and is a prominent worker in the Maratha Educational Conference. Prior to the introduction of the reforms, he carried on vehement agitation for securing communal representation in the Legislative Council as a result of which seven seats were reserved for the Marathas and allied castes. His other public activities are: Active Member of the Poona District Local Board; President of Mutta Irrigators' Association, Poona; Member of Non-Brahmin Party; Chairman of the Working Committee of the Shri Shivniji Maratha Society, Poona; Honorary Magistrate from 1924; Representative of the Poona District in the Bombay Legislative Council from 1921-1926 and again elected in 1930; one of the Secretaries of the All-India Maratha League and as such rendered evidence before the Simon Commission; Member of numerous Associations and Samajjas in the Maratha and other backward Non-Brahmin Communities. In 1903 married Miss Shevantibai, daughter of Balvantrao Mahadik of Kangaon-Pota, Dhond, District Poona. Made Rao Bahadur in 1934. Hon. District Organiser, Co-operative Credit Societies and Hon. Treasurer, Deccan Maratha Education Association.

Address—253, Shukrawar Peth, Poona City.

Kale, Vaman Govind, *Ex-Professor of History and Economics, Fergusson College*



Poona. Born in 1876; educated at the New English School and Fergusson College, Poona; joined the Deccan Education Society of Poona as a life Member in 1907; a fellow of the Bombay University from 1919-24; Member, Council of State from 1921-23; and Member, Indian Tariff Board from 1923-25; Secretary, Deccan Education Society, 1925-28. He is a Liberal in Politics and has addressed very many public meetings. Author of;—"Indian Industrial Economics," "Dawn of Modern Finance in India," "Gokhalo and Economic Reforms," "India's War Finance," "Currency Reforms in India," "Constitutional Reforms in India," "Economics of Protection in India," "Economics in India," etc.

Address—"Durgadivasa," Poona. 4.

Kaleswara Rao, A., *B.A., B.L., M.L.A., was born in 1881 at Nandigama, Kistna District.*



Education. Educated at Noble College, Masulipatnam and passed B.L., from the Law College, Madras; was a lecturer in the Noble College for two years; joined the Congress and Swadeshi Movement in 1905; took prominent part in the Students' Swadeshi Movement in 1905; set up practice in Bazwada in 1906 and became the

leader of the local bar; gave up practice in 1921 and joined the Non-Co-operation Movement; was actively connected with the Vande Mataram, Home Rule and Andhra Movements; was in jail several times in Non-Co-operation

and Civil Disobedience Movements; was President, District Congress Committee; General Secretary of the Andhra Provincial Congress Committee and President Andhra Swarajya Party; was the Chairman of Bezwada Municipality 1925-30; was the elected Member of the Madras Legislative Council for Kistna District on behalf of the Congress Party, 1926-29 and resigned early in January, 1930, in pursuance of Labor Congress resolution; was President, Kistna Flood Relief Committee, 1916; one of the founders of the Andhra Library Movement; for some time Member of the Andhra University; was President, National Education Committee, Bezwada; is the Vice-President, Andhra Provincial Hindi Sabha; presided over the Andhra Provincial Conference held in Vizagpatnam in 1934; is an active Social Reformer and takes keen interest in the Harijan Movement; is an elected Member of the Madras Legislative Assembly and Chief Whip of the Madras Congress Legislative Party; is the Vice-President, Andhra, Provincial Congress Committee and Member of A.T.C.C. for several years and an accredited Congress Leader of Andhra Desa; is also a well-known writer in Telugu, especially of historical works.

Address—Bezwada.

Kalyani, Rao Saheb Annappa Narayan, M. L. A., is a leading Merchant,



Inamdar of Patalu, Agriculturist and President, Satara District Local Board. Born on 3rd January, 1884. Educated at Vernacular School at Kola, Taluka Karad, District Satara. Married twice (one son and two daughters). Lost his father at the age of eleven. After completing education at the age of fourteen served as an apprentice with some leading Merchants of Kola for three years and while managing their outside business got sufficient experience

to start his independent business. At the age of eighteen he started his own business of gul, turmeric and groundnut with practically no capital, and by steady work and foresight built up his position as a leading Merchant and has now the largest business in turmeric in the whole Presidency. Was continuously elected to Karad Taluka Local Board, 1917-1935. Nominated to Karad Municipality, 1929. Has been an elected Member of the Satara District Local Board since it was started in 1925. Was on the School Board, Satara District Local Board, for eight years. Was unanimously elected President, Satara District Local Board 11th December, 1933. Has been re-elected as the President of the Satara District Local Board for the triennial term from 1-1-1935. Had been an Hon. Magistrate but resigned due to his several other important activities. Has been the President of Taluka Development Association, Karad, for five years and Karad Village Munsiff for four years. Also a Member of the Deccan Divisional Board of Agriculture. Chairman of the Co-operative Credit Society, Karad and the Chairman of the Land Mortgage Bank, Satara District, created RAO SAILAB in January, 1935. He is Vice-President, Village Development Association, Satara. Donated Rs. 5000 to Yashwantrao Chavan Boarding, Karad. Started and endowed an English Class at Kola. Is President of Cow-protecting institution, Karad. Elected to the Bombay Legislative Assembly in 1937.

Address—Karad, District Satara.

Kamat, Balkrishna Sitaram, B. A. Merchant and nominated Member, Bombay



Legislative Council. Born on 21st March, 1871, he received his education at Deccan College, Poona. He was a Member of the Poona City Municipality for several years. He has been a Member of the Bombay Legislative Council during varying periods from 1913. He

went to England on deputation by the Liberal Party in connection with Montague Reforms in 1919. He was a Member, Legislative Assembly from 1921-23. He was one of the Members, Kenya Deputation, to England in 1923. He was a Member of the Provincial Banking Enquiry Committee, Royal Commission on Indian Agriculture and Bombay Retrenchment Committee, and has taken an active part in Social Reform and Agricultural Improvement works and is a member of various Educational bodies.

Address—Ganeshkhind Road, Poona.

Kambli, The Hon'ble Dewan Bahadur Sir Siddappa Totappa, Kt., D.D.B.



Minister, Government of Bombay. Born in 1882, he was educated at Dacca College. Starting life as a pleader he practised in the Dharwar courts from 1906-1930. He has had an active public life. Organised first non-Brahmin Conference in Hubli in 1920; Non-Official President, Hubli Municipality, 1922-30; President of the Dharwar District Local Board, 1920-30; elected Member, Bombay Legislative Council since 1921 and leader of the Non-Brahmin Party in the Council, 1928-26; presided over the N. B. League at Dharwar; President, 1st Karnatak Unification Conference held at Badami; President, Co-operative Conference held at Shiggaon in Dharwar District in 1927; President, All-India Vokkalika Conference at Bangalore in 1927; was Member, Lingayat Education Association, Dharwar and Indian Women's Aid Society, Hubli. He did conspicuous work as member of the Finance Committee, Public Accounts Committee and Prohibition Committee of the Bombay Legislative Council. He was created a Rao Bahadur in 1926 and Dewan Bahadur in 1931. He became Deputy President of the Bombay Legislative Council in 1927 and held that place till 1930. He was appointed Minister in 1930. Knighted in 1937; elected to the Bombay Legislative Assembly in 1937.

Address—Pintona, Malabar Hill, Bombay.

Kandathil, His Grace The Most Rev. Mar Augustine, D. D., Archbishop of Ernakulam.



Ernakulam. Born on 25th August, 1874, at Vaikam, Travancore, he was educated at P a p a l Seminary, Kandy, Ceylon. From 1902-13, he was Rector of S. Heart's Petit Seminary and Private Secretary to the Vicar Apostolic of Ernakulam. Bishop Co-adjutor from 1911-19, and was Vicar Apostolic of Ernakulam in 1919. Was made Archbishop Metropolitan in 1923 (Suffragan sees being Changanacherry, Trichur and Kottayam).

Address—Archbishop's House, Ernakulam, Cochin State.

Kanhaiya Lal Rai Bahadur, M.A., D.L.B., was born on 17th July, 1866. Educated at the Muir Central College, Allahabad. Joined the U.P. Civil Service in April 1891 as Munsiff and acted as Subordinate Judge in 1907. After serving as Assistant Sessions Judge and District and Sessions Judge, he was appointed Additional Judicial Commissioner, Oudh in July, 1912; Acted as Judge of Allahabad High Court in 1920 and became a Judicial Commissioner, Oudh, in 1922; appointed Judge of Allahabad High Court again in 1923, and retired in 1926; Vice-President, Age of Consent Committee, 1928-29; Member, Hindu Religious Endowments Committee, 1928-30; Member, Board of Indian Medicine, U.P., since 1925; Hon. Treasurer, Allahabad University since 1927.

Address—9, Elgin Road, Allahabad.

Kanga, Sorabjee Pestonjee, is the second son of Ervad Pestonjee Rustumjee Kanga by Behmanbai, daughter of Dustoor Jamaspjee Fadhjee Jamasp Asa, the first High Priest of the Parsees in the Deccan. Ervad Pestonjee was born and bred up in Navsari (Gujarat) on 12-6-1818. He had to leave his native place and to settle in Bombay, as he had lost his father at a very early age. At first he commenced to earn his livelihood as a Mobed or Parsee priest as he belonged to the Athornan or priestly class. He, however, soon entered a new field as a building contractor, and subsequently became a partner in a Parsee firm of railway contractors. This firm was the first Indian firm to undertake railway construction works in India. They completed the first fourteen miles of railway from Kalyan to Thal Ghat in 1855. The firm subsequently carried out other railway and building works of the total value of a crore of rupees. In all these undertakings, Ervad Pestonjee displayed conspicuous ability, activity and courage. He practically obtained the large army of labourers required for miles of railway construction out in the jungles, he superintended the works, he checked and audited the accounts, and acted as a general business manager. In addition to all these onerous duties, he looked after several charitable institutions. He took a prominent part in the establishment of the new Bhagaria Atash Behram in Bombay, and himself contributed largely to its funds. Ervad Pestonjee received a shawl from the Mahads of Maroojee Seth's Fort Daromaher in token of their regard for him as a "revered and zealous member of the Community." He was further presented with an address and a silver tea-set by the Committee of the new Bhagaria Atash Behram. Ervad Pestonjee, after a long and useful career, died on 22-12-1901.

His wife, Behmanbai, was born on 6-8-1836, when there was very little of female education in India. But, under her learned father and her older brothers' guidance, she was given a sound training and acquired a good knowledge of the Gujarati, English, and Persian languages. She was proficient in accounts, a clever needle-woman, and expert in the culinary art, and all round a competent house-keeper. She was married to Ervad Pestonjee in 1849. She died on 9-12-1891. Out of her own funds, her husband got certain necessary additional work constructed in the Bhagaria Atash Behram of Bombay and her brothers in her memory dedicated a building valued Rs. 15,000 and named "Behmanbai Building" for use of the Sirdar Dustoor Noshervan Girls' High School at Poona. By his first deceased wife, Hiranbai, who belonged to the Modi Family, one of whose illustrious scions was the late Shams-ul-Ulema Sir Jivanjee Jamshedjee Modi, a scholar of world-wide reputation, Ervad Pestonjee had a son, Bezou-

joo, born on 8-6-1837, who for several years traded in Bombay, but was afterwards appointed in 1878 as Superintendent of the Customs Department, in the service of H. H. the Nizam's Government. He retired from that post on pension and died on 23-6-1897. Ervad Pestonjee, by his second wife, Behmanbai, had another son, Dushaw, and two daughters, Perozeba and Ahmai.

Ervad Pestonjee's second son, Sorabjee Pestonjee Kanga (subject of this sketch) was born on 9-3-1853 in the family house of his mother, Behmanbai, in Poona, now known as Dustoor Hall. He received his education at the Elphinstone Institute and Elphinstone College. He was married on 14-3-1864 to Baijee, daughter of Dorabjee Shapurjee Vachha, a furniture merchant of Bombay, on which occasion the Athornans or the Community of Parsee priests of Bahorkote in Bombay, presented an address to his father with a Shawl. S. P. Kanga was first appointed in H. H. the Nizam's Government service as a Translator on 3-3-1878. He was promoted to the rank of Chief Translator on 10-10-1885. In 1888, when the office of Press Reporter was first created in Hyderabad, Mr. S. P. K. was given that appointment. In 1907 S. P. K. was appointed Asst. Finance Secretary. Whilst holding this post, from 1909 for about two years, during the life time of His late Highness, S. P. K. was ordered to wait, as the King Kothi, once a week, upon the oldest Sahibzada Sahib (T. E. H. the present Nizam) with files of the Finance Department and to explain to him the cases dealt with therein. These files were generally on the subject of Jagirs, Inams, Mansabs, Yomias and other free grants and charitable allowances.

S. P. K. retired from the post of 2nd Asst. Finance Secretary, after a total service of thirty-five years on 21-2-1911. On that date, Sir Reginald Glancy, the then Finance Minister, gave an At Home to the members of the Finance Department. On that occasion, a Persian poem composed in honour of S. P. K. was read out by an officer of the Finance Department and a gold watch was presented to him. Sir R. Glancy said inter alia: "Mr. Sorabjee has been thirty-five years in service of H. H.'s Government and served under many distinguished officers, such as Nawab Mahsin-ul-Mulk Bahadur, Nawab Feroz Jung Bahadur and Sir Casson Walker, who have expressed their very high appreciation of Mr. Sorabjee's services, to which I should like to endorse my personal testimony (cheers). I should like to say in addition to the ordinary qualities which go to make a good officer, Mr. Sorabjee has sound judgment of things; and I have always felt that I could safely rely upon him. I have not heard a word against Mr. Sorabjee's character or his abilities. This shows that Mr. Sorabjee is a man of high character and has endeared himself to one and all in the Department. I

The Seven Surviving Sons of Mr. S. P. Kanga.



Dr. Kuikhosro, L.M. & S.



Mr. Hormusjee, B.A., LL.B.



Mr. Jehangir, B.A., LL.B



Dr. Jamshed, L.M. & S.



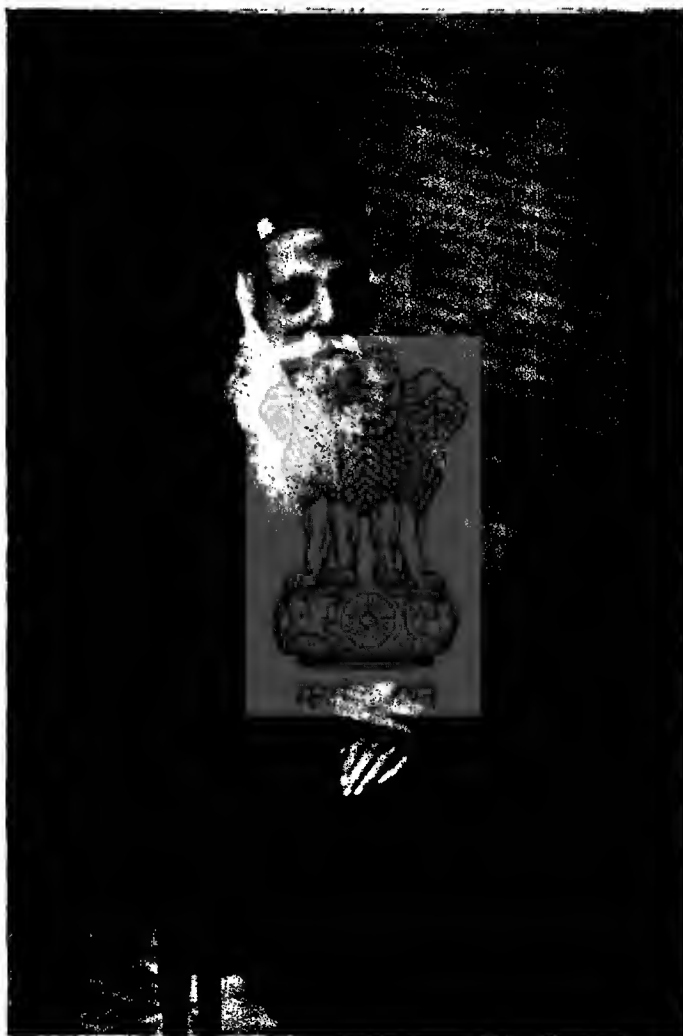
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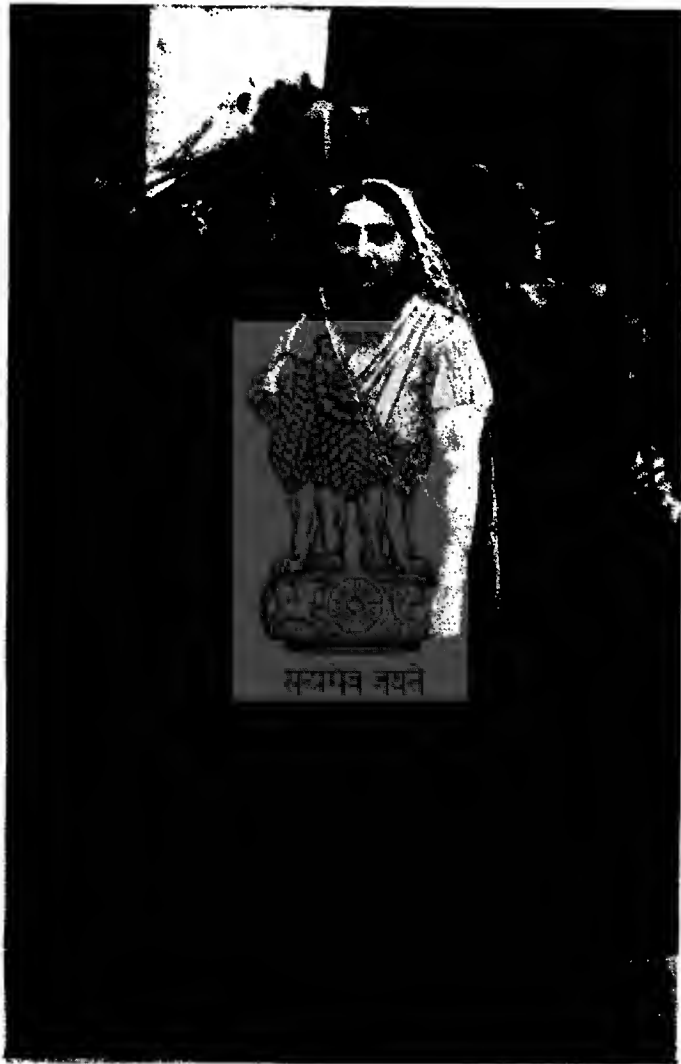
Mr. Ardeshir, B.E.



Dr. Burzor, M.D



Mr. S. P. Kanga, Hyderabad



Dr. Miss. Khorshedbai S. Kanga, Hyderabad

can only wish Mr. Sorabjee many happy years of retirement." After his retirement S. P. Kanga's services were engaged for a further period of about five years for the compilation of the Civil and Military Service Regulations of the Hyderabad State, which duty terminated on 4-12-1918, on completion of both those works. On this occasion the Accountant-General, under whom S. P. Kanga had been working, gave a Garden Party at his residence, on the evening of 6-12-1918 at which all the Gazetted Officers of the Accounts Dept. and other guests were invited. He made a speech complimenting S. P. Kanga for the work he had performed. S. P. Kanga in 1881 composed an English Ode in honour of His late Highness' installation. This Ode printed on illuminated parchment and enclosed in a silver casket, was graciously accepted by His late Highness. In 1912 he published "The Takatmi Iran" which was a translation in Urdu of Shakespeare's Macbeth, and which was dedicated to the sacred memory of his mother. In 1918, he translated into English an Urdu book by Maharaja Sir Kishan Pershad Bahadur, Prime Minister of the Hyderabad State, which was printed under the title of "Royal Footstep," and in 1919 he translated another book by the same author, which was published under the designation of "The Two Weeks Tour." In 1934 he published the "Metrical Version of the Gathas in English," which was dedicated to the sacred memory of his father. S. P. Kanga has eight surviving children.

1. Kalkhosro, L. M. & S., is practising at Moulmolu (Burma).

2. Hornungjee, B.A., I.L.B., Superintendent, Sarfi-Khas Treasury, H. E. H. the Nizam's Government.

3. Jehangir, B.A., I.L.B., is a partner in the firm of Dastoor & Co., Solicitors, Bombay.

4. Dr. Miss Khorshedbai, L.R.C.P. & S. (Edin.), L.F.P.S. (Glasgow), Superintendent, Victoria Zomana Hospital, Hyderabad, Deccan.

5. Jamshed, L.M. & S., I.M.S., A.I.R.O.

6. Jehanbux, serving in Accountant General's Office, Hyderabad Deccan.

7. Ardeshtir, B.E., Executive Engineer, Hyderabad (Deccan) Municipality.

8. Dr. Barzoz, M.D., M.B.Ch.B. (Aberdeen), D.P.H. (Eng.), D.P.H. (Belfast) and a Fellow of the Royal Institute of Public Health, Senior Tuberculosis Officer, Bombay Municipality.

A man of great literary merit coupled with suave manners, the "Venerable Mr. Sorabjee Kanga is held in high estimation among all communities in Hyderabad, Deccan.

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Kanga, Dr. Miss Khurshedbai

Sorabjee, L.R.C.P. & S. (Edin.) L.F.P.S., (Glas.); Retired Superintendent, Victoria Zomana Hospital, Hyderabad, Deccan. Born on 23rd November, 1881. After passing the Matric, she joined the Medical School in Hyderabad, Deccan. She passed the final examination in Medicine and Surgery in 1905. After passing this examination her father sent her to Edinburgh, where she obtained the Triple Qualifications in 1906. She afterwards attended the Lying-in Hospital at Dublin, where she personally conducted several cases of labour, worked at the Royal Eye Hospital, assisted at various obstetric operations at Queen Charlotte's Lying-in Hospital, and passed sometime in gaining practical knowledge and experience of Surgical and Gynaecological work at the New Hospital for women in London. On her return to Hyderabad, she was first appointed in H.E.H. the Nizam's Government service on 21st January, 1908, as Officiating Civil Surgeon at the Aliahad Dispensary. On 18th January, 1909, she was posted temporarily as a House Surgeon at the Victoria Zomana Hospital where she was made permanent on 6th July, 1909. On 6th August, 1909, in His late Highness' time, she was ordered to attend at H. H.'s Palace as a Lady Doctor, in addition to her duties at the V.Z.H. This duty she performed till the lamented death of His late Highness on 29th August, 1911. For the last twenty-six years, she has been working in the Victoria Zomana Hospital in one capacity or other. Whenever the Senior Visiting Surgeon (or Superintendent as she is now called) was absent, she was placed in charge. In this way, she officiated in this post for a long time from 1918-1922. In 1918, Her Highness the Begum Sabiba of Bhopal visited the V.Z.H. She was so pleased with the management of the Institution that she presented a gold brooch to Miss Kanga, through His Exalted Highness's Government. Since the retirement of the last Superintendent, Dr. Miss Evans, on 19th December, 1926, Miss Kanga has been officiating as Superintendent, in which post she was confirmed on 2nd November 1932. Besides her regular daily work at Hospital, Miss Kanga has from time to time performed other duties. (a) Instructing Ambulance Class for ladies started by Lady Pinhey (wife of the then Resident of Hyderabad). (b) Medical attendance at the Girls Boarding House (1917). (c) Lecturing on First Aid and Minor Sanitation to the Zomana School Girls and Teachers (1918). (d) Plague work, for which Miss Kanga received a present of a gold watch from the Government at a public gathering (1918). (e) Medical supervision of the Boarding Institution attached to the Central Training School for School Mistresses (1921). (f) Lecturing on Midwifery and Gynaecology at the Medical College (1922).

The only daughter of Mr. Sorabjee Postonjee Kanga, Dr. Miss Khurshedbai has, by her tact and knowledge, displayed in the discharge of her duties as a Medical Officer deepened the circle of her enthusiastic appreciators with every passing year.

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Kania, The Hon'ble Mr. Justice Harilal Jekisondas, B.A., LL.B., Judge,

High Court, Bombay. Born on 23rd November, 1890. Educated in Bhavnagar and Bombay. Married the eldest daughter of Sir Chunilal V. Mehta K.C.I.E., in 1925. After fifteen years of successful career at the Bar, he was first made acting Judge of the Bombay High Court in 1930, and was appointed a permanent Judge of the High Court in 1933, and there is no doubt he will be able to fill the high judicial office with ability, giving the benefit of his wide experience, knowledge of law and mature judgment to the public. He is very unassuming in his manners and is always sympathetic to the junior members of the Bar struggling to elbow their way out in the world. Justice Kania has himself admitted on one occasion that the success he has had at the Bar and on the Bench has been mostly due to the cordial relations and the great friendship which his colleagues at the Bar have always shown towards him.

Address—Malabar Hill, Bombay.

Kanji, Govind Kerson, M. L. A., Proprietor and Managing Director, The Kalyan

Electric Supply Co. Ltd., and Brick-Merchant, Kalyan, District Thana. Born on 8th November, 1898. Educated at Kalyan and New High School, Bombay. Married in 1910 with Miss Valibai, daughter of J. R. Raja of Bombay. (One son and two daughters). The family came to Kalyan about 120 years ago. His father, late Rao Sahab Govind Kerson, started the well known "K. R. K." table bricks factory at Kalyan about fifty years ago. At the age of fifteen, Mr. Kanji Govind joined his father's business and extended it on a large scale, by the use of motive power. In 1920 he floated the Kalyan Electric Supply Co. Ltd., and obtained License within a radius of eight miles from Kalyan. He is the first in the field to start the manufacture of K. R. K. roofing tiles on the pattern of Mangalore Tiles at Kalyan. The late Rao Sahab Govind Kerson donated in 1931 a building worth Rs. 75,000/- to the General Education Society, Dadar, which is running the Kerson Ramji High School at Kalyan and contributed to several other charities to the tune of two lakhs of rupees. Rao Sahab Govind Kerson was an Honorary Magistrate for twenty-two years. He died in 1932 leaving two sons; eldest, Kanji Govind, the subject of this sketch, was the President of Kalyan Municipality for three years and the second son,



Electric Supply Co. Ltd., and Brick-Merchant, Kalyan, District Thana. Born on 8th Nov-



The late Rao Sahab Govind Kerson

Kanji Govind, who is the Elected Councillor of the Kalyan Municipality; both of them are managing their business in Kalyan and Bombay. Mr. Kanji Govind was elected to the Bombay Legislative Assembly in 1937. A gentleman of most pleasant manners, he wields great influence in Thana District.

Address:—Govind Wadi, Kalyan, District Thana (G. I. P. Railway).

Kanungo, Shamrao Vithalrao, Munsahib-i-Khas Bahadur (1934), M. A. (Phil.),



1917; M. A. (Ecos.), 1919; Finance Minister to His Highness the Maharaja Holkar, Indore. Born in 1894. Belongs to an old hereditary family of Kanungos of Indore. Educated at Indore, Allahabad and Calcutta; won Shivaji Rao Gold Medal for general efficiency of Holkar College in 1914. Married in 1914, Mrs. Devkumarnbai Kanungo (dead) and has two sons. Joined Holkar State Service, 1914; appointed Secretary, Commerce and Industry Department, 1920; Customs Commissioner, 1926; Member I/C Customs, Excise and Commerce, 1933; and Finance Minister, 1934. Represents the State in the Indian Central Cotton Committee, and is a Member of the Governing Body of the Plant Institute, Indore.

Address : -South Tukoganj, Indore, C. I.

Karve, Mrs. Iravati, M. A., Ph. D., Registrar, Indian Women's University, Poona. Born on 15th December, 1905, at Myingau in Upper Burma. Educated at Poona and Berlin. Married on 8th May, 1926, to Dr. Dinkar Dhondo Karve M. Sc., Ph. D.

Address:-Karve's Bungalow, Yerandona, Poona.

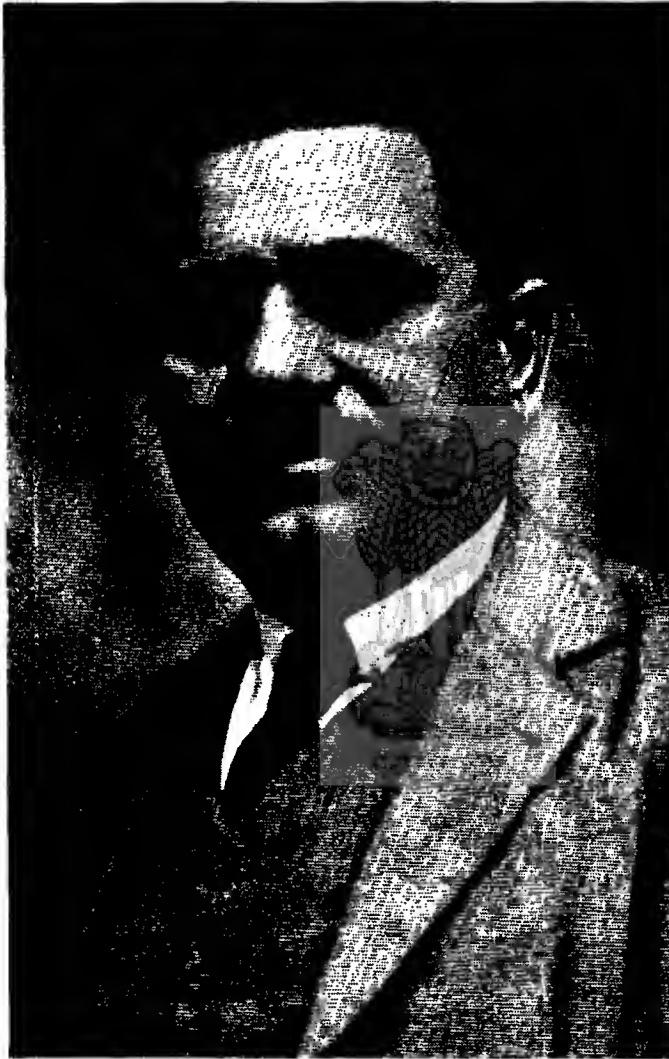
Kapadia, Merwanji Sorabjee, B. Sc., I. C. E. (Bom). B. Sc. (Engineering-London),



Resident Engineer, G. I. P. Railway, Lonavla. Born on 12th September, 1882, at Nagpur. Educated at Elphinstone High School, Wilson College, Bombay; College of Engineering, Poona, and King's College, London. Married on 11th June, 1910, with Miss Shirinbai, daughter of P. Edibam of Indore, (one daughter). Passed, Matric in 1900; I. C. E. 1907; B. Sc. 1908. After serving for five years in P. W. D. Irrigation Department and G. I. P. Railway, he proceeded to England in 1913 and took the degree of B. Sc. and the diploma of King's College in 1915. In 1916, returned to India and joined Cambay State Service as a State Engineer. On 15th March, 1917, joined the G. I. P. Railway, as a Temporary Assistant Engineer on bridges at Manmad and Bhusawal and on Itarsi Nagpur Railway Construction at Mulatapi. In 1924, he was appointed as permanent Resident Engineer in which capacity he served at Yotmal, Akola, Satna, Bombay, Bina and Igatpuri. In 1935, he was confirmed by the Railway Board as Executive Engineer, scale A, Senior.

Address :—Resident Engineer's Bungalow Lonavla, G. I. P. Railway.

Karanjia, Behram Navrosjee, J.P., F.I.S.A., M.L.C. (Kaisar-i-Hind Medal), Merchant, Corporator, Hon. Presidency Magistrate. Born in September, 1876. Educated at the Elphinstone High School and Sir Jamshedji Jeejeebhoy Parsi Benevolent Institution, Bombay.



Commenced business in the year 1893 with China, Japan and Europe. Main line of business is silk and silk piece goods. President of the Silk Merchants' Association for a number of years. Was instrumental in exposing various malpractices of smugglers in various commodities of higher dutiable goods, thus contributing to an increase of revenue from import duties and helping the legitimate of the country.

From 1914 to 1919 worked as Hon. Secretary to the War Loan Committee and Food Control Committee; as an Assessor in the Rent Control Committee; as an Hon. Secretary of the "Our Day Fund" and "Peoples' Fair"; as Chairman, Versova Beach Sanitary Committee for about ten years. Worked as Hon. Secretary to H. E. The Governor's Sind Relief Fund; President, Indian Merchants' Chamber; President of the Society of Hon. Presidency Magistrates; President, Passengers' and

Traffic Relief Association; Joint Hon. Secretary of King George V. Memorial Committee.

Chairman of Works Committee and Improvements Committee of the Bombay Municipal Corporation; Vice-President, St. John Ambulance Provincial Centre; was a Trustee of the Bombay Port Trust; Member, Advisory Committee of the G. I. P. Railway, representing the Bombay Municipality, Municipal Councillor, gave evidence before Cotton Textile Tariff Board; and Banking Committees central and provincial, Gold Thread Industry, and Silk Industry.

Worked for twenty-three years either as the Chairman, Secretary, or as Treasurer for the various relief funds such as Flood, Famine and Earthquake. Also Director in several limited concerns. Fellow of the Incorporated Secretaries' Association (London).

Elected member of the Bombay Legislative Council under the new Constitution.

Address—18 Hughes Road, Bombay.

Kapadia, Dinshah Dorabji, M.A., B.Sc., (Bombay). I. F. S., (Retired); Fellow and



Scholar, Elphinstone College, Bombay and Fellow, University of Bombay since 1918. Born on 22nd July, he was educated at Sir J.J.P.B. Institution and Elphinstone College, Bombay. He was taken in the Indian Educational Service in 1917 and was appointed Professor of Mathematics at the College of Engineering, Poona, from 1901 to 1912, Elphinstone College, Bombay, in 1913, and from 1921 to 1924, Deccan College, Poona, from 1914 to 1921 and 1923 to 1930, Karnatak College, Dharwar in 1929. He was Acting Principal, Deccan College, Poona, in 1927 and Karnatak College, Dharwar, in 1929.

Address—6, Stanton Road, Poona.

Karmarkar, Raghunath Damodar, M. A. Principal, Sir Parshurambhau College,



Poona. Born on 28th August, 1893, he was

educated at Satara High School, Fergusson and Deccan Colleges at Poona. He was married to Miss Mathubai Limaye on 26th January, 1915. A brilliant scholar, he had had a first class career at the Bombay University and was winner of several scholarships and prizes for general proficiency and proficiency in Sanskrit. He was appointed a Dakshina Fellow at the Deccan College in 1914. After passing with credit his M. A. examination, he joined the S. P. Mandali, Poona as a life-member and acted as a Professor of Sanskrit at the Sir Parshurambhau College (formerly known as New Poona College) since its inception in 1916. As a professor, he has by his expert knowledge won the admiration of the general public as well as of his students and was appointed Principal of the College from 1st April, 1933. His other activities are: Officer in the University Training Corps since its inception, now Captain and Second in Command 1st Bombay Bn. U. T. C.; Fellow of the University of Bombay since 1929; Member of the Syndicate Academic Council and Boards of studies in Sanskrit and Marathi; Member of the Provincial Advisory Committee I.T.E., the Mahabharat Editorial Board; the Provincial Text-Book Committee, etc. He has also published about a dozen annotated editions of classical Sanskrit texts for the use of University students; has research papers published in the proceedings of the All-India Oriental Conference.

Address—Sir Parshurambhau College, Poona, 2.

Karve, Dattatraya Gopal, M. A., Principal and Professor of History and Economics, Willingdon College, Sangli. Born on 24th December, 1898. Educated at New English School and Fergusson College, Poona; Golden Medalist, 1921; Wodderburn Scholar, 1923. Married in 1924, Sumatibai, daughter of Mr. Khare, and has three sons and one daughter. Appointed Professor of History and Economics, Fergusson College, Poona, 1923-35; Assistant Superintendent, New English School 1924-26; Lieutenant and for some time Acting Adjutant, University Training Corps, 1924-28; General Secretary, Poona Inter-Collegiate Sports Association, 1924-27; Rector, Fergusson College Hostel, 1926-31; gave evidence before Indian Sandhurst Committee in 1926, and Bombay Physical Training Committee, 1928; Associate Member, Servants of India Society; Member, Indian Economics Association; Local Secretary, Indian Statistical Institute. Publications: Two Marathi books on "Principles of Economics and Indian Economics Problems," (1927, 1929); "Federations, a Study in Comparative Politics," (1933); "Poverty and Population in India" 1936. "Indian Federal Finance," (1929);

"Geneva and Indian Labour," (1931); "Economic Conditions in the Deccan at the Advent of British Rule; Parliamentary Govt.," (1934); "Economic Planning in India," (1935); "Democracy and Capitalism," 1936.

Address—Willingdon College, Sangli, S.M.C.

Kashikar, Rao Bahadur Ramchandra Govind, B.A., LL.B., Sub-Government Plea-



der, Malegaon, District Nasik. Born in April, 1872, at Kalyan. Educated at Garud High School, Dhulia, Fergusson College and Deccan College, Poona. 1st marriage, 1899; 2nd marriage, 1919; (four sons). Passed Matric, 1891; B.A., 1896; LL.B., 1902; commenced practice at Malegaon from January, 1903. A nominated Member Malegaon Municipality for thirty-one years (1903-34). An elected Member, Municipality, 1919-23; Chairman, Municipality Schools Committee, 1904-11; Chairman, Managing Committee of the Municipality from 1911-15; Vice-President, Municipality for two years. Was a nominated President Malegaon, Municipality, 1917-19; was an elected President, Municipality, 1919-34. A Member, District Local Board for some time. Created Rao Bahadur, 1930. Was presented with civic address by the citizens of Malegaon (which consists of majority of Musalmans), a great tribute to his impartiality and keen interest in the welfare of the citizens of Malegaon. Has been Chairman of Board of Directors of Malegaon Swadeshi Co-operative Stores since 1914; also President, Local Scouts Association.

Address—Malegaon, District Nasik.

Katgara, Jehangir Palanji, J. P. Proprietor, Jeena & Co., Bombay and an Hon. Presidency Magistrate, Bombay. Born on 18th April, 1885, at Dharwar. Educated at the new High School, Bombay. Married in 1914 with Miss Shirinbai, daughter of Rustomji Kapadia. His father, Mr. Palanji Hormusjee, founded Jeena & Co., in 1900 as an import and exporting agency. After completion of his education, Mr. Jehangir Palanji, the subject of this sketch, joined Jeena & Co., in 1903. In 1911 Mr. Jehangir started the clearing and forwarding department in the firm. In 1925, he started the Passengers and Travel departments as well as the Insurance department. A great tourist himself, Mr. J.P. Katgara has earned a good reputation for conducting a group of tourists to Europe and Japan every year since 1933. Jeena's tours to Kashmir and Ceylon and X'mas specials to Northern India are becoming very popular among the travelling public with every passing year since 1929.

Address—Jeena & Co., Gresham Buildings, 45 Esplanade Road, or Katgara House, Napier Sea Road, Bombay.

Katrak, Khan Bahadur Hormusjee Shapurjee, J.P., F.C.R.A. Hon. Presidency



Magistrate and retired Asst. Accounts Officer and Municipal Auditor, Bombay Corporation. Born 29th October, 1860. Educated at Elphinstone High School, Fort High School and Wilson College, Bombay. Married in 1882 to Shirinbai, daughter of Khan Sahib Nusserwanji Daraji Mirza of Bombay. (Two sons and three daughters.) Eldest son is Managor, Kurla Estate and second one is in Chief Accountant's office (Customs Dept.). Eldest daughter, Mrs. Timai, is the wife of Mr. B. N. Sanjani, (retired District Judge, Thana and Chief Judge Junagad). Studied up to F.E.A.

Was a tutor in mathematics to late Sir Dinshaw Petit, Sir Boman Behram, Sir Fazulbhoy Currimbhoy, J.D. Davar, and several others. Conducted private classes in Mathematics from Matric to B. A., and was known as "Katrak Master." Was also a Tutor to the son of Sir Charles Olwant, late Executive Councillor, to the Government of Bombay. Joined Accountant General's Office in March, 1882. Rose from clerkship to Chief Superintendent and Asst. Accounts Officer in the office of the Accountant General, Bombay. A Member of the Corporation of Accountants since 1913. Retired in 1914. Joined Bombay Corporation as Auditor, 1904-07. Rejoined Bombay Corporation as Municipal Auditor, 1918. Created Khan Sahab, 1918. Khan Bahadur, 1928; J.P. 1921. Appointed Hon. Presidency Magistrate, 1924. A Delegate of Parsee Matrimonial Court, 1924. An ex-Secretary and Hon. Treasurer of the Society for protection of Children in Western India for several years. Has been helping several charitable institutions, by auditing their accounts free of charge.

Address—33 Pali Road, Bandra, B.B. & C.I. Ry.

Kazi Khuda Bakhsh, B.A., LL.B., Mayor, City Corporation, Karachi, 1935-36, Advocate,



Assistants Public Prosecutor for Sind, and Assistant Government Pleader in the Court of the Judicial Commissioner of Sind, Karachi, and a Member of the Bar Council. Born on 6th November, 1895. Educated at Sind Madrasah, Karachi, and Ali-

garah College. Belongs to the old Kazi family of Moro in Nawabshah District in Sind. His ancestors were Kazis (Judges) in the times of former Mohammedan Rulers of Sind. Passed Matric, 1914; B.A., (Aligarh College, Allahabad University), 1919; LL.B., (Allahabad), 1926. Joined the Non-co-operation movement in 1920-25. Went to jail for twelve months in 1921. Was Secretary, Karachi District Congress Committee and the Sind Provincial Khilafat Committee. Was also a member, All-India Congress Committee and Head Master, Tilakbhaya (National High School) for one year. Served on the editorial staff of the "Sind Observer," Karachi, in 1921. Was Secretary, Karachi N.W. Railway Union, 1924. Joined the legal profession in 1926. Entered Karachi Municipal Corporation in 1934, for the first

time and was elected Deputy Mayor in the same year. Elected Mayor in the following year, being the first Muslim Mayor. The term of his Mayoralty was remarkable for many achievements in the direction of civic improvements. Underground drainage and water-mains were extended to various quarters of the city, and the establishment of an Ayurvedic and Unani Dispensary, as an experimental measure, was sanctioned by the Corporation under his Mayoralty. He was Chairman of the Unemployment Committee appointed by the Corporation. He was instrumental in the formation of the Children's Welfare Society for the care and protection of the vagrant, destitute and delinquent children under the Bombay Children Act, 1924, and is the President of the said Society. Chiefly by his efforts a convention has been established in the Karachi Municipal Corporation under which the offices of Mayor, Deputy Mayor and Chairman, Standing Committee, will be filled by rotation, so that, each Community viz., Hindus, Mussalmans and the rest will have equal opportunities for service of the city. Is connected with a number of public, philanthropic, educational and charitable institutions. Is a member of the Ida Rich Poor Welfare Association, Civil Hospital, Lady Dufferin Hospital; Secretary, Sind Muslim Educational Society and Sindhi Muslim Jamate; Member of the Central Standing Committee of All-India Muslim Educational Conference, and a Member of the Council of All-India Muslim League. Was Secretary, Peace Committee and Mayor's Relief Fund in connection with Karachi Firing Victims. He was also Chairman of Mayor's Quetta Earthquake Relief Committee, which did excellent work. Awarded 'Kaiser-i-Hind' Medal for his unique services as Chairman of the above Committee.

Address—Advocate, Bunder Road, Karachi.

Kemp, The Hon'ble Sir Kenneth

Mac Intyre, M. A., (Cantab), Classical Tripos (1906), Barrister-at-Law, (Inner Temple), Advocate-General, Bombay, Born on 13th December, 1883. He was educated at George Watson's College, Edinburgh, Dulwich College and Corpus Christi College, Cambridge. Married Margaret, eldest daughter of Lieut. Col. Ashton Street, I.M.S. Started practice at Bombay Bar from 1909, and acted as Chief Presidency Magistrate in 1912. Professor of the Bombay Government Law School, 1919; acted Judge High Court during 1927, 1928, and 1929; appointed Advocate, General in March, 1935. Knighted in 1937.

Address—The Lease, Altamont Road, Bombay.

Kelavkar, Shamrao Krishnarao, B.A.,
(Bom.), B. A., I.L. B. (Cantab), Barrister-at-



Law; Principal, Sykes Law College, Kolhapur. Born on the sixth October, 1888, he comes of a well known family settled at Kolhapur for the last fifty years, one of the pioneers of the cause of female education in Western India. Mr. Kelavkar received his education at the Rajaram High School and College, Kolhapur, and the Deccan College, Poona. He was Sir Le Grand Jacob Scholar (1904) and Rajaram Scholar 1905-1908, and Deccan College Scholar in 1907-1908. After graduation he worked nearly three years in the Punjab and U. P. in various important capacities in Lala Harkishanlal's industrial concerns. In August, 1912, left for England and joined Fitz-William Hall, Cambridge. He took the B.A. and LL.B. degree (Honours) of the Cambridge University in 1915 and was called to the Bar in the same year from the Honorary Society of Grays Inn. He returned to India in 1916 and entered into a business career. In 1920 he went to London in connection with his business enterprises and remained there on business for three years returning in May, 1923. During 1927-1928, he travelled extensively in Egypt, Palestine, Syria, the Hedjaz, the Sudan, Ceylon and Burma on business tours on behalf of the well-known Bombay firm of Messrs. Vissanji Sons and Co. In 1929, he gave up business and reverted to the Bar and started practice in the Bombay High Court. In 1932, he went over to live at Kolhapur. When the Sykes Law College was founded in 1933, Mr. Kelavkar was made the first Principal which post he is holding now. The reputation this young college has already made for itself in the short time after its inception has fully justified the confidence placed in Mr. Kelavkar by His Highness, the Maharaja Sahib of Kolhapur.

Address—Yaswant Villa, Kolhapur.

Kerwada, Thakore, Sardar Bhasaheb,
alias Dulabava Raisinghi, Talukdar, Landowner and Ex-Member Bombay Legislative Council. Born in 1881; he was educated at the Rajkunnar College, Rajkot. As a first Class Sardar of Gujarat, he represented the Sardars' Constituency thrice on the pre-Reform Council. He was an Honorary First Class Magistrate and Member of the District Local Board and President of the Taluka Local Board for over seventeen years. He has been the elected President of the District Local Board of Broach since 1924, and Member of the Road Board of the Presidency. He is one of the Trustees of Sir David Sassoon Charities Trust; Member of the Provincial Agricultural Research Committee; Member of the B. B. and C. I. Railway Committee; Provincial Road Board; Committee of Management of the Talukdari Hostels, Kaira and Broach; President of Vagra Educational Trust Fund and Vice-President Anjuman Islam, Broach.

Address—Kerwada.

Keyvani, Ali Asghar, Iranian Consul in Bombay. After graduating from the school



of politics in Tehran Mr. Keyvani entered the service of Iranian Foreign office in the year 1294 (1916 A.D.). He served for several years in the various departments and also in the judicial department. In the year 1305 (1926) he was appointed First Secretary to the Imperial Consulate General of Iran at Baku. Subsequently he was

transferred to Tehran, and in the year 1929 he was appointed First Secretary to the Iranian Legation at Baghdad and during his five years' term of office in Iraq acted on three occasions as the Minister there. He was, on completion of the term, transferred to Tehran where he was appointed Deputy Director of the Department in the Foreign Office relating to Eastern Affairs, in Khardad of 1315. He was appointed consul for the Iran in Bombay and took charge of the office on 27th July, 1936.

Address—Iranian Consulate, Bombay.

Khadye, K. M., M.A., (Hon. and Cantab.), Principal and Professor of English, the Nowrosjee Wadia College, Poona. Born in 1890, he had his education in Bombay and Cambridge. B.A., (Hon.) in 1911, M.A., in 1913, English Tripos, Cambridge Sect. A & B together in 1920 and B.A., Cambridge in the same year. He was Professor of English, Forgnsson College, Poona, from 1915-30. From 1930-32 he worked as Professor of English, Department Annamalai University, and from May to September 1931 he acted as Vice-Chancellor, Annamalai University. He has done research work in English at Cambridge in 1920 and 1921, and has written several books, particularly "Goethe's Aesthetic Applied to Literary Criticism." He was Appointed Principal of Nowrosjee Wadia College in 1932.

Address—204/2 Sadashiv Poth, Poona 2.

Khajurina, Hormusjee Maneckjee, President of the Karachi Parsi Institute



Trustee of Bai Gulba: Metha Maternity Home and of the Parsi Anjuman Funds; Delegate of the Parsi Matrimonial Court. Born on 7th March, 1865, at Rander (near Surat). Educated at Elphinstone High School and General Assembly's Institution (Wilson College), Bombay. Member of one of the oldest families that settled in Sind in 1840; son of the priest who joined the British expedition to Persia; commenced business in Karachi in 1892 as agent of Messrs. Warden & Co., Tile Merchants

and Government Contractors; is the oldest volunteer in Sind and was the first Parsi to be decorated with the Long Service Medal in 1913; was also awarded a Medal for services during the Great War; Donor of a Labour Ward in the Parsi Maternity Home, and a block of buildings in Ida Bieu Home for poor Parsis.

Club—The Karachi Club.

Address—Victoria Road, Karachi.

Khambatta, Late K h a n Bahadur, Dr. Kershaw Dinshaw, L.M. & S., L.R.C.P. & S.



L.C.P.S., D.P.H.; M.B.E., Poona. Born on 16th November, 1879. Died on 19th June, 1936. Son of Lt. Col. Dinshaw D. Khambatta, K.B.; V.D.; O.B.E. of Poona. Passed his L.M. & S. Examination from the Grant Medical College of Bombay in 1903. Went to England for higher education after obtaining his triple qualifications and Diploma in public health. He returned to India, and practised in Poona as a Physician and Oculist for some time, and also helped in the First Aid and Ambulance work by giving impressive lectures and collecting funds. He held a Captain's Commission as a medical officer of the Poona Rifles for fourteen years and his work there was repeatedly appreciated by the General Officer Commanding. He was offered Major's Commission to go and serve in the Great War which he refused and retired from Voluntary service, with a long service medal. On the out-

break of the Great War, he was appointed Assistant Director of Public Health for Sind Division. After serving there for some years he had to resign as the climate of Sind did not agree with him. Soon after he returned to Poona, he was selected as Medical Officer of Health for Poona City. From 1920-26, he rendered continuous and meritorious services to the city, and through his cheerful nature and genial disposition, made himself very popular amongst the Poona public. In 1926, he gave great help to the Agricultural Exhibition of the Bombay Presidency, in recognition of which he received the title of Khan Bahadur. In 1933, at the outbreak of serious plague epidemic in Poona, he took very effective and precautionary measures, and owing to his great efforts the epidemic was brought under in a short time. In appreciation of this creditable work, Government conferred on him the title of M. B. E. on 18th June, 1936, just a day before he expired. The whole City of Poona mourned his loss. Dr. Khambatta being a Freemason for a number of years, had several decorations from different Lodges in Poona.

Address—3, Jubilee Road, Poona.

Khannukar, Ganpat Mahadeoppa.
Banker, Landlord and Grass Merchant.



Belgaum. Born in October 1908. Educated at Benon Smith High School, Belgaum. His

grandfather, Yellojirao Khamnukar, was a grass merchant at Belgaum. Yellojirao left three sons behind him (1) Mahadeoppa (2) Ramjirao, Mahadeo Appa, who was a grass Contractor, during the Great War, made a name in his business and was one of the great self-made men of Belgaum. He died on the 12th January 1932, leaving three sons and one daughter (Ganpatrao, Maubhar and Krishnarao). He has built a temple at Kapileswar in memory of his father, Mahadeo Appa, at the cost of Rs. 5000. Ganpatrao, the subject of this sketch after his education joined family business at an early age. He is very social and commands great influence in Belgaum.

Address—Mujawar Gully, Belgaum.

Khaparde, The Hon. Mr. Balkrishna Ganesh, B.A., LL.B., Minister, C.P. Government. Born in August, 1880. Educated at Deccan College, Poona, and Bombay. Married Shrimant Sb. Manutai Khaparde, daughter of Sardar Baba Maharaj, First Class Sardar, Poona. After taking the LL.B. degree, he started practice as a lawyer at Amraoti (Berar). Took part in the Home Rule Agitation of the late Lokmanya Tilak and Mrs. Besant. Was Vice-Chairman of the Amraoti Municipal Committee. Entered Council in 1924 as a member of the Swaraj Party. Resigned and re-elected to Council in 1926 as a member of the Responsivist Party. Leader of the Nationalist Party in the Central Provinces Legislative Council since 1927. Leader of Opposition. Set up Nationalist Party Ministry in office in 1927 and 1929. Was leader of opposition since 1930 till he accepted office as Minister for education on 12th March, 1934.

Address—Civil Lines, Nagpur. Permanent
Address: Khaparde Wada, Amraoti.

Khare, Narayan Bhaskar, B.A., M.B., M.D., M.L.A.; Medical Practitioner, Nagpur. An elected leader of the C.P. Assembly Congress Party, and a prospective Chief Minister to the C.P. Government. Born on 19th March, 1884. Passed Matric, in 1897. After graduation got Government Scholarship from C.P. Government and went to Lahore for medical studies. Appointed an Assistant Civil Surgeon and Passed M.D., securing medal in surgery. Resigned Government service in 1916. A Member, C.P. Legislative Council, 1923-27. Was jailed in C.D. Movement. Elected Member, Indian Legislative Assembly and President, C.P. Congress Committee. Elected to the C. P. Legislative Assembly in 1937.

Address—Indira Mahal, Dhandoli, Nagpur.

Kharas, Dinshaw Kawasjee, Retired Secretary and Accountant, Lane Crawford Ltd., General Merchants, Hongkong. Born on 7th April, 1870, at Bombay. He was educated at Bombay. Married on 18th January, 1902, with Miss Baimai, daughter of Shapurjee Newrojee



Chinoy of Mathuran. His grandfather, Ookerje Kharas, was an opium merchant in China. Mr. Dinshaw K. Kharas, the subject of this life-sketch, joined the Bombay Agency of P. & O. Steam Navigation Co., on 12th July, 1890, and transferred to Hongkong on 27th December, 1905. After retirement from P. & O. Co., in 1919, he was appointed Secretary of Cafe Wiseman, Ltd., (later known as Lane Crawford, Ltd.). Retired from Lane Crawford Ltd., on 30th June, 1934. While at Hongkong he was the Treasurer and Vice-President of the Craigengower Cricket Club for several years, which (club) presented him with an ivory Shazenger lawn bowls jack, a silver wrist watch, and a silver tea set with a large tray inscribed with the words, "Presented to D. K. Kharas by the Members of the Craigengower Cricket Club as a token of esteem and appreciation for his long association with this Club extending over a

period of twenty-eight years. Hongkong, October 25th 1936." Mr. D. K. Kharas who was the President of the Parsee community for fifteen years had the honour of opening the Zoroastrian building at Hongkong, the foundation stone of which was laid, by Mrs. D. K. Kharas. The Parsi Community of Hongkong, Canton and Macao presented him with a silver coffee service set and a handsome Platinum watch for his meritorious services in the cause of Parsi Community residing in China. His personal qualities commanded the respect of all who came in contact with him. He is very generous and courteous.

Address—Napier Road, Poona.

Khardekar, Shrimant Balasaheb Hanmantro, B.A., LL.B., B.A. (Cantab);



Bar-at-Law, Professor of Law; Sykes Law College, Kolhapur. Born on 6th March, 1903. He was educated at Kolhapur; Deccan College, Poona; Elphinstone College, Bombay; Cambridge University and Lincoln's Inn, London. Mr. Khardekar has been Professor of Law, Sykes Law College, Kolhapur.

A keen sport, he has made a name as a good tennis player.

Address—Camp, Kolhapur.

Kharshedji Limji, J.P., was born in Bombay in a respectable middle class family but



not being in affluent circumstances to further higher education, he was compelled to seek service, and in 1900 joined the Bombay Cycle Agency, who were then doing ordinary cycle business in Churchgate Street. Shortly after his joining the firm, they took up a Motor Cycle Agency as well as the first Motor Car Agency in India; and later on Mr. Kharshedji

was put in full charge of the whole management. The name of the firm was thereafter changed into Bombay Cycle and Motor Agency. Under Mr. Kharshedji's management, business grew to a very big extent and in 1915 he was taken as a partner in the firm by his one-time Master, Mr. K. D. Wadia. In 1918 the owner sold his business and the Company was then turned into a Limited Company, Mr. Kharshedji Limji being the Agent along with his master who was a sleeping partner in the Agency, and the entire business was solely conducted by Mr. Kharshedji. From the year 1923, Mr. Limji has been the Sole Agent of the Company, which is not only one of the oldest motor car firms in India but a very prominent one in the trade. They have been running several Agencies of different makes of cars, their particular favourites being the Dodge and the Chrysler lines. The Bombay Cycle & Motor Agency Limited were the first retail distributors to open out an Assembly Department where cars and trucks received in components from abroad were built up into units ready to take the road. Hundreds of Parsi youths have been trained in Motor Repairing line as Motor Mechanics in his company. Mr. Kharshedji's knowledge and experience in the motoring industry are unique and during the past thirty-seven years he has been called upon to serve on many committees set up by Government, etc., dealing with Public Welfare, Charitable Movements etc., etc., Mr. Limji has also, for the last many years, been a Justice of the Peace, an Honorary Presidency Magistrate, and a Delegate of the Parsi Chief Matrimonial Court. He was also for some time a member of the Bombay Municipal Corporation when they used to elect Councillors from among the J. P's. He was one of the recipients of the Silver Jubilee Medal in commemoration of the Silver Jubilee of His late Majesty King George V.; and is a figure well-known in Bombay social circles. Mr. Limji has been a great traveller having been round the world, to Afghanistan, Persia, several times to America, and many times to Europe.

Address—125, Cumbala Hill, Bombay.

K h e r, Bal Gangadhar, B. A., LL. B.;
M. L. A. Solicitor; Leader of the Congress



to the Province by striving very hard for her separation from Bombay and her constitution as a separate autonomous Province which object has now been fully achieved.

He led the deputation of the Sind Moslems before the Royal Statutory Commission in 1929 and the Sind Financial Inquiry Committee. He functioned with credit as a Member of the Brayne (Sind) Conference and of the Sind Administrative Committee.

As a plenipotentiary of the Sind Moslems he flew to England to give evidence before the Joint Parliamentary Select Committee on Indian Reforms. These and his other varied activities point to his devotion to causes involving the good of his country and community. It may also be mentioned that he is one of the biggest landholders in Sind and takes keen interest in matters relating to agricultural improvement and the rural welfare. He is at present a member of Advisory Council of H. E. the Governor of Sind.

Address—Larkana.

Khilnany, Manohar Dass Kauramal,
B.A., M. R. A. S., Publicist, Agricultural

Party in the Bombay Provincial Legislature and Partner, Messrs. Manilal Khor and Anubhai; Notary Public Bombay. Born in 1888. Educated at Bombay; Virjivandas Madhavdas Scholar; Bhanu Daji Prizeman (Wilson College); Dakshina Fellow; Passed LL. B., 1908. Married with Miss Nigudkar. Enrolled as Vakil, 1912; as Solicitor, 1918. Elected to the Bombay Legislative Assembly in 1937. A prospective Chief Minister to the Government of Bombay.

Address:—80, Dislapade Road, Bombay.

**Khuhro, Khan Bahadur Muhamed
Ayub Shah Muhamed Khan of**



Larkana, Sind. Born in 1901, Khan Bahadur Khuhro has been a Member of the Bombay Legislative Council since 1924, and a Fellow of the University of Bombay for the last six years. He occupies a very high position in the public life of Sind. He is the Vice-President of Sind "A Z A D" (separation) Con-

ference and also of the Sind Muslims' Association. He has rendered valuable service



Specialist and Landlord, Karachi. Born on 14th Dec., 1897. Belongs to a very respectable family. An illustrious son of an illustrious father (Late Rao Bahadur Dewan Kauramal, who was a foremost literary scholar, Educationist and Social Reformer of Sind),

having inherited from the latter love of literature and public spirit. He is a graduate of Bombay University of eighteen years standing. He has taken considerable trouble in securing the best Agricultural training both at Punjab Agricultural College and Govt. of India's Imperial Agricultural Institute of Pusa. He has travelled nearly all over India. Since 1926 he is an elected member of Royal Agricultural Society of England. Since 1923, he has been associated in Sind with several responsible agricultural, cotton and Co-operative Boards and Committees of Bombay Govt. He has successfully served for over three years on Bombay Provincial Agri. Research Board as Sind's only non-official representative. He is at present serving on Sind Govt's similar Board as a senior Member. He is connected with several Social and educational institutions in Sind and in India. His work as Secy., Sind Hindu Zamindar's Association and numerous other public activities extending over fifteen years, are too well-known in Sind. He has, in the past, given advice to Agrclts. as also to one or two small native states in India. He has taken a keen public interest in matters relating to revival of arts and crafts, education and general culture. He has edited periodicals like "Younger Generation" and "Gullistan" for one and three years respectively. He has been a Life Member of Indian Red Cross Society and has to his credit health propaganda work for last so many years; is a Publicist and writer in newspapers and periodicals in Sind and outside, on topics social, moral, cultural, educational, industrial and agricultural, since 1923. He is a member of United Press Service of India. He was recently invited to attend and judge the annual show of Mombasa Horticultural society (East Africa) as the only Indian Judge, when his work was greatly appreciated. During his extensive and very successful tour of African territories undertaken with a view to study agricultural conditions as also to see how Indians were faring there he received a good deal of publicity from European and Indian Press there. He is author and publisher of several brochures and leaflets as also of books like "Pictorial Hygiene," "Man-jamania (moral stories - illustrated)," Pleasures of "Travelling copiously illustrated," "Improved Scientific Agriculture," "Morits of Manuring in Agri." "Essay on Prayer," "Bavidas the Untouchable Saint, Sarojini" (Hindu social story), "Pickings from flowery fields of literature," "Trip to Happy valley of Kashmir" (Illustrated)—all sanctioned by Govt. Education Dept. He expects to bring out shortly his projected publication, in English, "Story of Travels in the Land of Beautiful Black" (profusely illustrated).

Address:—28/6, Cosmopolitan Colony,
Karachi (Sind)

Khushalchand Khajanchi, M.L.A.
Born on 9th December, 1897, and educated at



Kamptee (C. P.)
Married to Sngani-bai on 9th June, 1912. Has one son and one daughter. He was President, Municipal Committee, Chanda, from 1929-34. Member, District Council for three years. Member, All-India Congress Committee; President, Education Society, Chanda; Vice-President, Child Welfare Committee;

Honorary Secretary, Victoria Hospital; Hon. Secretary, Sewa Samiti; President, District Committee and Provincial Congress Parliamentary Board; jailed twice in C.D. movement. Contributed funds to Congress Committee and Education Society, Chanda.

Address—Chanda, C. P.

Kibe, Wazir-ud-Doulah, Rao Bahadur Sardar Madhav Rao Vinayak Rao, M.A., M.B.A.S., F.R.S.A. Born at



Indore on the 5th of April, 1877. Received his education at the Daly College, Indore and the Mulr Central College, Allahabad. Married Miss Kamalabai. A member of the Royal Asiatic Society, London, and a Fellow of the Royal Society of Arts, London. Honorary Attache to the Hon'ble the Agent to the Governor

General in the Central India and Honorary Magistrate in the Residency area, Indore; Dewan of Dewas State Junior in 1911; made Rao Bahadur for his services in Dewas. Appointed Huzur Secretary to His Highness the Maharaja Tukojirao Holkar III and became the Excise Minister, and retired as the Deputy Prime Minister. Presided over the Sardar Bhandars and Wabandars Conference of the Bombay Presidency; the Hindi Sahitya Parishad, Benares; the Marathi Sahitya Sammelan, second session, Bombay; the Marathi Sahitya Parishad, Bombay. Corresponding Member of the Historical Records Commission, a Member of the governing body of the Bharat Itihas Samodhak Mandal, Poona. He has contributed numerous foreign

and local religions and social charities. He is the President of the Marathi Sahitya Parishad with headquarters at Poona, and a Vice-President of the Madhyabharat Hindi Sahitya Samiti Indore. Attended the Second Round Table Conference, 1931. In the same year he delivered a lecture on Federation at a meeting of the East India Association, London, presided over by Sir Leslie Wilson. In 1933 he appeared before the Joint Parliamentary Committee on behalf of the landholders of the Bombay Presidency. He is the author of the "League of Nations" and the "Indian States," the "Currency Policy of the Indian States," etc.

Address—Saraswati Niketan, Sanyogitaganj, Indore, C. I.

Kibe, Mrs. Kamalabai, comes from the Kolhapur branch of the ancient historical



family of Sardesai, who flourished in the Ratnagiri District of Bombay Presidency. She is an able writer in Marathi of Prose, Poetry and social subjects and stories. She was elected to represent the women of India in the Deputation to the late Right Hon'ble Mr. Montague and Lord Chelmsford at Madras. She is a member of the

All-India Women's Education Association. Along with her husband she has been appointed corresponding member of the Indian Historical Records Commission by the Government of India. She has been the President of the several women's Conferences in the Deccan, and the President of the Annual Ceremony of the Marathi Granth Sangrahalaya, Bombay. Presided over the Provincial Hindi Sahitya Sammelan held at Jullandhar (Punjab); the Borar Provincial Women's Educational Conference in the year 1934.

Address—Saraswati Niketan, Sanyogitaganj, Indore, C. I.

Kidwai Mushir Hosain, Barrister and Member Council of State, was born in 1878. He received his education at Lucknow and London. He has travelled extensively. He was an elected member of the Legislative Assembly for three terms. The Ex-Sultan of Turkey conferred on him "Umanina" with the title of His Excellency. He is the author of many publications.

Address—Mushir Manzil, Lucknow.

Kikabhai Mohamedali Safir, Managing Agent of the firm, Messrs. Kadorbhai



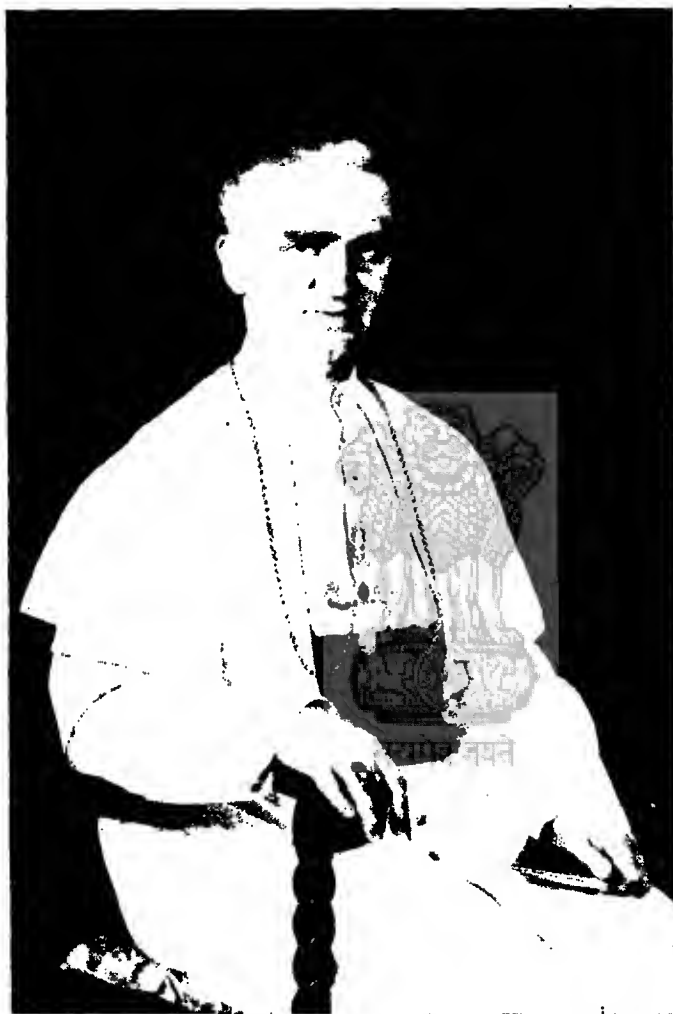
Noorali, General Merchants and Burmah-Shell Agents, Dharangaon, (District East Khandesh). Born in 1904. Educated at Hukimnia Coronation High School, Burhanpur and P. R. High School, Dharangaon. Married at Dharangaon in 1924, with Miss Batulbai, daughter of Seth Kadorbhai Noorali, (having one son and two daughters). After education joined the business in 1920; which he extended on considerably large scale. A nominated Municipal Councillor at Dharangaon; Chairman of the Municipal School Board, and Member of the excise advisory committee.

Address—Dharangaon, East Khandesh.

Kikabhai Premchand, Sir Kt. (1931): Financier, Bombay. Born on 1st April, 1893. Educated at Bombay. Married Lady Lily. Member, Legislative Assembly from 1927-1930. Member, Indian Central Committee which co-operated with the Indian Statutory Committee. He was Sheriff of Bombay in 1932.

Address—Promodyan, Byculla or 63, Apollo Street, Bombay.

Kierkels, H. E. Leo Peter, D.D.; Archbishop of Salamia, 1931; Apostolic Delegate of the East Indies, 1931. Born 12th December, 1892. Educated at the Ecclesiastical Schools in



Belgium, France, Palestine and Rome. Entered Passionist Order in 1899; was ordained priest in 1906; Professor of Philosophy and Theology in Rome (1907-1915); Secretary-General of the Passionist Order in 1915; Procurator-General in 1920, Superior General in 1925; Consultor of the Sacred Congregations of Religions and Propaganda. Visited all the Houses of his Order established in most European countries, in North and South America

and Australia. As Apostolic Delegate represents the Pope in India, Burma, Ceylon and Malacca, with supervisory jurisdiction over all the Catholic Missions in these countries.

Address—17, Palace Road, Bangalore.

Killedar, Mohamed Moosa, J.P., M.L.A.,
Honorary Presidency Magistrate, Corporator,



Merchant and Landlord, Bombay. Born on 11th October, 1904 at Broach. Educated at Imperial High School, Bombay and Gazi Mustafa Kemal Pasha High School, Omar-khaddi. His father, Moosa Haji Mohamed Killedar, came to Bombay from Broach about fifty years ago. He started dealing in milch cattle. Later started the dairy business and constructed a stable, the humble beginning of a great success. A leader of Nagori Jamat of Broach and Bombay. Sheth Moosa Hajee Mohamed, died on 3rd April, 1923, leaving the only son. Mr. Mohamed, the Milk king of Bombay at present, the business is still conducted in the name of 'Moosa Haji Mohamed Killedar and Bros' and to his honour the "Killedar St." at Byculla was named after him. After the death of his father, Mr. Mohamed Moosa began to take zealous part in the activities of many Associations, educational and social. Entered the Bombay Corporation from E ward in 1929, being the youngest member therein. Was a Member of Schools Committee, Works Committee, Public Health Committee and Haj Committee. In 1932, re-elected to the Corporation, having topped the poll in E ward securing 35,000 the highest number of votes in the elections. Again re-elected to the Corporation, from E ward in 1935, topping the poll, in spite of keen contest and a member of Schools Committee,

etc. Created J. P. in 1933. Appointed Hon. Presidency Magistrate, 1934. Has been a Member, Young Men's Muslim Association for the last twelve years of which he was President, 1932-1935; Treasurer, Anjuman-Tyilmul-Muslim since its inception in 1921. He was founder of the Muslim Ambulance Society which was started in 1932, and is the first of its kind among the Muslim Community in India and he is President of the Society. Also President of Anjuman-Tahafuzi-Aukf started to support the Wakf Act; President, Anjuman-Sadat-ul-Kowne which provides the poor with funeral facilities. Was also Chairman, Haji Adam Sidick Trust. Visited Europe, Arabia and Asia Minor in 1931, and studied the problem of milk-supply at London, Denmark and Norway. Was a delegate to the International Dairy Congress at Copenhagen. A young man of forward views, he is a popular figure among all communities in Bombay. Elected to the Bombay Legislative Assembly as a Muslim League candidate in February, 1937. And elected Chairman, Schools Committee of Bombay Municipal Corporation for 1937-1938.

Address—Killedar Street, Jacob Circle, Bombay 11.

Kirtane, Vasudeo Vishnu, Pleader.

Born on 20th June, 1887. Educated at Wilson High School, Bombay. Married on 20th May, 1913, to Sumatibai, daughter of Y. J. Joshi of Bombay, (one daughter). Passed School final, 1906. Took up service in Oriental Life Insurance Company, and later in Postal Dept. till 1913. In 1912 he passed District Pleader's examination and started



practice at Dahanu in September, 1913; and is a leading Practitioner in Thana District. Has been taking part in Congress movement since 1921. President of the District Congress Committee and Taluka Congress Committee, 1924-1925. Sarpanch of Village Panchayat, Dhanu, for three years. President, Native General Library for five years. Has been President, Samarth Sangh and Vice-President and Treasurer, Rugna Shushrusha Mandir since 1931. Also Member of the District Local Board from 1928-1931. Was arrested under ordinance. Possesses a good comradeship of his wife, Mrs. Sumatibai, in his political activities. Mrs. Sumatibai, who was a Dictator of the District Congress Com-

mittee, was sentenced to six months' rigorous imprisonment in 1932. Has been a sitting member of the District Local Board and District School Board since 1935. Has been President of the District Congress Committee and member of A. I. C. C. since 1936, and is also a member of the National Convention.

Address—Dahanu. B. B. and C. I. Bly

Knox, K. V., M. A., I. C. S., Revenue Minister, Kashmir State. Educated at Winchester College, Edinburgh; University and Balliol College, Oxford; M. A. from the Edinburgh University, in 1889; I. C. S., in 1901; Assistant Magistrate up to 1915; Collector, for a short time; Settlement Officer for Gorakhpur, 1915-19; Collector of Allahabad from 1919-1924; Settlement Commissioner, United Provinces, 1926-1932; Commissioner of Jhansi Division, 1932-1934; Member, Board of Revenue, United Provinces, 1935.

Address—Srinagar, Kashmir.

Kodanda Rao, Pandurang, Secretary, Servants of India Society. Poona and Editor.



"The Servant of India," Poona. Born on 25th December, 1889, he was educated mostly in Chingle, Vizagapatnam, and Madras. He took the B.A., (Hons.) course in Botany in the Presidency College, Madras, and took M.A., (Hons.) degree in 1917. He then served as Lecturer in Botany in the Central College, Bangalore, from 1915 to 1921, and during that period he helped to organise two Festivals of Fine Arts in Bangalore in 1919 and 1921 under the auspices of the Amateur Dramatic Association. In 1921 he joined the Servants of India Society and for a great part of the last ten years was on duty with the Rt. Hon. V. S. Srinivas Sastri. He

accompanied Mr. Sastri as his Private Secretary on his three visits to South Africa,—in 1926 for the first Cape Town Conference, in 1927 as the agent of the Government of India in South Africa, and in 1932 for the second Cape Town Conference. He also visited East Africa in 1929, and presided over the first All-Tanganyika Indian Conference at Dar-es-Salaam. Later he accompanied Mr. Sastri to London in 1931 on the latter's East African Mission and the Round Table Conference. He has been the Secretary of the Servants of India Society and Editor of the "Servant of India" since 1930. Has been awarded by the Harvard University a Research Scholarship to Study "Race Relations."

Publications—"Malabar Tenancy Problem," etc.

Address—Servants of India Society, Poona.

Kode, Dattatraya Balkrishna, Pleader, Deogad, District Ratnagiri. Educated at



Kuvali, Deogad School and Malvan High School. Married in 1932 to Sushilabi, daughter of Purnashottam Appashot Parkar of Hindale, Taluka Deogad (now daughter). Passed Matric in 1931. Stood first class first (second group) in Advocate's examination in 1933. A son of a Khot (landlord). He takes active

part in public affairs and contributes towards public charities. Also is working in several institutions in various capacities.

Address—Deogad Dist., Ratnagiri.

Kothavala, Peroze Dhanjishah, B.A., LL.B., Dewan, Rajpipla State, was born on 19th April, 1886. He had his education at Rajpipla High School, Elphinstone College, Bombay and Government Law College, Bombay. As a Lawyer he practised on the Appellate Side of the Bombay High Court from 1912-15. He was appointed Private Secretary to H. H. the Maharaja of Rajpipla in 1916, and became Naib Dewan of the State in 1927 and Dewan in November, 1930.

Address—Rajpipla State.

Kotak, Rao Bahadur Harjivandas Bhavanbhai, B.A., LL.B., Dewan, Janjira



State. Born on 31st August, 1872. He was educated at Bombay. After passing his LL.B., in 1898 he soon distinguished himself as an able lawyer. He was appointed as a special Public Prosecutor at Wankar in 1899, and became Najib Dewan and Sar-

nyadhish in March, 1900. During his seven years' service he earned the esteem of the Ruler and ruled, and on retirement he was presented with a Peshak and an annuity for life. Was appointed Dewan of Rajkot State in October, 1907. He organised the State services and introduced various measures giving an impetus to trades and industries of the State. In 1917 the Government of India was pleased to give him a certificate of merit, and in June, 1920, he was made Rao Bahadur. After fourteen years' service in Rajkot, he was appointed General Manager, East India Cotton Association, Ltd., and was there for five years, during this time he was made J.P., by the Government of Bombay. He was Dewan of Idar State nearly two years from 1926. Even during the short time he was there he introduced many reforms and so improved the financial position of the State that he earned the encomiums of the Government of Bombay. Later on he was appointed Dewan of Janjira State during the Regency Administration. During the Regency Administration Rao Bahadur Kotak conducted the affairs of the State with great skill and efficiency, and this fact was alluded to by Lt. Col. Wilberforce-Ell, C. I. E., A. G. C., Deccan States, in his speech delivered in the Darbar held on the occasion of the Investiture Ceremony of H. H. the Nawab Sahib in November, 1933, when he observed as follows:—"Rao Bahadur Kotak is an old friend of mine, and is an able and trustee administrator." Since his assuming office as Dewan of Janjira State he put an end to the long standing Hindu-Muslim dispute at Shrivardhan to the entire satisfaction of both the sides to the dispute. He has developed the State ports of Shrivardha and Juffrad, and thereby added to the revenues of the State of which no small benefit is available to the subjects. He has considerably added to the transport facilities in the State by building bridges and culverts and improving all the arterial roads in the State. A new port has been opened at Salav adding thereby greatly to the convenience of

the travelling public. With the whole-hearted co-operation of a highly popular and gifted Ruler His Highness Sidi Muhammad Khan Bahadur he has been able to bring about many an administrative and economic reform in the State.

Address—Janjira-Murad.

Kolabhai, Khan Bahadur Ardeshir, Forest Contractor, Bulsar. Born in August,



1873, he was educated at Sir R.J.J. School, Bulsar and Fort High School, Bombay. Married in 1883 with Navajbai, daughter of late Govorji Bomanji, Landlord of Tarapora (two sons and one daughter). His father, Kolabhai, was a liquor Contractor in Dharam-pore State. Khan Bahadur Ardeshir started business at the age of eighteen as a Bamboo Contractor in the Dang Forests (Surat District) and later as a partner with the Government in the Timber Contract, at Wagroch Depot, near Billimora; subsequently he became a permanent and prominent Contractor in the whole of Guzerat and Kathiawar. His name is much familiar with all the Guzerat and Kathiawar timber merchants. A self-made man, he rose to the top of business from 1900-1907. He is still very active, though sixty-four years old. A generous-hearted man, he is very much liked by all his superior European and Indian Officers who spoke highly about his prompt execution of work. He has given a good share in the development of the Dang; and has always helped the Government for the betterment of the Dang's people.

Address—Bulsar, District Surat.

Kowadkar, Govind Shantaram,
L. C. P. S., Private Medical Practitioner,



Belgaum. Born on 3rd January, 1898. Educated at Sardar High School, Belgaum, and B. J. Medical School, Poona. Married in 1914 with Laxmibai, daughter of Dandappa Tonkari of Daddi (three sons and two daughters). Passed L.C.P.S., 1923. In 1924, he started practice at Bel-

gaum. Specialized in Ainal Morwanji Channarwarbagwala Ophthalmic Hospital, Parol, 1924. Takes keen interest in public affairs. Joined the Congress movement in 1930; was second president of the District War Council during the C.D. movement; sentenced to 7½ months R.I. during C.D. movement in 1930. A Member, Belgaum Municipality for three years; Chairman, Sanitary Committee for one year; a Member, National Baby Week Committee since 1924. In 1931, he started the Maratha Mandal with a view to put a stop to narrow communalism in public life. Now he has withdrawn from almost all public activities as he thinks the public institutions either more communal or linguistic.

Address—Belgaum.

Kowjalgi, Shrinivas Venkatesh, B.A.,
LL.B., Advocate and a Nationalist Leader,



Bijapur. Born on 16th June, 1879, at Kaladgi, District Bijapur. Educated at Dharwar High

School and Deccan College, Poona. Married in 1894 with Miss Tulshabai, daughter of Pandurang Naik Mindkavi of Mahalingpur. (Two sons and two daughters). Passed Matric, 1899; B.A., 1894; LL.B., 1896. Commenced practice at Bijapur from June, 1897. Elected to Bijapur Municipality, 1897, and has been a Member for the last thirty-one years during which period he was Chairman for several years and President for nine years. Started the Southern Mahratta High School at Bijapur, 1901, but which had to be closed owing to Government refusing to give recognition to it. Joined the Indian National Congress and worked as a disciple of late Mr. Tilak in the Home Rule League Movement. Took a leading part in the Congress Movement and was some time a Member of the Working Committee of the Indian National Congress; a Member of the All-India Congress Committee since 1921; President of the Karnatak Provincial Congress Committee several times; sentenced in 1922 to one year's rigorous imprisonment; one of the Vice-Presidents of the Reception Committee, Belgaum Congress, 1925; presided over the Poona District Conference at Baramati 1921, and the District Conference of Mangalore; a Life-Member of the Indian Women's University, and a Member of the Bharat-Utthasanashodhak Mandal, Poona.

Address—Bijapur.

Kirpalani, Hiranand Khushiram,

C.I.E. (1937); I.C.S., M.A., (Bom.). B.A. (Oxon.), Bar-at-Law (Lincoln's Inn); Chief Secretary to the Government of Sind. Born on 28th January, 1888, and educated at N.H. Academy Hyderabad, Sind, D. J. Sind Collage, Karachi, and Merton College, Oxford. He became Assistant Collector and Magistrate Ahmedabad, Broach and Surat from 1912-18. His subsequent official career may be summarised thus:—Municipal Commissioner, Surat, from 1918-20; Taluqdari Settlement Officer, Gujarat in 1921 and Deputy Municipal Commissioner, Bombay, in the same year; Collector and District Magistrate, Kaira from 1923-24, and Deputy Secretary to Government Revenue Department from 1924-26; Acting Municipal Commissioner for the City of Bombay in 1926 and Collector of Kolaba in 1928; Deputy Secretary Indian Central Committee in 1929, and Collector of Panch Mahals and Political Agent Rewa Kantha from 1930-1931; Municipal Commissioner for the City of Bombay from 1931-34. Secretary General Department, Government of Bombay in 1935.

Address—Secretariat, Karachi.

Krishnaswami Ayyar, Dewan Bahadur, Sir Alladi, Kt., B.A.B.L., Born in May 1883. He was educated at Christian College, Madras; passed B.A. in 1904; B.L. 1906; enrolled as High Court Vakil in July, 1907; was apprenticing under the late Justice P. R. Sundra Ayyar;



was connected with the Madras University for several years and was twice a Member of the Syndicate of the Madras University; is a member of the Committee of the Sanskrit College, Mysore. He takes keen interest in several public, social and religious movements. Has subscribed large amounts to a number of charitable and educational institutions. He has been helping several poor students. Has a large and lucrative practice in the Madras High Court. He is a Member of Cosmopolitan Club, Madras. Awarded Kaiser-i-Hind Medal, 1926; made Diwan Bahadur in 1930; delivered the Andhra University

Convocation Address in 1930; has been Advocate-General of Madras since 1929; knighted in 1931. Was a nominated member of the Madras Legislative Council; served on the Export Committee appointed to consider the sale of goods and Partnership Bills. Endowments in the educational institutions, such as, Ramakrishna Students' Home, Andhra University, Annamalai University, and Madras University.

Address—"Ekamra Nivas," 27, Luz Church Road, Mylapore, Madras.

Krishnamachari, T. T., B.A. (1921), Merchant, Madras, is the son of Dewan Bahadur,



T. T. Rangachari. Born on 26th November, 1899, at Madras. Educated in Madras Christian College. Married, and has four sons. Took to business in 1922. Elected to the Madras Legislative Assembly from the Indian Commerce constituency. He is representing Lever Bros. Ltd., and their associated companies in the Native States of Mysore, Travancore, and Cochin for South India and besides other British and American Manufacturers. Member, South India Chamber of Commerce. Has branches in Cochin, Coconada, Madura, Trivandrum, Tuticorin, Coimbatore, Calicut and Bangalore. Club: Cosmopolitan, Madras.

Address—11/14, Armonian Street, Madras.

Krishnan Nayar, Rao Bahadur

Chettur, B.A., B.L., was born in 1877. He was educated at the Victoria College, Palghat, Pachaiyappa's and Christian Colleges, Madras. Passed B.A. in 1897 and B.L. in 1900. Apprenticed for law under the late Sir C. Sankaran Nair and enrolled as a Vakil of the Madras High Court in 1901. After serving as a Junior under Sir C. Sankaran Nair for three years, he transferred his practice in 1904 to Madura where he was appointed Government Pleader and Public Prosecutor in 1916; was appointed Special Judge of Pudukottah in 1925 and 1926; Lecturer in Criminal Procedure Code by the Bar Council, Madras, 1934; was nominated Municipal Councillor for three terms till 1920; nominated member, District Board for three terms till 1932; made Rao Sahab in 1925, and Rao Bahadur in 1929.

Address—Moonakshi Mahal, Madura.

Krishnaswami Iyer, Rao Bahadur, K.V., B.A., B.L., M.L.C., Advocate, Madras. Born in 1885, he was educated at Town High School, Kumbakonam, Kumbakonam College and Madras Presidency College. Passed B.A. in 1908; B.L. 1906. Started practice in 1907. Nominated member of the Law College Council; Member of the Senate; Chairman of the Tamil Lexicon Committee; Member, Board of Studies in Law; Examiner for M. L. Ex-

amination and Member of the Syndicate of the University from 1923; has organized the Madras Library Association of which he is the President; he is a member of the Executive Committee of the Sanskrit Academy and Trustee of the Music Academy. Has been nominated to the Legislative Council for purposes of the Public Libraries Bill.

Address:—6, North Madra Street, Mylapore, Madras.

Kunjan Pillai, Rao Saheb Dr. Narayana Pillai, M.A., Ph. D., Chief Secretary to the Government of Travancore. Born in 1881.

Educated at the Maharaja's College, Trivandrum. Graduated from Madras University in 1908 with First Class Honours in Chemistry, standing first in the Presidency. Won the Ross Gold Medal and the Arni Gold Medal. The Travancore Govt. granted him a foreign scholarship to undergo training in Agriculture, in 1903. He took the B. Sc., and M. A. degrees from Edinburgh. Specialised in Agricultural Bacteriology from the University of Leipzig and took the Ph. D. with First Class Honours. On his return to Travancore in 1908 he was appointed as Director of Agriculture. In addition to that duty, he was appointed Director of Fisheries. He represented Travancore at the British Empire Exhibition, Wembley, in 1924. He became a Member of the Economic Development Board in 1920 and was subsequently its President in the course of one year. He has been a nominated member of the Legislative Council from 1920. Made Rao Sahab in 1928; was Census Commissioner, Travancore, 1931. Official as Diwan of Travancore from 20th February 1934 to March 1934.

Address:—Trivandrum.

Kulkarni, Trimbak Appaji, B.A., S. T. C. D., Founder of the Gokhale Education



Society and Principal Housraj Praggi

Thackersey College, Nasik. Born on 5th September, 1883. Educated at Nutan Marathi Vidyalya, Poona, Garud High School, Dhulia and Wilson College, Bombay. Married in 1911 with Dr. Chandubai, M.B.B.S. Passed Matric, 1900; B. A., 1904; S. T. C. D., 1906. Joined Government Service as Assistant Teacher, Elphinstone High School, 1906-1911, and B. J. High School, Thana, 1912. Started with the help of a band of young workers the New English School (now known as Dharamsey Govindji Thackersey School) in Bombay, 1912. Founded the Gokhale Education Society in 1918 with branches at Parol (now known as Ramchandra Bhatt High School); Started a Boarding School at Bardi, Dist. Thana, 1920. Started the Hansraj Praggi Thackersey College at Nasik, 1924. Joined Mr. N.M. Joshi, M. L. A., as Joint Secretary of Social Service League, 1911-1924; was Secretary, Bombay Presidency Social Reform Association, 1917-1924; Secretary, Bombay Presidency Released Prisoners' Aid Society for three years; was one of the Organizers of District Congress Committees in Bombay, 1915-1920; took a leading part in convening the Indian National Congress under the presidency of late Lord Sinha, 1915. Has been a Member of the Senate of Bombay University since 1926.

Address—Nasik.

Kulkarni, Dr. Mrs. Chandubai, M. B. B. S. Born in 1893. Educated at the



Students' Literary and Scientific Society's High School, Bombay and Grant Medical College, Bombay. Married in 1911 to Principal T. A. Kulkarni of H. P. T. College, Nasik. Passed Matric 1910. M. B. B. S., 1919. Was in charge of Bachubai Dispensary at Parol, 1920-1922. Also one of the founders of Women's Hostel in Bombay under the auspices of Bombay Presidency Social Reform Association.

Address—Nasik.

Kulkarni, Rao Bahadur Atmaram

Keshav, B. A., Dewan, Chhota Udepur, one of the states in the Guzerat States Agency. Born on 1st August, 1880. He entered the Revenue Department of the Government of Bombay at the age of twenty-five and steadily rose from a fifth grade Mamlatdar to be a second grade Deputy Collector. His name has been brought to the notice of the Government of India for valuable services rendered in India in connection with the War. He was personal Assistant to the Collector of Poona, Nasik, and Thana. In 1924 he was deputed as Government Kharbari, Jamkhadi State and was there for three years. A couple of years later he was posted to Cambay State as Administrator from 25th October, 1930 and as Dewan from 18th December, 1930. He also held the post of Special Officer, Railway Projects, P. W. D. Secretariat, Bombay. After serving in Bhasawal, Sangamner, Ahmednagar, Poona, Nasik and Sholapur, he was appointed City Magistrate (First class) of Pandra, July, 1931 to August, 1935, during which period he was very popular and won the esteem of lawyer and litigant alike by his sympathy and consideration. His talents and wide administrative experience are sure to help him in his new appointment.

Address—Chhota Udepur.

Kulkarni, Karvirappa Andanappa,

Pleader, Dharwar. Born on 21st November,



1879, he was educated at Mission High School, Dharwar and Bombay. Married in 1900, to Miss Nilava, daughter of Bhimangouda Patil of Hubli, and has three sons and one daughter. Mr. Kulkarni passed school Final in 1898 and District Pleader's Examination in

1905. He started practice at Dharwar in the same year. His interest in public activities has made him very popular in Dharwar. He was nominated to Dharwar Municipality in 1908 and was its Chairman of the Managing Committee for four years from 1908. He was elected member of Dharwar Municipality in 1932 and was its President twice

in 1932 and 1934. He is again elected as its President on 30-7-1936. He is also President, Voersaiy Temples Committee since 1920. Made a Continental tour in 1929.

Address—Dharwar.

Kulkarni, Jivaji Govind, G. B. V. C.,
Veterinary Assistant Surgeon, Belgaum.



Born in 1885. Educated at Rajnaram High School, Kolhapur and Veterinary College, Bombay. Married in 1913 to Miss Kamalabai, daughter of Hanumantrao Kabbur, and has five sons and four daughters. Took a Diploma from Veterinary College, Bombay, in 1907. Joined

Government service as Veterinary Assistant Surgeon in 1907. Proceeded to England in 1929 and underwent a post-graduate course at Royal Veterinary College, Edinburgh.

Address—Veterinary Hospital, Belgaum.

Kulkarni, Ganesh Ramchandra, B.A.,
L.T.B., Pleader and Chairman, District School



Board, Satara, Korogau. Born on 17th November, 1897. Educated at Satara, New

English School and Fergusson College, Poona. Married in 1920 with Miss Saraswatibai, daughter of Wadikar of Vita and has five sons. Passed Matric in 1916; B.A., 1920; L.T.B., 1922. Commenced practice at Rahimatpur Court in January, 1923, and has now built up a flourishing practice both as a junior and as a leader. Of a kindly and generous nature and noted for his ever ready and unostentatious assistance to those in need, he is having a wide circle of friends in the whole of Satara District. His keen interest in public activities are not unknown. He has been President, Korogau Co-operative Bank Ltd., for the last five years; elected to Satara District Local Board in 1935; elected Chairman, Dist. School Board the same year. He is the President of the Korogau Motor Union, started in 1933.

Address—Post Korogau, Dist. Satara.

Kulkarni (Dudhagaonkar), Sadashio
Balvant, Ayurvedic Doctor, Kolhapur. Born

on 9th June, 1887.

Educated at Dudhagam and Kolhapur. Married in 1924 with Miss Dwarakabai Zurale of Kolhapur (one daughter). A



disciple of Prana-charya Balashastri Jagvankar of Poona, he has started an Ayurvedic Pharmacy

for manufacturing medicines (Gadanigrahalaya) wherein special designed machinery worked out by electric motor has been installed. A municipal councillor, he is Vice-President of Doshastha Rigvedi Brahmin Education Society, Kolhapur. He has donated a sum to Ramnath Tarachand Hospital at Poona.

Address—Gadanigrahalaya, Shivaji Peth, Kolhapur.

Kumar, Shree Mulrajsinji, of Virpur, Dewan, Palitana. Born 8th March, 1898. Educated at Rajkumar College, Rajkot, Tanbridge School, Kent and Agricultural College, Wye (England). Married in 1913. After completing his education, joined the Army and received King's Commission during the War. Served in trenches in France, with Duke of Cornwall, Light Infantry England, Royal Marines Light Infantry in France, with 5th Light Infantry and 104 Wellesley's Rifles in India during the Afghan War in 1919-1920, and Waziristan Field Force, 1920-1921; A.D.C. to H. H. The Maharaja of Palitana, 1921-1929. Became Dewan, Palitana, State, 1929.

Address—Palitana, Kathiawar.

Kulkarni, (Ghodgerikar) B a n d o Bhaurao, B.A., LL.B., Pleader, Kolhapur.

Born in 1900. Educated at Sirdars High School, Belgaum and Rajaram College, Kolhapur. Married Mrs. Indirabai Kulkarni (two sons and two daughters). Passed B.A. in 1925; LL.B. in 1928. Was an Alfred Scholar and a

Fellow in Rajaram College, Kolhapur, 1924-25. Was Sub-editor of the College magazine "Rajaramian." Has been practising as a pleader in Kolhapur for the last six years and conducting the "Kolhapur Law Class." Is Secretary, Deshastha Rigvedi Brahmin Shik Sanottojak Sanstha, Kolhapur. Has specially studied Insurance and Railway laws.

Address—Mahadwar Road, Kolhapur.

Kurian, John P., Rubber Export Controller for India and Burma, is the youngest son of

late Mr. P. John, Kottayam the pioneer Indian Planter. He was born in October, 1894.

Educated in Travancore, Madras and Bombay. He broke off College career to apprentice as an accountant and took to business very early in life. He is the Manager, The Mulunkara Rubber & Produce Co., Ltd., from 1927; Manager, The Karinkulam Tea Estate, Ltd., Manager, The Karintharuvi Tea Estate, Ltd., Manager, The Pullikannam Tea Estates, Ltd., from 1936. He is also a Member, Indian Tea Licensing Committee. His professional abilities have been highly recognised. He is a generous hearted young man of forward views and has got a wide circle of friends.

Address—Mahankara Building, Kottayam, Travancore.

Lad, Martand Malhar, B. A., LL. B., Pleader and President, District Maratha

Association, Belgaum. Born on 1st April, 1898. Educated at Benson Smith High School, Belgaum Rajaram College, Kolhapur and Law College, Poona. Passed Matric 1920; B. A. 1926; LL.B., 1929. Commenced practice at Belgaum from March, 1930. He has been taking a keen interest in public affairs. He was a Nominated Member, Belgaum Municipality for the last four years. Also a nominated Member, District Local Board, Belgaum. A Director, Belgaum Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd.; President, District Maratha Association for three years; President, District Primary Maratha Teachers' Association for

the last three years; Vice-President, Lower grade Postal Staff Union, Belgaum. He is a prominent figure in the non-Brahmins' Community in Belgaum. He was awarded Silver Jubilee Medal in May, 1935.

Address—Jalgar Street, Belgaum.

Lakshmi Bai, Setu, C.I., LL.D., Her Highness The Senior Maharani of Travancore,

was born on 19th November, 1895. Her Highness had her early education both in Sanskrit and English under the eminent scholar, the late Raja Kerala Varma, C.S.I., F.M.U. Her Highness was married to the second nephew of Raja Kerala Varma, (C. S. I.). She has two daughters. On the demise of H.H. the late Maharaja of Travancore in August 1924, Her Highness became the Maharani Regent of the State during the minority of nephew, the present Maharaja, till October 1931. During the seven years of her regency Her Highness distinguished herself as a capable ruler and administrator. Her Highness' ability and Statesmanship were amply recognised by the British Government when H. F. the Viceroy personally bestowed upon Her Highness the title of C. I. The University of Madras conferred on her the Honorary Degree of LL. D., in 1932. Her Highness is now in charge of her estates at Attungal.

Address—Trivandrum.

Lakshmipathi, Mrs. Rukmani Ammal, B.A., is the grand daughter of Raja



T. Ramrao and was born in 1891. She passed her B. A. from the Women's Christian College, Madras. Secretary, Bharata Shri Mahamandal; Delegate, 10th International Women's Suffrage Alliance Congress at Paris, in June 1926; was Member, Chingleput District Board and

Madras University Senate; first woman to be imprisoned in Satyagraha Movement for breaking Salt Law, 1930; President, Youth League, Madras. Elected to the Madras Legislative Assembly in 1937.

Address—43, Harris Road, Mount Road, Madras.

Lal Jan, S. M., G.I.A., M.L.A. (Madras), F.M.U. F.A.U.; Broker, Messrs. Volkart Bros., Guntur. Born on 15th January, 1897, at Guntur. Educated at Guntur. Married in 1916 to Fathem Muniza Begum, daughter of Dr. Abdul Azeez. He was a Member, Madras Legislative Council for the last term; President, Guntur Secondary Educational Board; was Municipal Councillor for 2½ years; was Member, Excise Board, Guntur; was Member, District Board Guntur. Elected to the Madras Legislative Assembly in 1937, representing Guntur Muslim Constituency and is an elected Member of the Legislative Council as Senator to Andhra and Madras Universities. He is a Member of District Educational Council; President, Young Men's Muslim Association and of Thanze-Mul-Islam, Guntur District; is Trustee of Anjuman-1-Islam, Guntur.

Address—Mul-Islam, Guntur Dist.

Lalkaka, Jehangir Ardeshir, comes of the well-known Lalkaka family of Ahmedabad



and is the grandson of Khan Bahadur Sir Nowroji Pestonji Vakil C.I.E. Born on 4th March, 1884, he received his early education at Ahmedabad High School, Elphinstone College, and Sir J. J. School of Art, Bombay. He then proceeded to England for further studies, and joined St John's Wood and Westminster Schools of Art, London, and studied for some time with Mr. A. Stanhope Forbes, R. A., at Newlyn. Also studied in Paris and travelled on the Continent to see the well-known Picture Galleries and Museums. He married Miss Tahmi Jamsetji Kharas of Bandra on 6th December, 1914. He has executed many public memorial life-size portraits for Bombay and up-country including those of Sir Pherozshah M. Mehta for the Muni-

pal Corporation, Bombay, unveiled by H. E. Sir George Lloyd; Sir D. E. Wacha's portrait in the Bombay University; Dr. Dadabhai Nowroji's portrait and Principal A. J. Covert's portrait for the Elphinstone College; Sir Nowrojee Postonjee Vakil's portrait for the Nowrojee Hall, Ahmedabad; H. H. the Nawab of Rampur's life-size portrait for the Durbar Hall, Rampur; and H. E. Sir Leslie Wilson's portrait as District Grand Master for the Masonic Hall, Bombay; Sir Frederick Sykes' portrait for Ismail College, Bombay; Sir James Shifton's portrait for the Council Chamber, Patna, and Lord Bratourne's portrait for the Secretariat, Bombay. He has been also a Member of the Government of Bombay Board of examiners for Art Examinations from 1916-37. His excellence in painting attracted the attention of the public and the Government, and he was selected by the Government of India in the All-India Open Competition in 1929 at Delhi, to proceed to London to prepare copies of the State portraits of Their Majesties, the King and Queen, for the Viceroy's House, New Delhi. He showed such great skill and industry in this work that on his return from England in 1931, he was appointed Deputy Director, Sir J. J. School of Art by the Govt. of Bombay, and was the Associate Director of the School, 1934-35. In 1935 he reverted to private practice as a portrait painter. He was awarded Their Majesties Silver Jubilee Medal by the Government of India in 1935.

Address—The Studio, 20, Nepolean Sea Road, Bombay.

Lambert, Henry, M.A. (Cantab.), Principal, Patna College. Born on 22nd February, 1881. Educated at Horse School and Trinity College, Cambridge. Married Violet Crawford, daughter of Lieut. Col. D. G. Crawford, I.M.S. (retired). He was Assistant Master, Felsted School, for nearly three years, and later on joined the Indian Educational Service. He was appointed Inspector of Schools in Bengal, Bihar and Orissa; Principal, Ravenshaw College, Cuttack; Principal, Patna College; Officiating D.P.T., Bihar and Orissa.

Address—Patna, E.I. Railway.

Langley, George Harry, M.A., Vice-Chancellor, Dacca University. Born on 14th July, 1881. Educated at the University, Reading; Scholar in Logic and Psychology, London University (1906); M.A. in Philosophy with special mark of distinction, University of London (1909). Married in 1913 Evelyn Mary Biggart, Armagh. Joined the Indian Educational Service in 1913 and was appointed Professor, Presidency College, Calcutta; Professor of Philosophy, Dacca College, 1913;

Professor of Philosophy and Provost of Dacca Hall, University of Dacca, 1921-25; Acting Vice-Chancellor, Dacca University, July to September, 1925; President, Indian Philosophical Congress, 1931; Chairman, Inter-University Board, 1933-34.

Publications: "Articles in Mind," "Proceedings of Aristotelian Society," "Hibbert Journal," "Dacca University Bulletin," "Indian Philosophical Review," etc.

Address—Ramma, Dacca, B. Bengal.

Laskary, Feroz Nanabhoj, Retired Central Agent, Singer Sewing Machine Co.,



Kurachi. Born on 9th September, 1875, at Bombay. Educated at Bombay High School and Fort High School. Belongs to an ancient family of Parsees who are celebrated for their commercial and intellectual attainments in India. His forefathers, it appears, held prominent ranks in the Maratha Army, and

that is why, according to the customs and convention amongst the Parsees, to be styled after the manner of their trade, the family came to be known as Laskary. His father, Seth Nanabhoj Nasserwanji Laskary, was a P.W.D. Contractor of great reputation at Harda. After completion of his education Mr. F. N. Laskary took up a job at Harda with Ralli Brothers with whom he stayed from 1892-1895. Joined the Singer Manufacturing Co. as a shop Manager, Indore, in 1895. Was in charge of Bengal and Punjab territories (Singer Co.). Appointed as an Auditor of the Singer Manufacturing Co. in 1912, for United Provinces, Bengal and Burma. In 1916 served as a Division Manager, Delhi Division; Supervisor, Lahore Division; in 1918 the Company, recognizing his outstanding ability, appointed him central Agent at Lahore, and he was the first Indian (Parsi) employee to be selected to fill this responsible position during his long period of service. Mr. Laskary has seen and taken a prominent part in many developments of the Company's business in India and Burma. After thirty-three years' faithful service with the Company Mr. Laskary retired in December, 1933, in his sixtieth year.

Address—"Firoozi Navaz," Jinnah Quarters, Karachi.

Latkar, Ramrao Kaloba. Merchant and Commission Agent, Kolhapur. Born in Shaka



1788. He was educated at P. E. and Rajaram High School, Kholapur. Fourth marriage in 1927 with Gangubai, daughter of Wasudeo Krishnappa Dalal of Nandgaud District Belgaum, and has one son and four daughters. Latkars are the well-known Saraswat family in Kolhapur. Late Kaloba Latkar, who was a well-known merchant in Kolhapur, started his business at the early age of sixteen, and by sheer industry and honesty, made a name among the local merchants. He died in 1912. After the death of Mr. Kaloba, Mr. Ramrao, the subject of this life-sketch, joined his father's business. He is a member of the Merchants' Association at Shahupuri and a Treasurer of Sarvajnik Dharmadaya Mandal. Donated one thousand rupees for erecting "Ramrao Hall" in the New High School, Kolhapur. A man of catholic views, he is very kind to the poor.

Address—Shahupuri, Kolhapur.

Latifi Alma, O.I.E. (1932), O.B.E. (1919), M.A., LL.M. (Camb.), LL.D., (Dublin), I.C.S., is the eldest son of Luto C. A. Latif of Bombay. Born on 12th November, 1879. Educated at Bombay, London, Paris, Heidelberg and Cairo. Married Nasima, daughter of late Justice Badruddin Tyabji, Bombay, and has two sons and two daughters. Joined as Assis-

tant Commissioner in Punjab, 1903, and held Administrative, Judicial, Secretariat and Political offices; appointed District Judge, Amritsar, 1908; inquired into Punjab Industries, 1909-10; duty with Press Camp, Delhi Coronation Durbar, 1911 (Medal); District Judge, Delhi 1911-12; Director of Public Instruction, Hyderabad State, 1913-16; Deputy Commissioner, Hissar, 1918-21; Reconciling Judge and mentioned in Gazette of India for valuable services, 1919; Secretary, Transfer Department and also Member, Legislative Council, Punjab, 1921-24; Commissioner and Political Agent, Ambala and Member, Council of State, 1927; Delegate, International Law Conference, The Hague, March 1930; substitute Delegate and Advisor, International Labour Conference, Geneva, June 1930; Delegate, Inter-Parliamentary Conference, London, July 1930; Duty with 1st, 2nd and 3rd Indian Round Table Conferences, London, 1930, 1931 and 1932; Secretary, Consultative Committee of Round Table Conference, Delhi, January 1932. Commissioner, Lahore, January 1933; Financial Commissioner, Punjab, since 1934. Publications: "Effects of War on Property," being studies in International Law and Policy (1908), "Industrial Punjab" (1911), "A Step Towards Federation" (1934), etc.

Address—Secretariat, Lahore.

Lathi. Thakore Sahib Shri Prohadsinhji, the present ruler of:—Born on 31st March, 1912. Succeeded to the Gadi 14th October, 1918, on the death of his father. Educated at Rajkumar College, Rajkot, and received practical Administrative Training in various departments in Wankar State under the able supervision of His Highness the Maharaja Raj Sahib. Married Surya Kunwarba, daughter of the late Thakore Sahib of Kotla-Sangani, in Kathiawar.

Area of State—418 sq. miles

Population—9,407.

Revenue—Rs. 1,67,970.

Address—Lathi, Kathiawar.

Latthe, Diwan Bahadur Anna Babaji, M.A., LL.B., LL.A.; Chairman, Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd., Belgaum. Born in 1878, he was educated at the Deccan College, Poona. Starting life as Professor of English, Rajaram College, Kolhapur (1907-1911), he remained Educational Inspector, Kolhapur, till 1914. He was President, Southern Maharashtra Jain Association and Karnatak Non-Brahmin League, and edited "Deccan Boyat" from 1918-1920. He was a Member of the Legislative Assembly from 1921-1923, and was also a Member of the University Reform Com-

Vice-Principal, St. Joseph's College, Trichopoly; later Principal; Editor of St. Joseph's College Magazine; Curator, St. Joseph's College Museum; Chaplain South Indian Railway Battalion. Published the "Principles of Composition," in 1933. Is an Authority on South Indian snakes. Received the Silver Jubilee Medal in 1935. In 1936, became Professor of English, Loyola College, Madras.

Address—Loyola College, Madras.

Littlehales, Richard, C. I. E. (1927):
Vice-Chancellor, University of Madras. Son



of late J. Littlehales of Sunderland, he was born in 1878. Educated at Bede School, Sunderland, Balliol College, Oxford, and Kiel University, Germany. Married in 1904, Roberta May, daughter of late J. Rutherford of Sunderland, and has one son and one daughter. Appointed demonstrator,

Clarendon Laboratory, Oxford, 1902-03. Entered Indian Educational Service in 1903, and was Director of Public Instruction, Madras, 1919. Educational Commissioner with the Government of India from 1927 and retired in 1933. Was at different times between the year 1919 and 1932, member of the Madras Legislative Council, and member of the Legislative Assembly and of the Council of State of the Government of India. Was educational advisor to Baroda State, 1933-34. Became Vice-Chancellor, University of Madras since 1934.

Clubs: E. I. United Service and Madras Clubs.

Address:—University of Madras, Senate House, Madras.

Livingstone, Archibald Macdonald, M. A., B. Sc. (Edin.): Agricultural Marketing Advisor to the Government of India. Born on 25th January, 1890. Married Gladys Mary Best in 1918. Educated privately and at Edinburgh. Was four and a half years in R.F.A. (3½ years in France); Rep. rank of Major from 1924. Senior Marketing Officer, Ministry of Agriculture, London. Publications: various, mainly official.

Address:—Office of the Agricultural Marketing Advisor to the Government of India, Old Secretariat Building, Delhi.

Loharu, The Hon. Nawab Sir Amir-ud-Din Ahmed Khan Bahadur,



R. C. S. I., Member Council of State, and Persian and Urdu Poet. Born in 1860. Succeeded in 1884. Ruling Chief of Moghal tribe. Abdicated in favour of his heir-apparent and Successor in 1920, voluntarily retaining titles and nine guns salute as personal distinctions. For two years Mem-

ber of Imperial Legislative Council, and for two years Member of Punjab Council; again a member of Council of State for three years; Superintendent and adviser to the Malerkotla State in the Punjab for twelve years. Attached to Political Department in Mesopotamia. After death of his son, the Ruling Nawab, he was Nawab Regent during the minority of his grandson, the Nawab of Loharu, which terminated in November, 1931, on the assumption of full ruling powers by H. H. Lieutenant Nawab Mirza Anisuddin Ahmad Khan Bahadur Fakhrud-daula, the present ruler of Loharu State.

Address—Loharu, Punjab.

Lothian, Arthur Cunningham, C.I.E. Additional Secretary to the Government of India, Foreign and Political Department. Born on 27th June, 1887. Educated at University of Aberdeen and Christ Church, Oxford. M.A. (first Hons. Mathematics), B.Sc. (Special distinction). Married Mary Helen Macgregor. Entered I. C. S., 1910; Assistant Magistrate, Bengal, 1911-1915. Joined Indian Political Department in 1915, and served subsequently as political officer in Central India, Kashmir, Hyderabad, Mysore, Rajputana, Baroda, and with the Government of India; Resident at Jaipur, 1920-1931; Resident in Mewar and Political Agent, Southern Rajputana States, 1930-1931; Resident at Baroda, 1932-1933; Prime Minister, Alwar, President, Council of State, Bharatpur, and Political Agent, Eastern Rajputana States, 1933. Resident in Jaipur and the Western States of Rajputana, 1933-1934. Offg. Agent to the Governor-General in Rajputana and Chief Commissioner, Ajmer-Merwara, 1934.

Address—Delhi and Simla.

Lumby, Arthur Friedrich Rawson, B.A. (Cambridge). C.I.E. (1927), O.B.E. (1923); Lieutenant-Colonel, Indian Army; Deputy Secretary, Army Department. Born on 13th August, 1890. Educated at Rugby and Christ's College, Cambridge. Married on 20th June, 1916, to Lettice Mary, daughter of Rev. R. K. Hodgkinson. Joined Indian Army, 1912; Great War, Egypt, Gallipoli, France (wounded), and India, 1916-1928; Secretary, Indian Sandhurst Committee, 1925-1926; Assistant Secretary, Army Department, 1928-1933; Deputy Secretary, 1934; Member Legislative Assembly, 1934.

Address—Army Department, New Delhi and Simla; and C/o Lloyd's Bank, 6, Pall Mall, London.

Macklin, The Hon'ble Mr. Justice Albert Sortain Romer, B.A., (Oxon.);

I.C.S., Judge, High Court, Bombay. Born on 4th March, 1890. He was educated at Westminster and Christ Church, Oxford. Arrived in India, 1911; served in Bombay as Assistant Collector and Magistrate; Judge and Assistant Sessions Judge, 1922; Assistant Judge and Additional Sessions Judge, 1923; Offg. Judge and Sessions Judge, 1924; Registrar High Court, Appellate Side, 1926; Judge and Sessions Judge, 1929; Judicial Assistant and Additional Sessions Judge, Adm., 1929; Offg. Secretary to Government Legal Department, 1931; Judicial Commissioner in the States of Western India, 1932; Offg. Judge, High Court, Bombay, 1934; Judge, High Court, 1935.

Address—High Court, Bombay.

MacLachlan, Duncan, I.C.S., J.P. Born on 5th November, 1868. Educated at Mount-



joy School, Dublin and Queen's College, Galway. Entering the I.C.S. on 24th October,

1913, he arrived in India on 21st November of the same year, and acted as Assistant Collector and Magistrate at Jacobabad U. S. Frontier, Hyderabad, Karachi, and other places till 1915; Offg. Assistant Commissioner Sind and Sindhi Translator to Government in 1920, and was afterwards made Assistant Collector and Magistrate, Dooars, Kaira, and Bombay, during which period he also officiated as Special First Class Magistrate in Palanpur Poll Agency; Additional Deputy Secretary to Government Financial Department and Deputy Commissioner U. S. Frontier. After being Collector and District Magistrate at Larkhana and other places he was transferred to Poona in April, 1932. Acted as Commissioner, C.D. for some time.

Address—

Madan, Janardan Atmaram, B.A.,

C.I.E., I.C.S., Commissioner Southern Division. Born on 12th February, 1885. Educated at Bombay, Oxford and Cambridge. Married Champnbai, daughter of late H. P. Pitale, J. P. Appointed Assistant Collector, 1909, and Assistant Settlement Officer; Collector and Registrar Co-operative Societies, Bombay, 1920; Joint Secretary, Royal Commission on Agriculture, 1926-28; Chairman, Banking Inquiry Committee, Bombay, 1929; Director of Labour Intelligence, and Commissioner, Workmen's Compensation, Bombay, 1930; Secretary to Government, Revenue Department, Bombay from 1934-1935.

Address—Bolgauum.

Madan, Kaikobad Rustumjee, Capt., O.B.E., L.M. and S., Honorary Magistrate and



Medical Practitioner, Thana. Born in Bombay, 24th March, 1886. Educated at the Garud High School, Dhulia and Boharamji Jeejibhoy High School, Thana and Elphinstone College, Bombay, and subsequently at the Grant Medical College, Bombay. Took the L.M. and S. degree (University of Bombay) in

1914; post-graduate instructions in Medicine, Bacteriology and Ophthalmology at Sir J. J. Hospital, Bombay, 1915. House Surgeon B. D. Petit, Parsoo General Hospital 1916; joined the Indian Medical Service as Lieutenant (T.C.) on 1st October, 1916; served during the Great European War with the Egyptian Expeditionary Force, and the Waziristan Field Force for six years with distinction. Mentioned in a Despatch by General Sir E. H. Allenby (G.C.M.G., K.C.B. (afterwards Lord Allenby)) on 23rd October, 1918, for gallant and distinguished services in the Field. Promoted to the rank of Captain in 1917. Appointed Officer of the Order of the British Empire, Military Division by His Majesty King George V on 1st January, 1919. Married Miss Dinhal, daughter of Mr. Edulji H. Madan of Bombay in 1919, and has one daughter. Took the Health Officers' Diploma of the Bombay Government, 1924. Was special Medical Officer for Malarial Survey with Messrs. Braithwaite and Co., Engineers, Mulund, for the Tansa Completion Works (the huge scheme for supplying water to Bombay) during 1925, and again in 1927; and his services were highly appreciated. Honorary Magistrate, Thana and Medical Visitor N.M. Mental Hospital, Thana since 1930. His services during the Silver Jubilee celebrations of His Majesty the King-Emporor were well appreciated by the Local Administration by the grant of an Afrinama and Jubilee Medal. His father, Mr. R. H. Madan, L.C.F., K.L.I. (retired), was Extra-Assistant Conservator of Forest, Bombay, and late Conservator of Forest, Baroda. His brother, Mr. F.R. Madan B.A. (Oxon.), is Conservator of Forest, Madras.

Address—The Bungalow, Thana.

Madgavkar, Sir Govind Dinanath, Kt., B.A., I.C.S. Born on 21st May 1871, he received his education at St. Xavier's High School, St. Xavier's College, Elphinstone College, and Balliol. Passing the I. C. S., in 1892, he served for three years in Burma where he became District and Sessions Judge. In 1920 he was appointed Additional Judicial Commissioner, Karachi. His next appointment was as High Court Judge, Bombay, and after nearly six years service (1925-31) he has now retired, and is devoting his time and energy to bring about necessary reforms in Hindu Law of which he has made a close study. It is due to his efforts as President that the All-India Hindu Law Research and Reform Association has taken new life and active shape. He was appointed to serve as President on the Unit Advisory Committee in respect of the 2nd (Bombay Presidency) Urban Infantry, Indian Territorial Force, for the year ending September, 1933. He was appointed Legal Adviser, Indore State in 1934.

Address—Poona.

Madhavan Nayar, The Hon'ble Mr. Justice, Chettur, B.A., Bar-at-Law, Judge, High Court, Madras. Born on 24th January, 1879. He is the nephew of Sir C. Sankaran Nayar, Kt., C. I. E. Educated at Victoria College, Palghat, Pachaiyappa's College and Christian College, Madras, London University, and Middle Temple, London. Appointed Acting Vice-Principal, Madras Law College, 1909; Professor, 1916-1920, and Acting Principal, in 1920; Assistant Law Reporter, 1915; Editor, Madras Law Times for some time; Secretary, Student's Advisory Committee, 1920; Government Pleader, 1922-1923; Advocate General, 1923-1924; Officiating Judge, High Court, Madras, March 1924. Appointed to the present post on 10th February, 1927.

Address—Spring Gardens, Teynampet, Madras.

Madho Ram, Diwan Bahadur Dewan, Chief Secretary, Chamba State. Born in April, 1883. First Matriculate and First Undergraduate of the Chamba State. Joined service in the State Education Department in 1902, and in 1910 he was transferred to the State Secretariat as Personal Assistant; received training in administrative and executive work under His late Highness Raja Sir Bhuri Singh; trained in Settlement, Revenue and Judicial Work in Punjab; appointed Private Secretary, 1919; Chief Secretary, 1922; made Rai Sahib 1923; Rai Bahadur, 1925; Diwan Bahadur, 1934; granted 300 acres of land in perpetuity in appreciation of loyal and meritorious services in 1934. A keen sportsman, he is the Scout Commissioner of the State.

Address—Chamba (via Dalhousie, Punjab.)

Madraswalla, Ahmedally Abedin, Hon. First Class Bench Magistrate and



Merchant, Poona, comes of a well-known Bhora family. He was born on 21st March, 1896, and was educated in Madras. He married in June, 1913, to Amtuzarahai, daughter of the late Hussainally Abdulhally, J.P., Proprietor, the Bombay Stationery Mart and British India Press. He has two sons and three daughters. Mr.

Madraswalla, after his school career joined business and has made a success of life by his innate shrewdness and courage. He was contractor for fifteen years up to 1923 for the Baroda Government for printing and

stationery. He became the Director of The Bombay Stationery Mart and the British India Press, Bombay. He takes keen interest in the social and educational advancement of his community and his work at Madras, Bombay, Poona, Sidhpur and Baroda in this connection is highly commendable. He and his wife are trustees for various Funds in the Bhora Community including the Bhora Maternity Home and English Schools at Dhulka, Bombay and Poona.

Address—13 Phayre Road, Poona.

Madiman, Ganpatrao Narayanrao.
Merchant, Banker, cotton, yarn and cloth



Merchant and Commission Agent, Hubli, comes of a Saraswat Brahmin family of South Kanara. Born on 20th May, 1873, he received his education at Sirisi High School, North Kanara. Starting life in the humble capacity of an ordinary clerk in one of the firms in Hubli from 1897-1918, his varied experience of twenty-one years gave him ample resources to start his own business. Through his sound natural commonsense and business grit he showed that he could over-top many others and started his own business in the name and style, "G. N. Madiman & Sons." Within a short time he became a prominent and popular merchant in Hubli, so much so that he got the agencies of almost all leading mills like Binny & Co., Madras; Sholapur Mills, and Bangalore Woollen, Cotton, and Silk Mills Co. He was also appointed agent for Standard Vacuum Oil Co., and several other companies. His straight-forwardness in business dealings and his thorough honesty have helped him more to secure a place in the estimation of the public and he was appointed First Class Hon. Magistrate, Bench Court, Hubli. Amidst his numerous business engagements, it is creditable to note that Mr. Madiman devotes part of his precious time to public activities. He

is a Director of the Hubli Electricity Co., Ltd.; Member of the Taluka Local Board; Treasurer and Member of the Indian Women's Aid Society; one of the Trustees of the Co-operative Hospital, Hubli, for which he has donated eight thousand; Member of the District Finance Association; Broker of the Imperial Bank of India, Hubli Branch; Member of the Advisory Board of the Kanara Industrial and Banking Syndicate Ltd., Hubli Branch, and Member of many other Associations and Institutions. He married in 1904, Miss Laxmibai, daughter of Amjadi Ramrao of Coondapur, South Kanara and has three sons and two daughters, the oldest being Devidas G. Madiman, who after his school career is helping his father in business. Mr. Madiman has a very sympathetic heart and he is never unwilling to help the needy and poor. He has contributed big amounts to different public Institutions and Associations. He was awarded a special "Afrinama" by H. E. Sir Frederick Sykes, Governor of Bombay, for the useful work he has done during the time of Civil Disobedience movement and for his charities to public Institutions.

Address—1 Hubli.

Mahableshwarwalla, Jehangirjee
Cooverjee, Proprietor, Dina Hotel, Maha-



blashwar. Born in 1875. Educated at Sir J. J. School, Bombay. Married with late Dinbai, daughter of Bejenjee Vatelva of Sura

(one son and one daughter. Jalejar Jehangir his only son is conducting the Grange Hotel at Panchgani). The family came to Mahabaleshwar when it was founded by Sir John Malcolm and they were the first Parsis to settle at Mahabaleshwar. His great grandfather, Shapurjee Hormusjee, built the fortune of the family. At the age of eighteen, Mr. Jehangirjee, the only surviving son of Cooverjee Cowasjee, started business and built the Dina Hotel building in 1917. The Hotel is fully furnished and electrified and is one of the best hotels in Mahabaleshwar.

Address—Dina Hotel, Mahabaleshwar.

Mahaboob Ali Baig, Sahib Bahadur, B.A.; B.L., M.L.A. (Madras); Govt. Pleader, Bezwada, Kistna Dist. Born in 1895 at Bezwada. Educated at Christian College and Law College, Madras. Married in 1917 to Zohra Subaida Begum (three sons and one daughter). Enrolled as a pleader in 1920 and set up practice at Bezwada. Was Chairman, Bezwada Municipality, 1933; Member of the Senate of the Madras University for three years; Govt. Pleader, since 1935. He was on the Madras Legislative Council, 1930-37, representing Northern Circars Muslim Constituency. Elected to the Madras Legislative Assembly (unopposed) representing Kistna and West Godavari Districts Muslim Constituency in 1937. He takes keen interest in public activities and is interested in the Revenue Reforms of the District.

Address—Bezwada, Kistna Dist.

Mahaboob Ali Khan, Mahomed Akbarkhan, M.L.C.; First Class Sardar



(1921); Cotton Commission Agent, Hubli. Born in 1878, he was educated at Hubli. Started business in cotton in 1896, extended

same from time to time; created a cotton market at Savanur by establishing ginning and pressing factories there; also started ginning factories at Ranobennur and Guttal, convenient places for marketing cotton in the interior; is an advocate of improved methods and machinery for agriculture and himself a cultivator on a large scale cultivating about 800 acres of land on improved lines and demonstrating its benefits to the other ryots of his place and neighbourhood; is President, Hubli Anjuman-i-Islam, working for the educational, social and material uplift of Mohammedans; was Vice-President of the Hubli Municipality for some years, and was elected the President of that Municipality in 1931. Was re-elected President of the Hubli Municipality in 1932 for another triennium. In September, 1935, he was again elected President of the Hubli Municipal Borough for another triennium.

Publications:—Kanarese translation of Mr. C. F. Kenting's "Rural Economy in the Bombay Decan," Kanarese translation of, "Britain in India, Have We Benefited."

Address—Opposite Native General Library, Hubli, District Dharwar.

Mahadik, Daulatrao Ramchandraro, Mechanical Engineer (First Class and D.J.E.)



Superintendent Technical School and Inspector of Boilers, Kolhapur; was born on 15th November, 1891. Educated at Rajaram High School, Kolhapur, and Engineering College, Poona. In 1914 he married Miss Bayukabai, daughter of Sakaram Power of Kolhapur and has

six sons. His father, Ramchandraro, was an agriculturist and was much interested in gardening work. The members of his family were hereditary Servants of the State. Mr. Mahadik joined the Engineering College in 1910 and passed his examination, second class, in 1916, and first class in 1920. He was an apprentice Engineer in the R. I. M. Docks, Bombay, for nearly two years, and was Engineer in charge, ginning and pressing factory, Tasgaon, for one year. He passed the Electrical Engineering course in 1925 and was a special student of the State. Joined the State service as Mill Engineer in 1918-1922. He was appointed as State Mechanical Engineer in 1922, and Superintendent, Jaisingrao Chatgo Technical School since 1925. He was

instrumental in organising the O'Brien Technical Institute, and the present building with up-to-date equipment is the outcome of his labour. He was Engineer in charge of the Panchganga Water Pumping Station till 1932, and is now the Supervisor of the same. He is one of the members of the Board of Directors, Kolhapur Electric Supply Co., Ltd., and also member, Boy Scouts' Association, Kolhapur. His professional abilities have been highly recognised, both by the State and by British officials.

Address—Kolhapur.

Mahajani, Ganesh Sakharām, M.A., (Cantab.); Ph. D. (Cantab.); B.A., (Bom.):



M.L.C.; Smith's Prize in 1926; Philip Baylis Research Student (St. John's College, Cambridge); Principal and Professor of Mathematics, Fergusson College, Poona, and Fellow of the Bombay University. Born on 27th November, 1898, he received his education at Satara High School, Fergusson College, Poona, and St. John's College, Cambridge. He passed first in Intermediate, and the B.A. examination, and went to England for further studies as Government of India Scholar. He returned to India in 1927, and joined Fergusson College as Principal in 1929. He obtained the King's Commission, U.T.C. Lieut., elected to the Bombay Legislative Council in 1937. Publication: "Lessons in Elementary Analysis for Honours Courses of Indian Universities.

Address—Fergusson College, Poona.

Mahaluxmiwala, Pestonji Dhanjibhai, Secretary, The Bombay Electric Supply &



Tramways Co., Ltd. Born on 13th April, 1861. Educated at Chandanwadi High School and St. Xavier's High School, Bombay. Married in 1887, Miss Pirojibai, daughter of Dossabhoj Cowasjee Sanga of Poona (two sons and two daughters living). Started life in January, 1880, on Rs. 15/- per month in the local office of

the Chartered Bank of India, Australia & China. Passed Matriculation Examination in December, 1880. Being desirous of pursuing his studies further he left the Bank and joined the College of Science in Poona, 1881, and obtained a Diploma in Agriculture in 1883; then joined The Bombay High School as a teacher, but as there were no future prospects in that line and as he was offered a post in The Bombay Tramway Company, Limited, he left the former and joined the latter in 1885 on Rs. 85/- per month as Pay Department Superintendent. The trams in those days were run by horses and Mr. Mahaluxmiwala had to go at least six months in the year to Gujarat and Kathiawar to purchase hay for the horses. On winding up of the Bombay Tramway Co. Ltd. in 1905, Mr. Mahaluxmiwala's services were transferred to The Bombay Electric Supply and Tramway Company Limited on a monthly salary of Rs. 250/- gradually rising to Rs. 600/- in 1915, during which period he worked as Assistant to the Managing Director, Local Attorney, Assistant Secretary (Bombay), and Assistant Deputy Manager. When the Directorato was transferred from London to Bombay in 1916, he was appointed Secretary on Rs. 750/- per mensem rising to Rs. 2,300/- per mensem in 1924. He was made a Justice of the Peace in 1920 and elected a delegate to the Parsi Matrimonial Court in 1935. Although he is seventy-six years old, Mr. Mahaluxmiwala is still in harness. He has been a life-long student of Theosophy and a keen exponent of Spiritualism. He also takes much interest in the welfare of his community and frequently contributes to the Anglo-Vernacular papers on Parsi Social matters. He is a widely travelled man, having toured Europe and the Continent seven times, and once round the world via U.S.A., Japan, China, and Ceylon.

Address—Motiwala Mansion, Gowalia Tank Road, Bombay.

Mahajan, Totaram Badhu, Cotton merchant, Banker, Landlord, and President, Faizpur Municipality, Faizpur, District East Khandosh. Born on 21th September, 1884. Educated at Poona. An elected Member of the Faizpur Municipality for the last twenty-five years and its



Vice-President for twenty years. Was Vice-President of the All India Pirana Satpanthi Committee of Ahmedabad for five years. He was the President of Lowa Satpanthi Maha-Mandal of East Khandosh from 1923-1936, a patron of the East Khandosh Village Uplift Association and a Life Member of Yaval Taluka Agricultural Development Association; was also a director of Laxmi Narayan Mills at Chalisgam. Among his charities is the sum of Rs. 20,000 for the Pirana Satpanthi public charitable institutions. Besides, he donated about Rs. 25,000 towards the Leprosy Hospitals, Armistice

day Fund, Goshala, Educational, Social and Economical institutions, etc., also to the Bihar-Earth-quake Relief Fund and Silver Jubilee Fund of H. M. the King-Emperor George V; presented a shield for the Volley Ball Tournament of Seven English Schools; (trans-Tapti river); appointed a village-Munsiff in 1937.

Address—Post Faizpur, District East Khandosh.

Mahomed, G. S. (Gulamali Sher Mahomed), Consular Agent, Republic of



Czechoslovakia, Bombay. Born on 18th December, 1888 in Bombay. Educated at St. Xavier's College, Bombay. (Sir Ibrahim Rahimtoola Scholarship holder in Previous Examination). Married on 11th July, 1914, with Kulsunhai. (two sons and three daughters). His varied public activities include:—Was a Member of Committee, Foreign Board of Trade, Kobe, Japan, 1918-1919; President Indian Trade Association, Kobe, Japan, 1919; Commercial Agent to Czechoslovakia Republic, 1922-1925; Consular Agent to the Republic of Czechoslovakia in Bombay since 1925; Member of the Consular Commission on Metals during the War in Kobe, Japan; Member of the Committee of Foreign Board of Trade, Kobe, Japan; President of the Indian Trade Association, Kobe, Japan; awarded Diploma of Red Cross Society of Japan; Fellowship Diploma of Institute of Commerce, Birmingham, England, 1924; awarded Diploma of Honour by Chamber of Commerce, Prague, Czechoslovakia, 1936; appointed Consular Agent to the Republic of Czechoslovakia, with the sanction of His Majesty's Government, and duly recognised by Governor General in Council and gazetted in 1925; Conferrad with the order of WHIPPE LION for

Civil merits, by special decree dated 20th July, 1936, by the President of the Republic of Czechoslovakia, with due authorization of British Government to accept and wear this insignia.

Address—Mahomed House, Samuel Street, West Bombay and Maher Villa, 14, Club Road, Bombay.

Mahmoud Bey, Author and Lecturer in Spiritual Sciences, Bombay. Born on 22nd



November, 1899. Was educated at Cairo. Mahmoud Bey belongs to a high and noble family in Egypt being the son of a Pasha who was once a Minister in the Egyptian Ministry; was Technical Inspector of Agriculture, but his love for the occult Science and his inclination towards Spiritualism diverted his path and changed his life. "He engages daily in commerce with mysterious beings, invisible to normal eyes, but plain enough to his own" so said Paul Brunton, the famous journalist, who devoted an entire chapter to Mahmoud Bey, in his latest book, "A Search in Secret India." He is held in high esteem by Indian Princes whose patronage he always enjoys.

Address—Dhanraj Mahal, Suite No. 10, Apollo Bunder, Bombay.

Mahomed Nur, Khan Bahadur Sir Khwaja, Kt. (1937) C. B. E., (1929);



B.A.B.L. Judge of the High Court of Judicature at Patna. Born 28th September 1878. Educated in Gaya Patna, and Calcutta University. Passed B.A. in 1901; B.L. 1903. Married in May 1898. Fakhrunnisa and has three sons. Vice-Chairman, Gaya Municipality, 1912-18;

Vice-Chairman, Gaya District Board, 1918-21; attended War Conference convened by Lord Chalmersford as representative of Behar, 1918; Member of the Behar and Orissa Legislative Council, 1918-1922; President of the Behar and Orissa Legislative Council, 1922-30; Judge of the Patna High Court 1930; Ordinary Fellow, Patna University, 1931-33; Vice-Chancellor, Patna University, 1933-36; and Life Fellow, Patna University, 1936.

Address—Gaya, Behar or Patna, Behar, India

Majendie, Col. Vivian H. B., D.S.O. Director of Military Training in India since 1936. The son of the late Prebendary Majendie, a well-known dignity of the Church of England, he entered the Somerset Light Infantry, through Sandhurst in 1905; served African Frontier for five years; went to France in September, 1915, and served there and in Belgium till the end of the War as a Battalion Officer, and a Battalion Commander, 1916-18; mentioned in despatches four times, decorated and awarded with three War Medals; served on the Staff in Ireland, Royal Military College, and back on the West Coast as Staff Officer to the Inspector General; was on the staff College, Camberley.

Address—Director, Military Training in India.

Majithia, The Hon. Sardar Bahadur Sir Sundar Singh, Kt. (1926); C. I. E., (1920); Ex-Revenue Member, Government of Punjab. Born on 17th February, 1872. Married grand-daughter of Sardar Sir Attar Singh, K.C.I.E. Educated at Punjab Chiefs College, and Govt. College, Lahore. Worked as Hon. Secretary of the Khalsa College, Amritsar, for eleven years, and Hon. Secretary, Chief Khalsa Dewan, a representative body of the Sikhs from its inception in 1902 to the close of 1920. Awarded Silver Jubilee Medal, 1935.

Address—"Majithia House," Albert Road, (Punjab)

Majumdar, S. C., B. Com. (Bom.), Cert. A.I.R. (London); Branch Manager, Hindusthan



Co-operative Insurance Society, Ltd., Bombay. Born on 3rd Feb., 1902. Late Agent of the Central Bank of India, Ltd., Lindsay Street Branch, Calcutta; was a prominent member of the Committee of the Bengal National Chamber of Commerce, Calcutta; for over two years; at present a prominent member of the

Committee of the Indian Merchants' Chamber, Bombay; Bombay Shareholders' Association, and a member of other Associations; a very able writer on Banking, Finance and Insurance in important Journals and Newspapers like the *Times of India*, Bombay; a very popular figure in Commercial and Industrial circles of Bombay; was joint Secretary, Exhibition Committee, Indian National Congress, held at Bombay, 1934. He is Director-in-charge, United Press of India (News Agency).

Address—16, Walkeshwar Road, Bombay.

Malaviya, Pandit Krishna Kant, Editor, "Abhodaya," "Allahabad". Educated at Allahabad; President, District and Vice-President, Town Congress Committee, Allahabad; Member, All-India Congress Committee; twice elected to the Legislative Assembly; ex-general Secretary of the Independent Congress Party and All-India Hindi Sahitya Sammilan.

Publications—"Sansar Sankat," "Sahaghrat Manoramas" Patna, "Matritva or Motherhood," and "Baby Care," etc.

Address—Allahabad.

Malone, Charles Henry, General Manager, Royal Western India Turf Club, Ltd., Bombay and Poona. Born on 13th November, 1882, he joined the R.W.I.T.C. in 1912 as a Tote Manager when the present Totalizators were in their infancy and was appointed General Manager in 1921. His fair-mindedness, courtesy, and honesty of purpose have won the confidence of the public and the Stewards and Committee of the Club, and his progressive and intelligent management have maintained the high efficiency of the Totalizators.

Address—R.W.I.T.C. Bombay and Poona.

Majmundar, Rao Bahadur Narsingrai Bapubhai, L. M. & S., F. C. P. S. (Bom.); B. M. S. (Class I); Civil Surgeon, Jalgaon, Dist. East Khandesh. Born in 1885; he was educated at Grant Medical College, Bombay. Married at an early age to Miss Kastur



Lakshmi, daughter of Mathuradas Amrutlal Vasavda of Junagad, and has four daughters. He belongs to the great Majmundar family of Junagad in Kathiawar, who are the collateral descendants of the well-known poet of Guzerat, Narsi Mehta, of illustrious fame. They are known by their official title "Majmundars." His great grandfather, Virjidas Rangildas, was a dastardar to the Political Agent during the time of East India Company. After the death of Virjidas Rangildas the talukdar was by a special resolution of the Govt., bestowed upon his daughter's children, which is an unique present in the law of inheritance amongst Hindus. His father Bapubhai Jadhavrai, Bar-at-Law, who was a (6th Class) Talukdar of Kuba with Civil and criminal powers, served as Chief Judge at Junagad and Jamnagar. Bapubhai, the 3rd descendant of Virjidas, was born in Gondal in 1853 and was educated at Rajkot. To his great misfortune he had to face many calamities by loss of property and death

of many of his family members. He was forced to accept a job in the Judicial Dept. in Baroda for some. In 1889 he got H. H. the Maharaja Guckwar's permission and made arrangements with the Junagad Govt. to go to England for higher education. He returned to India and was a practising lawyer at Ahmedabad. He also held various appointments. He was reputed to be generous-hearted and a great friend of the poor.

Rao Bahadur Majmundar received his primary education for two years at the hands of Shri Arbindo Ghosh; passed Matric, 1903; L. M. & S., 1908; obtained the Jamshedjee Jeejeebhoy Gold Medal in Medical Jurisprudence; joined Govt. Service as an Asst. Surgeon, Scott Hospital, Pudanpur, 1910; Medical Officer in charge, Thar & Parker Dist. (Mirpurkhas), 1910-14; The present Civil Hospital was built from foundation to finish during his charge. He also equipped it. House Surgeon, Civil Hospital, Karachi, 1914-16; was also in charge of Shikarpur, Bulsar and Kapadvanj Dispensaries; acted as Civil Surgeon at Karachi, Nasik, Larkana (for three years), Godhra (Panchmahals), Kaira and Jalgaon (since 1934); Promoted to Bombay Medical Service (Class I) in 1933. At Shikarpur, he was instrumental in having a temporary hospital with seventy-five beds erected with the help of Both Hiranand Mendha's finance and Mr. Murlidhar Panjabi's active collaboration. In connection with the plague epidemic in 1917, he was decorated with a gold medal inscribed "Service is Sweet," which was presented to him by the Collector of Sukkar at a public meeting; also received a gold watch and a chain besides a purse of Rs. 2000 in recognition of his splendid services during the plague epidemic. In connection with very heavy and risky duties

during the cholera epidemic at Larkana in 1929. His Excellency Sir Leslie Wilson, in Durbar speech at Sukkar, paid a great tribute to Rao Bahadur for his loyal and devoted services. The Municipalities of Mirpurkhas, Kapadvanj, Larkana, where he was a nominated Councillor, have, and that at Karachi, recorded their appreciation of his services, under arduous and difficult conditions. At Karachi, where he served as a Civil Surgeon for a short period (1915-16), he was very popular and the local Anglo-Indian Paper, "Daily Gazette," referring to him says, "He has achieved in Karachi an enviable reputation as a careful and skilful Surgeon, and his energy and painstaking and unassuming manner have gained him many friends amongst the European and Indian Communities."

He was elected a fellow of the College of Physicians and Surgeons, Bombay, in 1927. He has, with the help of the Collectors, collected large Hospital Funds of nearly Rs. 10,000 at Kotia, and a still larger one over Rs. 20,000 at Jalgaon. The splendid New Indian Nurses' Quarters, built entirely by public subscriptions, owe their existence largely to the efforts of Rao Bahadur Majumdar. H. E. Lord Brougham and Major General Bradfield, Surgeon General with the Government of Bombay (now P. G. I. M. S.), New Delhi, paid an excellent tribute to Rao Bahadur for the splendid upkeep of the Jalgaon Hospital during their visit in 1935. R.B. is a recipient of the King's Jubilee Medal.

Address:—King's Road, Junagadh, Kathiawar.

Mangalamoorti, Damodar Tukaram, B.A., LL.M., M.L.C., Advocate and University Member, C.P. Legislative Council, Nagpur, C.P. Born on 3rd September, 1887, at Rautek. He was educated at Neil City High School, Nagpur, and Morris College, Nagpur. Married in 1903 to Miss Rudhabai, daughter of Nanaji Joshi of Nagpur (one son and four daughters). Passed B.A. (Allahabad) 1908; LL.B. (Alb.) 1910; LL.M. (Bombay) 1915; commenced practice at Nagpur 1911. His public activities can be summarised thus:—A member, Nagpur Municipality for nine years; was a Member of the Court of Nagpur University, elected by registered graduates; elected to C.P. Legislative Council by the University Constituency; is one of the founders of the City College, Nagpur, founded in 1931; Secretary, Nagpur Shikshan Mandal and Neil City High School, Nagpur; Promoter and President, People's Party in the C.P. Council.

Address:—Dhantoli, Nagpur, (C.P.)

Malimath, Siddheshwar Siddhalinga-swami, B.A., LL.B., Advocate, Dharwar.



Born in 1899. Educated at Government High School, Dharwar, and at Deccan and Fergusson Colleges, Poona. Married in 1927 to Miss Shantadevi, daughter of V. C. Bannuramath of Hubli, and has one son and one daughter. Passed B.A., 1923, LL.B., 1925. He was one of the promoters of the Hubli Electric Supply Co., Ltd. Secured the Hubli Electric License as a Partner of Messrs. Ainto and Co., Managing Agents of the Hubli Electricity Co., Ltd., from 1923-26. Started practice at Dharwar in 1925, and is one of the leading Advocates at Dharwar. His name is well-known as a leading co-operator of Karnatak. He has been connected with a very large number of institutions. He has been a Director, Southern Maharatta Urban Co-operative Bank, since 1926, and at present its Chairman; Hon. Secretary, Karnatak Divisional Institute, 1933-34; a member of the Executive Committee of the Bombay Provincial Co-operative Institute since 1933. He is at present the Hon. Secretary of that Institute and a Director of the Bombay Co-operative Insurance Society, Ltd. He has done valuable work in the cause of Co-operation and Banking. He was Hon. Secretary, Lingayat Education Association in 1929. A man of pleasant manners, Mr. Malimath commands influence in Karnatak.

Address:—Dharwar.

Mama, Khan Bahadur Dr. Jamshed Byramji, D.P.H. (Oxon); D.T.M. (Liverpool); L.M. and S. (Bombay); Retired Director, Vaccine Institute of Belgaum, Poona. Born on 4th January, 1876. Educated at Proprietary High School, Bombay, St. Xavier's and Grant



Medical Colleges, Bombay, and University Colleges of London and Oxford. Passed Matric in 1894; L.M. and S. in 1903; obtained Charles Morehead Prize for Medicine in L. M. and S. During the first Plague Epidemic in Bombay he worked as a volunteer at the Parsi Plague Hospital, under the late Dr. K. N. Bhadurji, M. D. (Lond.).

In 1903, he was in charge of the Plague Camp at Nannuch (Central India).

Proceeded to England and took D.T.M. (Liverpool) in 1908; D. P. H. (Oxon.) 1910. After a distinguished educational career Dr. Mama joined the Public Health Department as Analyst to the Sanitary Board to the Government of Bombay in 1911; acted as Officer in charge of Public Health Laboratory, Poona, in 1913. In 1926 he was appointed Director, Vaccine Institute, Belgaum; visited England and the Continent thrice; in 1928 travelled in Egypt, Turkey, and Europe for academic purposes.

Retired in 1931. In his official career he has earned a reputation of his own. He is endowed with exceptional gifts and pleasing manners; created Khan Bahadur in 1930. His maternal grandfather, Kawasji Nambhoy Davar, was a pioneer in mill industry at Bombay.

Address—10, Pleyre Road, Camp Poona.

Mama, Khan Bahadur Ardeshir Hormusji, Government Contractor, Content



and Metal Merchant; Mayor of Karachi; Trustee, Karachi Parsi Anjuman Funds and elected as "one of the twelve Leaders of Sind;" President, Karachi Parsi Institute; President, the Mama Parsi Girls High School; Vice-President, Bai Virbaiji Sopariwalla Parsi Boys' High School; Chairman, Parsi Co-operative Housing Society; Chairman Young Men's Zoroastrian Association; Chairman, District Local Board; Chairman Municipal School Board; Chairman, His late Majesty King George V Sind Memorial Fund; Chairman, Roads Committee, Municipal Corporation; Chairman, Special Committee Re Bus Service Members; Active Member, Karachi Municipal corporation for the last sixteen years; Special First Class Magistrate, Sadder and Cantonment, for the last fifteen years; Honorary Treasurer, the Sind Flood Relief Fund; Honorary Treasurer, Harchandrai Memorial Fund; Honorary Treasurer, Silver Jubilee Fund; Honorary Treasurer, the Prince of Wales Welcome Fund; is a great philanthropist and has given large sums in charity chief among which is as under:—

Rs. 3,00,000 to The Mama Parsi Girls' High School; Rs. 1,00,000 towards Sundry Charities; Rs. 75,000, Mama Home for Poor Parsi Families; Rs. 25,000, Mohed Quarters and Lecture Hall in Fire Temple at Suddar;

Rs. 25,000 to Parsi Fire Temple at Sukkur, in pious memory of his beloved father; Rs. 20,000 towards Parsi Hall at Mahabeshwar; Rs. 16,000 to improve the hot water bath at Mangho Pir for the unfortunate victims of Leprosy; Rs. 15,000 to Y. M. C. A. Building; Rs. 10,000 to Lady Dufferin Hospital.

Address—Sunnyside Road, Karachi.

Mahon, Col. Alfred Ernest; D. S.O., 1918, Indian Army, retired; on staff of



Urnsvali Himalayan Research Institute since 1930; b. 1878; s. of R. H. Downes Mahon of Cayetown, Co., Roscommon; m. Frances Amelia, d. of Rev. Robert Harloo Fleming; Lieut. 5th Bn. Connaught Rangers, 1899; Lieut. 87th Royal Irish Fusiliers, 1900; Lieut. 4th Punjab

Infantry, 1903; transferred to 55th (Coke's) Rifles, 1904; Second-in-command 59th Royal Scinde Rifles, 1922; Commandant 1st Bn. the Frontier Force Regt. (P. W. O. Sikhs) 1923-1925; served South African War (Queen's medal with four clasps); France and Belgium, 1914-15; wounded at 2nd Battle of Ypres (despatches); Mohmand Blockade and Waziristan Expedition, 1917; German East Africa, 1917-18 (despatches, D. S. O.); Waziristan Field Force, 1919-20 (despatches Brevet of Lt.-Colonel); Razmak Field Force, 1923; retired, 1928; Silver Jubilee Medal, 1935. *Publications:* Numerous articles and short stories in various papers and magazines under nom de plume Men. *Recreations:* polo, yachting, fishing, formerly Master of the Haro Vale Foxhounds. *Address:* Grindlay & Co., 54 Parliament Street, S. W. I. *Clubs:*—United Service, Junior Naval and Military, Hurlingham; Royal Yacht, Bombay, Punjab Lahore.

Mammen Mappilay, K.C., B.A., Kottayam, Travancore, is the oldest son of Mr.



K. I. Cherian, brother of late Mr. K. I. Vargis Mappilay, founder of the Malay Manorama. Born in 1872 in the Kandathil family. After graduating from the Madras Christian College, Mr. Mammen started life as Headmaster of the M. D. Seminary English High School, Kottayam; left School work 1910 and took to business for which he had a very keen aptitude. On the death of his uncle, with whom he had been collaborator, he became Editor of the Manorama, in which capacity it was his role to champion the cause of the Orthodox Syrian Church of Malabar (of which he is a prominent Member) in a few critical stages of her history. A man of versatile talents and supreme energy, Mr. Mammen made a mark in whatever he undertook—as teacher, speaker, journalist, planter, banker and industrialist; was a pioneer in the Indian Planting Industry. He with the late Mr. P. John started the Malankara Rubber and Produce Co.; started the C. P. Co., Alleppey; founded the Travancore National Bank Ltd., in 1912 and has been the President of its Board all through; instrumental in starting the Guardian of India Insurance Company, and is one of the two Managing Directors of the Concern. He is interested in extensive Rubber, Tea and Coffee Plantations in Mysore, British Malabar and Travancore;

returned several times to the Travancore Legislative Assembly and Council; member of various Committees appointed by Government.

Address—Kottayam, Travancore.

Maneklal Lallubhai, Rao Bahadur (1925), O.B.E. (1932), J.P. (1919); Deputy



Collector of Salt Revenue, Bombay. Born on 9th Nov., 1879. Educated at Surat, Bombay, and Nasik. Married on 15th May, 1914, to Kamalaxmi (one son and one daughter). Entered the Bombay Salt Department as a clerk in 1894; was appointed Assistant Collector of Salt Revenue, Thana, 1915; Superintendent

of Excise, Thana, 1917-1919; Chief Account Officer of Customs, Salt and Excise, 1919-1920; Superintendent of Salt and Excise, Thana, 1920-1923; Assistant Collector of Salt Revenue, Thana, 1924-1932; and Officiating Collector of Salt Revenue, 1934-1936. During the War he helped in getting supplies for the Military Department; collected over two lakhs for the war loan; helped the Red Cross; during the Civil Disobedience Movement assisted the Police in connection with the riots on Wadala and other Salt works.

Address—Kamla-Kunj, Lady Jehangir Road, Bombay 19.

Manohar Lal, M.A. (Punjab); B.A. (Double First Class Honours); Cambridge; Philosophy and Economics, Bar-at-Law; Minister of Education, Punjab Government, 1927-1930. Born on 1st January, 1880. Educated at Punjab University, and St. John's, Cambridge; McMahon Law student, St. John's, Cambridge; Brotherton Sanskrit scholar, Cambridge; Cobden Prize, Cambridge; Whewell scholar in international law, 1904-1905; Principal, Randhir College, Kapurthala, 1906-1909; Minto Professor of Economics, Calcutta University, 1909-1912; Advocate High Court, Lahore; Fellow and Syndic, Punjab University; Minister of Finance, Punjab, 1930.

Publications: Articles on economic subjects.

Address—Fane Road, Lahore.

Maner Kadersaheb Sultansaheb,

Iron, Paint and Steel Merchant and State



Contractor, Kolhapur. Born in 1882. He was educated at Kolhapur. Married Amirbi Shahabuddin and has two daughters. He comes from a well known

Maner family of Miraj. His father had the same business at Miraj. He joined Mohiddinbhoy Malikkhoy, a well known merchant

of Kolhapur, in 1906. His business increased in a short period and he had to open a

branch office in the City, which is in charge of Rahimtulla, and Baloch and Maner. Theirs is the only big firm in Kolhapur which is dealing in iron paints. A life-member, Mohamedan Boarding House and President, Anjuman Narnal Islami, his services in connection with the Tehalkaraji firing case are

Rahimtulla Maner.

worth mentioning. He has donated several

sums not only to Muslim institutions but also to Hindu institutions. A

man of religious temperament, he is liked by all. Maner Masjid at Kolhapur was rebuilt at his own cost. An influential Muslim, he has the knack of amicably settling the community disputes.



Balechand Maner.

Address—Kolhapur.

Mane. Dattajirao Bhausahab,

Pensioner and Mankari of Indore State, comes of

an ancient Maratha family. Born on 3rd September, 1882, at Kagal, he received his early education at Kagal. Married to Nanibai, daughter of Chharge of Kolhapur. He has two daughters and one son. Marutirao, his only son, after receiving his education up to Matric, started independent business as commission agent at Shahupuri where he has established a reputation of his own. His daughter, Susilabai, is given in marriage to Yoswantrao Jadhav, a well-known Contractor of Khanapur District, Dolgaum. A son of a Mankari under Kakasahab Jahagirdar of Kagal, a Foundatory Jahagir under Kolhapur State, Mr. Dattajirao has had a chequered career. While serving as a Pagakamgar in Kagal (Junior) Jahagir for twenty-five years, he has been able to secure, through his sincerity and honesty, the full confidence of the Jahagirdar. He retired after some time. Tact and Wisdom he displayed in effecting the royal marriage between the two illustrious Maratha families, namely, the marriage of H. H. Yoswantrao Maharaja Holkar of Indore with H. H. Maharajisahab of Indore, the daughter of Chhirsahab of Kagal (Junior) evoked a great admiration for him. His services to the Royal family of Indore were amply and justly rewarded by Maharaja Tukojirao Holkar who, in a Durbar held on 30th December, 1923, presented to Dattajirao Mane a Sanad for hereditary income of Rs. 200 per month and a reward of cash amounting to Rs. 10,000. A man of simple habits and high thinking, his most devoted and loyal services to Kagal (Junior) Jahagir as a Huzur Mudabnis (Private Secretary) is well-known in that part of the province. His generosity and suave manners have made him very popular among his friends and admirers. He has also donated to several charities, educational and religious institutions in Kolhapur and outside and is connected with many institutions in some way or other.

Address—Managwar Peth, Kolhapur.



Mr. Dattajirao B. Mane, Kolhapur.

Manohar, Vinayak Narayan alias Kakasaheb, B.A., LL.B., Proprietor, Penkar



Cutlery Co., Pon, Dist. Kolaba. Born on 30th Ashada Vadya Shaka, 1798. Educated at Pon, Elphinstone High School, Bombay, Wilson College, Bombay. (Two sons and four daughters, eldest son, Nana-sahab, is a B. Sc., and the oldest daughter, Mrs. Sudhlal Bhat, L.C.P.S. is practising

at Poona). Passed Matric in 1893; B.A., 1897; LL.B., 1900; took Sanad of the Bombay High Court at the instance of his eldest brother but his love for science attracted him to industrial pursuits; awarded a Mangaldas Technical Scholarship by the Bombay University to prosecute his further studies in Cutlery Manufacture in England; left India for England, 1906. After working in several Cutlery firms at Sheffield, returned to India in 1908. He worked for some time his Cutlery Workshop at Dhulia but had eventually to shift it to Khandva. Here he worked for nearly five years, but had again to close the same owing to outbreak of the Great War; returned to Pon in 1917 and settled down there. Finally taking up various new activities in 1932 he started the Cutlery Works at Pon which is known as the Penkar Cutlery Company, and is turning out excellent cutlery articles such as pen and pocket knives, scissors, table knives and razors which are largely patronized by the public and Native States such as Baroda, Janjira, etc. Kakasaheb served as President and Vice-President, Pon Municipality, for some time; also Chairman, Konkani Education Society and a member, Pon Education Society.

Address—Pon, District Kolaba.

Mansingh, Sardar, B.A., LL.B., Advocate, High Court, Lahore. Born in 1888. Educated at Khalsa College Amritsar; won Gold Medal for writing Punjabi poetry; is a lawyer of more than twenty years' standing; worked as the Senior Counsel and officer-in-charge of the Law Department of Shiromani Gurdwara Prabandhak Committee, Lahore (1926-1929); edited Khalsa Young Man's Magazine from 1905-1909; Member, Legislative Assembly (1921-23); Vice-President, the Chief Khalsa Diwan (1921-1924); Secretary, Reception Committee, XVII Sikh Educational Conference, Lahore, held in 1926; Hon. Secretary, Khalsa High School; Offg. Judge, High Court, Patiala, 1930—May 1932; now Member, Sikh

Gurdwaras Tribunal and President, Sikh Gurdwaras Judicial Commission, Lahore.

Publications: Translated "Kalidasa's Vikramorvasi" from Sanskrit into Punjabi poetry and prose; has written religious tracts.

Address—41, Ferozapore Road, Lahore.

Mantri, Balwant Trimbak, Inamdar and President, Islampur Municipality, Islampur,



District Satara. Born on 29th April, 1906. Educated at New English School, Poona, Fergusson and Deccan Colleges, Poona. Married first in 1926 and a second time on 31st January, 1933, with Miss Indirabai, niece of Ramesh S. S. Parulkar of Satara (two sons from the first marriage and one son from the second). The Mantris are the Inamdars of Kalvadi, Asangaon and Islampur. The chief man of the family, Naroran Regu (Mantri), who hailed from Korchre in Sawantwadi State, was the fourth Councillor of the eight Pradhans (Dewan or Ministers) of Shri Shahu Chhatrapati of Satara. After studying up to Inter, Mr. B. T. Mantri began to take keen interest in public life. He was elected President, Municipality, in 1935; was Chairman, Co-operative People's Bank, Islampur, 1927-32. He is a Member of the District Local Board and President of the Welfare League. He is a great Social Reformer, and sincere worker. A young man of great intelligence and grit, he is sure to prove himself a great benefactor to the people of Satara Dist.

Address—Indira Nivas, Islampur, District Satara.

Mantri, Vaman Sitaram, Saranjamdar and Inamdar of Islampur, Dist. Satara. Born on 21st February, 1912. Educated at Rajaram High School, Docean College and Wadia College, Poona. Married in 1935 with Miss Laxmibai, daughter of Sardar Gulgule of Kota



in Rajputana (one daughter). The Mantris are the Inamdars of Kalvadi, As-sangwon and Islampur. The chief man of the family, Naroram Ruge (Mantri), who hailed from Koche in Savantvadi State, was the fourth Councillor of the eight Prandhaus (Dewans or Ministers) of Shri Shahu Chhatrapati of Satara. His grand-father, late Trimbakrao Anandrao Mantri, who was a 2nd class Sardar, died in 1930. Mr. V. S. Mantri passed Matric in 1931 and is at present studying in Wadia College at Poona.

He takes interest in Village uplift; has presented a stud bull to Islampur Village in response to H. E. the Viceroy's appeal; also started Shikshak Palak Sangh at Shalgaon.

Address—Shiatre's Bungalow, Docean Gymkhana, Poona 4, or Islampur Dist., Satara.

Manturshettra, Rao Saheb Siddappa Chanebasappa, Landlord and Merchant,



Hubli. Born in 1891, he was educated at Mantur. Married in 1913 to Parvatibai, daughter of Chanebasappa Metgud of Ball-Mongal, and has two sons—Karabasappa and Chanebasappa. Rao Saheb's father, Late Chanebasappa, left two sons behind him (1) Basavanappa, who has one son, Chirapadappa, and a daughter, Ansuva (2) Rao Saheb Shiddappa, the subject of this life sketch, and who is much interested in public activities and a popular figure in Dharwar District. He has donated large sums of money for public institutions including Rs. 5000 to the Hubli Co-operative Hospital. He was a member of Hubli Taluka Local Board, and Secretary, Vidyavardhak Sangh, Hubli, for three years. He is the Director of the Gangadhar pressing Company of Hubli for the last many years. Karabasappa, the oldest son of Rao Saheb, has completed his education and is a brilliant boy. Manturshettar Shiddappa was created a Rao Saheb in 1928.

Address—Hubli.

Marker, Pestonji Dosabhoj, (Noshan-E-Elamie) was born in November, 1871. He



is one of the founders, the Patron and the Vice-President of the Iran League of the Parsis of India; a Trustee, patron and Vice-President of the Irani Zoroastrian Anjuman of Bombay; the President of the Vesu Zoroastrian Anjuman; a Trustee of various Zoroastrian and other charitable Institutions; the founder of the well

known Zoroastrian Orphanage for Boys and High School for Girls at Yezd (Iran); the Marker School for Boys and Girls in Vesu; the Marker Physical Culture Home in Bombay; the Marker Hall in the Maudvi (Dist.) School; and the founder of the Marker Religious Literature Fund for Iran. His Imperial Majesty the Shah of Iran conferred on him the first class Order of Noshan-E-Elamie with a gold medal. It was on this occasion that Mr. Marker announced his intention of constructing a big Clock Tower as a monument to the loving memory of the great Iranian Poet, Ferdousi Tusi. This Tower which is nearly completed by now is situated in the centre of Marker Abad on the Khabane-Marker (Marker Road) at Yezd—thus the name of this Parsee philanthropist is attached to one of the foremost avenues of Yezd by the Government of Iran in recognition of his (Mr. Marker's) magnificent charities. He is one of the Parsee benefactors working for the amelioration of the poor Zoroastrians of Iran, and for the education and advancement of Parsees in India and in Iran.

Adhross -Marker Building, 5th Khetwadi, Bombay.

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Marzban, Behram Kaikobad and Rustom Kaikobad,



joint principals, Bharda New High School, Bombay. Their father, the late Mr. K. B. Marzban, the well-known educationalist of Bombay, founded, in conjunction with the late Mr. J. D. Bharda, the New High School in Bombay, 1st January, 1891, which was renamed the Bharda

New High School in memory of Mr. Bharda who died in 1921. The School gradually rose to be one of the biggest private-owned educational institutions in the British Empire. Mr. Behram Kaikobad Marzban, B.A. (elder son of the late Mr. K. B. Marzban), was born on 26th September, 1897. He was educated at New High School and Wilson College, Bombay; passed Matric in 1913; B.A. 1920; joined the New High School in 1920. He is a member of the Executive Committee of the Bombay



High Schools Athletic Association; a member of the Managing Committee of Bai Avabai Petit Parsi Girls' Orphanage, and on the Managing Committee of the Nusservanji Manekji Petit Charity Fund. Mr. Rustom Kaikobad Marzban, B.A., the second son, was born on 29th

August, 1903. He was educated at New High School and Elphinstone College, Bombay; passed Matric in 1920, standing first in French and obtaining the Sir Dinshaw Manekji Petit Baccarat Prize; passed B.A. in 1924 and joined the School the next year. Through the whole-hearted co-operation, zeal and earnestness of the Marzban Brothers the school retains "a model institution" with a high standard of efficiency.

Address—Bharda New High School, Waudby Road, Fort, Bombay.

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Masani, Rustom Pestonji, M. A., J. P., Managing Director, Parsia Industrial and Training Co., Ltd. Born on 23rd September, 1876; he was educated at New High School and Elphinstone College. He was a Fellow of Elphinstone College, 1897, and 1898. He had a versatile career as a journalist, businessman, and as a very capable administrator. His varied activities can be summed up: Jt. Proprietor and Editor of *Gup Sup*, 1898; Editor of English Columns of *Kaiser-i-Hind*, 1891-1900; Editor, *Indian Spectator*, 1901-1903; Fellow of the Bombay University and of the Institute of Bankers; Trustee, N. M. Wadia Charities; President Anthropological Society, Bombay; Vice-President, Bombay Vigilance Association; Jt. Hon. Secretary and Trustee, Society of the Protection of Children in Western India, also of the K. R. Kanu Oriental Institute, and the Parsi Girls' High Schools Association; Secretary, Bombay Food Prices Committee, 1914-17; Municipal Secretary, 1907-19; Dy. Municipal Commissioner, 1919-1935; Municipal Commissioner, 1922; Manager, Central Bank of India, Ltd., 1926-28; Secretary, Bombay Provincial Banking Inquiry Committee, 1929-30; Joint Secretary, Indian Central Banking Inquiry Committee, 1930-31; Director, Central Board and Vice-President and Member, Local Board of the Reserve Bank of India; Oriental Government Security Life Assurance Company, Limited, and other joint stock companies. Publications:—English: "Child Protection," "Folklore of Wells," "The Law and Procedure of the Municipal Corporation," Bombay; "The Conference of the Birds," a Sufi Allegory; "Evolution of Local Self-Government in Bombay," "Court-Poets of Iran and India," "Zoroastrianism: The Religion of the Good Life," Gujarati; "Dolatro Upayog" (Use of Wealth), "Gharbi Tatha Nishalhi Kolvani" (Home and School Education), "Tansukh Mala" (Health Series) and novels, named "Abyssinian Hobshi," "Bodhlu," "Chandra Chal."

Address—Vorsova (Via Andhori Station.)

Maung Tok Kyi, B. A., Born in 1884. He was educated at Rangoon College; was member of the Subordinate Civil Service, Burma, 1908-20; resigned (Govt. Service and joined editorial staff of *The Sun* in 1920; became Managing Director, 1921; elected to the Municipal Corporation, Rangoon, 1922; elected Member, Legislative Assembly, 1923, and elected to Rangoon University Council, 1924. Founded Burma Swaraj Party and elected its leader, 1925; Re-elected Member, Legislative Assembly, 1926; resigned from Legislative Assembly, 1930.

Address—7, Strand Road, Moulmein.

Maung Kun, B. A., Bar-at-Law and Member, Burma Legislative Council. Born on 27th August, 1891. Married Ma Aye. Educated at Govt. High School, Bassein, the Rangoon College, Rangoon, and Gray's Inn, London; was Assistant Registrar, Chief Court of Lower Burma at Rangoon, 1918-20, when he resigned and started practice at the Bar.

Address:—Danubyu, Burma.

Master-Krishnarao, (Krishnaji Ganesh Phulambrikar), Sangit Kala-



nidhi. Actor and Musician, Gandharva Natak Mandali. Born in 1898. Married in 1920 with Radhabai, daughter of A. V. Barsikar of Baroda. His father had deposited a decent amount with a friend of his when he left for a pilgrimage. But on his return, he found to his surprise that the deceased friend's son refused to return it. So his father had to sell his two houses to pay off his debts. Since then the family had a downfall and the responsibility of educating her four surviving children out of 16 fell upon Krishnarao's mother, Mrs. Mathubai. Master Krishnarao, who lost his father at the age of five, left School, when he was a boy of ten, and joined Natyakala Pravartak Mandali. He played the part of Vithoba in Sant Sakhi by late H. N. Apte, and that of Sharda. At the age of thirteen he came under the influence of the well-known musician of Maharashtra, the late Mr. Bhaskarrao Bakhle, and became well grounded in the science of Music. The late Mr. Bakhle took a keen interest in Master Krishnarao, who, after an

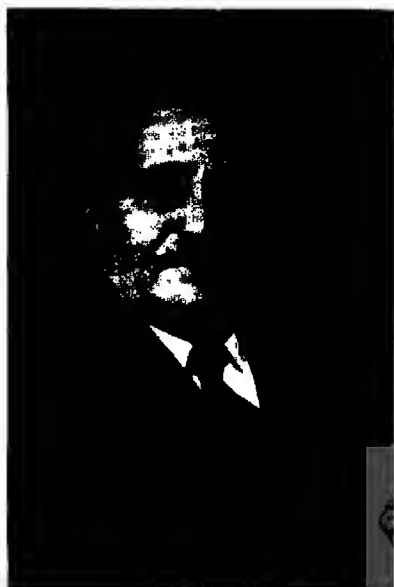
intense study for five years under him, became an expert in the line and even surpassed his guru. The Dhulia Cumin Club presented him a Gold Medal in 1914. He visited Jullander and Amritsar and was honoured by the Darbarsahab at Amritsar. At the age of eighteen he joined the Gandharva Dramatic Company at Baroda, and made debut as Sharada before His Highness, the Gaekwar of Baroda, who appreciated his work. He is well-known outside the stage as an expert musician, well-versed in Hindi and other kinds of music, and is invited by the devotees of music in distant places like Kashmir, Patiala, Gwalior, Baroda, Indore, Jodhpur and Mysore. He is the first musician to make Adana Rag popular and has discovered some original tunes. He has also composed the "Sangit Mohamal." His "Rag sangriha," a classical book in Hindi, is in print. Master Krishnarao, whose work retains wonderful freshness and vitality, has earned by his scholarship, high-mindedness and didactic vigour a prominent place in Indian Music. His music has admirable qualities of style and an indisputable grace. Shri Shankaracharya Dr. Kurtkoti presented him with the title of Sangit Kulanidhi in 1930. He has been honoured at Karachi with a diamond necklace by Shri Lakshminand Ishwardas, President, Airo Club, Karachi. His singing has been thoroughly appreciated by Mahatma Gandhi, who advised him to go to America with an introductory letter from Tagore, the well-known Poet of India.

The Italian artists have appreciated his skill in Amarjyoti as appropriate and correct music. The Director of Public Institution, Bombay Presidency and the Bombay Schools Committee have sanctioned for the use of Schools his publications (1) "Ragsangraha" (Hindi) and two "Mohanmal" (Marathi).

Address:—Ganesh Bhawan, Tilakwadi, Poona 2

Master, Ardeshtir Nusserwanji, I.C.E., Retired Divisional Forest Officer, Bombay Presidency. Born on 25th July, 1867, at Tarapore in Thana District. He was educated at Surat and the College of Science, Poona. Married in 1875 with Khorshedbai, daughter of late Eduljee Batliwala of Mhow, and has two daughters and two sons. His eldest son, Jal A. Master, I.F.S., B. Sc., Edinburgh, is the acting Conservator of Forests, Madras Presidency. Second son, Kaikhusro, M.A., B.Sc. (Hons.), (Edinburgh); Barrister-at-Law, is practising at Dara-o-salaam, in East Africa.

Mr. Master passed I.C.E., in 1890. He was appointed as Sub-assistant Conservator of Forests at Thana. After serving as Divisional Forest Officer at Thana, Satara, Sukkar, Panchmahals, Kanara, Dharwar and Bijapur, he retired in 1922 and has settled down at Poona. Address:—16, Queen's Gardens, Poona.



Mr. A. N. Master.



Mrs. A. N. Master.



Mr. Jal A. Master.



Mr. Kaikhusro A. Master.

Mathew, Anjilvel V., B. A., B. T.,
Lecturer in Educational psychology, S. M. T.,



Teachers' College, Kolhapur. Born on 9th Aug, 1892; was educated at S. C. Seminary, Tiruvalla, Travancore; American College, Madras and Christian College, Madras. A prize winner in all College Classes, Mr. Mathew stood 1st in First Class in the B. T. Examination of the Bombay University, 1927. Married Miss

Rahelamma Philipose of Moprah, Mullapally, Travancore, and has four daughters and two sons. After graduation, was a Dist. Secretary in the Forward Movement of the Mar Thoma Syrian Church for one year; Head-master of St. John's English School, Eraviperore, 1918-1920; Senior Master and sometime acting principal in the St. Thomas High School, Honavar, N. Kanara; Head-master, Basel Mission High School, Dharwar, 1930-31; one of the founders and for sometime editor of the Karnatak Journal of Education, Dharwar; is an active member of the All India Federation of Educational Associations; Convenor of its Examination Enquiry Committee for two years, and then Secretary of its Secondary Education Section from 1934; author of "Examinations;" (A Constructive Survey); "Psychology and Principles of Education" (2 vols.); contributes articles to various educational journals in India.

Address—Teachers College, Kolhapur. सत्यमेव जयते

Masurekar, Rao Bahadur Parshuram Gopal, B. A., LL. B., Bar-at-law, Rajkot



Born 15th June, 1877. Educated at Savantwad

High School, Wilson College, Bombay, and Middle Temple, London. Married on 31st March, 1899, with Miss Ramabai, daughter of late S. N. Pandit, Bar-at-law of Rajkot. (One son and three daughters). Passed Matric 1895; B. A., 1899, LL. B., 1901; commenced practice at Rajkot 1902; proceeded to England 1908. Was called to the Bar and secured first class in Final Examination from Middle Temple 1909; returned to India December 1909; resumed practice at Rajkot; was Secretary of Famine Committee at Rajkot 1912 and 1917, of Kathiawar Famine Committee 1919, and of the Board of Trustees of Govindji Tulsidas Trust, which is running the Vanita Vishram and the Girls' High School at Rajkot; has been the President of the Kathiawar Orphanage, which was started by late Sitaram N. Pandit, Bar-at-law, who was its first President; also Secretary of the Red Cross Society, Rajkot; and President Maharashtra Mandal, Rajkot; appointed District and Sessions Judge, Rajkot, for a short time; was Chief Judicial Officer, Junagad, 1931; created Rao Bahadur, 1928. With the magic name of the late Sitaram N. Pandit, Bar-at-law—ho is his son-in-law—Rao Bahadur Masurekar has been chosen the President of Kathiawar Orphanage, which post he has filled with great distinction and has extended the circle of his appreciators.

Address—Civil Station, Rajkot, Kathiawar.

McKenzie, the Rev. John. M. A., (Aberdeen), 1904; Hon. D. D. (Aberdeen);



Principal, Wilson College, Bombay. Born on 13th June, 1893. He had his education at Aberdeen University, New College, Edinburgh and Tubingen University. He was senior Cunningham Fellow, New College, Edinburgh in 1908 and was ordained in the same year. He married Agnes Ferguson Dinnes. Joining Wilson College as Professor in 1908, he became

the Principal of the College in 1921. He was President of Bombay Anthropological Society from 1927-29. He is a Fellow of the Bombay University and was its Vice-Chancellor from 1931 to 1933. His tenure of office was a period of strenuous activity during which period important educational questions were being discussed. He is always available to preside over committees in this connection. The following are some of his publications: "Hindu Ethics" (Oxford University Press); edited, "Worship Witness and Work" by R.S. Simpson, D. D. (James Clarke); edited, "The Christian Task in India" (Macmillan).

Address—Wilson College House, Bombay.

Mehdi Yar Jung Bahadur Nawab, M.A. (Oxon), Member, H. E. H. the Nizam's Executive Council (Political), Hyderabad, Deccan. He is the youngest son of Nawab Imad-ul-Mulk Bahadur, and was born in 1880. He received his early education at Hyderabad and went to Oxford for his B. A. and M. A. He joined the Nizam's service as Assistant Political Secretary in 1911 and became Deputy Financial Secretary in 1915. He became Principal of the Osmania University College in 1918, and subsequently acted as Director of Public Instruction. He was appointed Political Member in 1919. He went to England as a Member of the State Delegation to the Round Table Conference in 1930. He is a man with great influence and ability.

Address—Hyderabad, (Deccan).

Mehta, Chunilal B., Merchant; born 1888; educated at Bombay; married to Tapi-



bai; Justice of the Peace for the city of Bombay, (1929); Sheriff of Bombay for the year 1935-36; President, Bombay Shroffs (Indigenous Bankers) Association; Director of Alcock, Ashdown and Co., Limited; Bombay Bullion Exchange, Limited; Bombay Talkies Limited; East India Cotton Association,

Limited; Scindia Steam Navigation Co., Ltd.; Narottam, Limited; Narottam and Pereira, Limited; Electrical Undertakings, Limited; Indian Overseas Bank, Limited; Managing Director of Chunilal Mehta and Co., Limited. Member:—Governing Body, Imperial Council of Agricultural Research; Executive Committee, Federation of Indian Chambers of

Commerce and Industry; Indian Central Cotton Committee; Managing Committee Indian Merchants' Chamber, Bombay; Managing Committee, Ranwadi Free Eye Hospital; General Committee, Red Cross Society (Bombay Presidency Branch); Anti-Tuberculosis Committee. Editor:—"The Financial News," Bombay; "Indian Cotton Review" and "Cotton Chart" (Annual Publications). Children:—Two daughters, aged twenty and seven years respectively, and one son aged five years. Charities:—Rs. 35,000, Free Dispensary, and Rs. 30,000 Boarding for students at Bhavnagar; Rs. 10,000 Harikisondas Narottamdas Hospital, Bombay; Rs. 5,000 Children's Aid Society, Bombay; Rs. 5,000 Silver Jubilee Fund; Rs. 5,000, King George V Memorial Fund. Has travelled round the world in 1927 and again to Europe and America in 1930.

Address—Residence: 52 Ridge Road, Malabar Hill, Bombay;

Office—51 Marwari Bazar, Bombay 2; Branch Office—43 Esplanade Road, Fort, Bombay, 1.

Mehta, Dr. Dhanjibhai Hormasji, C. I. E., Representative, Indian Red Cross



Society and St. John Ambulance Association. Born 4th February, 1864. Married cousin Bahadur Morwanji Motha. Educated at Sir Cowasji Jehangir Navasari Zarthosti Madressa and at Grant Medical College, Bombay, (L.M. and S. 1885). Won English Scholarship and

Sir Richard Temple Prize at School, and Anderson Scholarship at College. Held various Medical appointments in Baroda State, 1887-1922, Jail Superintendent, Baroda Central Jail, 1904-1908 and 1916-21; Physician to Prince Fatsinhara's Household 1905-07; in Charge, Chief Medical Officer; Sanitary Commissioner Baroda State, 1921-22. On retirement, friends and admirers put up his portrait in the Chief Medical Officer's Office and resolved to give five Silver Memorial Medals bearing his effigy to students passing with highest marks (three in Ambulance and two in Nursing) in Baroda and Bombay. Has popularized in half of India, the St. John Ambulance Association since 1900 and the Indian Red Cross Society since 1920, giving nearly 1000 lectures in English, Gujarati, Marathi, Hindi and Hindustani in about 800 towns including 60 States; opened five Ambulance branches and forty-five Red Cross ones; had the honour of lecturing with Their Excellencies Lady Irwin, Sir Malcolm Hailey, Sir Leslie Wilson, and Lady Sykes, Sir Frederic Whyte and twenty-five Maharajahs, Ruling Chiefs or their Representatives in the Chair. Earned Rs. 10,000 for the Association and about Rs. 134,100 for the Society by enrolling over 3,300 members. Helped Prof. W. M. Haffkine, C.I.E., in establishing the value of anti-plague serum; gave evidence before the First Plague Commission; also worked with Captain Lamb on Cholera inoculations. Donated Rs. 20,000, with interest accrued Rs. 2,500, for Lady Willingdon Building for Parsi Ambulance Division Headquarters, Bombay; conducted fifty classes in first Aid Nursing and Home Hygiene; presented thousands of copies of his books worth nearly Rs. 10,000 to the Association and to the Society. Decorations:—Received Raja Ratna (silver) of Baroda 1916; Donat Badgo (silver) of St. John 1917; Kaiser-i-Hind (gold) 1920. Was Indian Council's delegate to Centenary Celebrations of the Viceroy, Order of St. John of Jerusalem and had the honour of being invested Associate Serving Brother at His Imperial Majesty's hands at Buckingham Palace and of presentation to H. R. H. The Prince of Wales in June 1931. He was created C.I.E., in 1932, and Associate Officer of St. John in 1934. Received Maharaja Gaikwad's Diamond Jubilee Medal, 1936. Attended fifteenth International Red Cross Conference at Tokyo as a delegate from Baroda Branch and was created a Special Member of the Japanese Red Cross. Gave Red Cross and Ambulance lectures at Yokohama, Kobe, Shanghai, Hong-Kong and Colombo, fourteen in all.

Publications:—Fifty on "Ambulance," "Nursing," "Home Hygiene," "Red Cross," "Midwifery," "Village Sanitation," "Junior Red Cross," "Evils of Infant Marriage," etc. Has been editing a quarterly journal named "Aroyga" (Health) for Baroda Red Cross Branch since ten years.

Recreations:—Billiards, Bridge, Badminton.

Clubs:—President, Sir Ratan Tata Sports Club, Metha Club, Navasari. Member, Sayaji Vihar Club, Baroda National Club, Bombay, Parsi Gymkhana, Mahabaleshwar and Ladies Gymkhana, Poona.

Address—Lunsikool, Navasari.

Mehta, Dr. Jivraj Narayan, I.M. & S. (Bom.), M.D. (Lond.), M.R.C.P. (Lond.), F.C.P.S. (Bom.), Dean, Gordhandas Sunderdas Medical College and King Edward Memorial Hospital, Bombay. Born on 20th August, 1887. He was educated at High School, Amreli, Baroda State, Grant Medical College, Bombay and London Hospital. He was Asst. Director, Hale Clinical Laboratory, London Hospital, London, and was for some years the Chief Medical Officer, Baroda State. Was sentenced to two years imprisonment during the Congress Movement, 1932.

Address—Gordhandas Sunderdas Medical College, Parol, Bombay.

Mehta, Jamnadas Madhavji, M.A., LL.B., Barr-at-law. Born on 3rd August, 1884. He was educated at Jamnagar, Junagadh, Bombay and London. A man of parts, he has made a mark in the civic life of Bombay. As a debater of high order, both in the Bombay Corporation of which he is a member since 1922, and in the Legislative Assembly, 1923-29, he is second to none in Western India. His knowledge of Indian Finance is well-known to those who were privileged to hear him in the Assembly. He was a member of the All-India Congress Committee between 1921-31, and of the Working Committee of the Indian National Congress in 1936. He is the General Secretary of the recently started Democratic Swaraj Party in Bombay. He was the right-hand man of the late Mr. V. J. Patel, the first elected President of the Legislative Assembly and a staunch Advocate of Council-Entry. His various activities may be summed up: President, the National Trade Union Federation; All-India Railwaymen's Federation; C. I. P. Accountant Staff Union; Bombay Tramway Men's Union; Bombay Port Trust Employees' Union; All-India Salaried Employees' Federation; Indian Trade Union Unity Conference; B. B. and C. I. Railway Employees' Union, and Bombay Taxi Drivers' Union; Hon. Secretary, The Currency League of India; Chairman, Asian Assurance Co. Ltd., Bombay. Married Manibai, daughter of Maharaj Ratanji Ladhuji. Labour delegate, International Labour Conference, Geneva, 1934. Elected to the Bombay Legislative Assembly in 1937.

Clubs:—The Bombay Bar Gymkhana, The Hindu Merchants' Club, Bombay.

Address—Ridge Road, Malabar Hill, Bombay.

Mehta, Jaysukhlal Krishnalal, M.A.,
Secretary, Indian Merchant's Chamber, Bom-



bay. Born in 1884, he was educated at Wadhwan High School and Gujarat and Elphinstone Colleges. He was appointed Secretary, Indian Merchants' Chamber. His services were borrowed by the Indian Munitions Board from Chamber, and appointed Assistant Controller from September 1917 to November 1918. He was nominated Adviser to the Representative of Employers for the third and fourteenth sessions of the International Labour Conference, Geneva, in 1921 and 1930. After the Conference he toured about Europe and England both times for seeing the Chambers of Commerce and other Commercial Organizations there on behalf of the Indian Merchants' Chamber. He acted as Secretary of the Federation of Indian Chambers of Commerce and Industry from 1927-29. He was elected Vice-President of the Bombay Suburban District, Congress Committee from 1921-25 and President of the Bombay Suburban District Congress Committee from 1925-29. He was also Chairman of the Santa Cruz Notified Area Committee, 1927-32. Married Mrs. Kumudgawri.

Address—"Krishna Kutir," Santa Cruz, B.B. & C.I. Ry. and Jehangir Wadia Building, Esplanade Road, Fort, Bombay.

Mehta, Jyotindra Markand, B.A. (Bom), M.A. (Ox), Ph. D. (Lond.), Bar-at-Law, Senior Professor of Economics, Baroda College, Baroda. Born in 1894, he was educated at the Elphinstone College, Bombay, Jesus College, Oxford, and London School of Economics; Research work at the International Institute of Agriculture, Rome; worked in the I.E.S. for two years from 1920-22 as Professor of History at the Elphinstone College; joined Baroda College as Senior Professor of History in 1922; in 1927 went to England for Ph. D. degree of London University; acted

as Principal of this College from March to November 1931 and 1934. Member of the University Senate; member of the Development Board; member of the Economic Enquiry Committee Conciliation Board appointed in 1932; worked on the Committee appointed in connection with the position of the State in the future Federal India.

Publications—"Rural Economy of Gujarat," Editor of Economic and Social Surveys of Baroda villages.

Address—Camp Road, Baroda.

Mehta, Khansaheb Ardeshir Ruttonji, M.B.E., Retired Military Pensioner, Quetta



and Karachi. Born on 8th February 1878 at Ahmedabad. Educated at Ahmedabad High School. Married on 5th May, 1904, with Shirinbai, daughter of Ukerji Sorabji, Engineer of Bombay. After completion of his education Mr. Ardeshir entered Military Department in 1897 and served at various stations—Ahmedabad, Bombay, Karachi, Deolali, Khandalla, Indore, Mhow, Nasirabad, Ajmer, Taragarah, Mt. Abu and Quetta. Was sent on Field service, Jubaland and K.P.C. Sent to England in 1919 in connection with Peace Celebrations, the only Parsee from the Military Unit. Created Khansaheb in June 1919. M. B. E., June, 1928; Sind Commissioner's darbari since September, 1933. Retired from Quetta on completion of fifty-five years of age on 9th February, 1933.

Address—24 Parsee Colony, Karachi.

Mehta, Dewan Bahadur N. D., Dewan of Cambay State. He served as Deputy Collector, Bombay Civil Service, 1910-24; later on became Chief Officer at Bandra and Ahmedabad successively, and then Retrenchment Officer, Bombay Corporation. On his retirement as Deputy Municipal Commissioner in 1929, he officiated as Chief Officer, Bombay Improvement Trust. He officiated also as Mun. Commissioner, Bombay, in 1931, and in the same year he was made Dewan Bahadur. The recent improvements effected in the State administration are largely due to his initiative.

Address—Cambay State.

Mehta, Phirozshaw Muncherji, L.M. & S., Private Medical Practitioner, and



Hon. Chief Medical Officer, Parsee Lying-in Hospital, Navsari. Born 3rd August, 1878. Educated at Now High School, Bombay and Grant Medical College, Bombay. He was a scholar throughout his School and College career. First marriage in 1916, with late Miss Mohor, daughter of Naoroji Ardesahir Captain of

Hyderabad Decan (one son). Second marriage in 1924 with Sarah, daughter of Dhunjibhoj Nussorwanji Ghista, and niece of Sir M. B. Dadabhoj, President of the Council of State (one son and one daughter). Mrs. Sarah Mehta is the Vice-President, Mahilashram Club, Navsari. Dr. Mehta passed L. M. & S., 1900 and was the first to be awarded the University Dr. J. C. Lisho Gold Medal in Surgery at the L. M. & S. Examination and the Wellington Gray Medal in Surgery at the Grant Medical College after passing L. M. & S. Commenced practice at Navsari, 1901, and is the Leading Medical Practitioner. Was Hon. Secretary and Treasurer, "B" Co. 2nd Bombay Pioneers, 12th Battalion and also a Member of the Advisory Committee of the Battalion. President, Zoroastrian Physical Culture and Health League at Navsari since 1922; Also Secretary and President, Navsari Medical Union, and a Trustee of the Poor Parsee Fund at Navsari. Dr. Mehta is a Member of the Managing Committee of Bai Rutnubai Mehta Parsee Maternity Hospital at Udwada. On 4th June, 1936, on the occasion of his daughter's Navjot Ceremony, the Parsee Ladies of Navsari had honoured him by presenting an illuminated address in a Silver Casket with a purse for his selfless services for quarter of a

century. Thanks to his indefatigable energy the Navsari Parsee Lying-in Hospital came into existence through the munificence of late Mr. M. N. Mehta of Calcutta.

Address—Meher Villa, Loonsiconi, Navsari, B. B. & C. I. Railway.

Mehta, Govardhandas Nanabhai, Landlord and Banker, Nasirabad, Taluka



Jalgaon, Dist., East Khandesh. Born on 4th April, 1883, at Nasirabad. His father, late Nanabhai Mansaram, was an Hon. Magistrate and Sarpanch and a Social worker. Seth Govardhandas, who is a prominent landlord in East Khandesh, is a descendant of a big Zamindar family which came from Satbi State in Kathiawar and settled down at Nasirabad about 300 years ago. He was appointed Hon. Magistrate at Nasirabad in 1935. A patron of the East Khandesh village Uplift Association, he was recipient of an Afrinama. Mr. Govardhandas's Charitable Dispensary at Nasirabad is doing very useful work. Five thousand patients are taking advantage of it every year.

Address—Post Nasirabad, Taluka Jalgaon, District East Khandesh.

Mehta, Vaikunth Lallubhai, B. A., Managing Director, Bombay Provincial Co-operative Bank, Ltd. Born on 23rd October, 1891; he was educated at Now High School, Bombay and Elphinstone College, Bombay. He

won the Ellis Scholarship for highest number of marks in English at the B.A. examination. He worked with the General Famine Relief Committee and Servants of India Society for Famine Relief Work, 1911-12. He acted as Hon. Manager, Bombay Central (Provincial) Co-operative Bank, Ltd., Bombay (1912-15). He was appointed Manager of the Bank from 1915-1922 and Managing Director since 1922. He was the Editor, Social Service Quarterly since 1915, and Bombay Co-operative Quarterly 1916-30. He was also a Member of the Executive Committee, Bombay Provincial Co-operative Institute Bombay, and a Member, Bombay Provincial Banking Inquiry Committee, 1929. He acted as Jt. Secy., Bombay Swadeshi League, 1932, and is now Treasurer of the same. Since September, 1933, he has been appointed Joint Secretary of the All-India Swadeshi Sangha. He is the author of the following publications: "The Co-operative Movement" (The Times of India Press) 1915; the "Co-operative Movement in India" (Servants of India Society Pamphlet in collaboration with Mr. V. Venkata Suddhiya) (Arya Bhushan Press), 1918; "Studies in Co-operative Finance" (Servants of India Society pamphlet) 1927. Married Mangla, daughter of Prataprai Vajeshankar of Bhavnagar.

Address—Murzabad, Andheri (B. B. & C. T. Railway).

Merchant, Framroz Rustomji, F.S.A.A., J.P. First Assistant Commissioner of Income-



tax, Bombay City. Born on 12th November, 1888. He was educated in Bombay and London. He was Professional Accountant and Auditor in Bombay for about eight years. He was part-time Lecturer in Accounting and Auditing, Sydenham College of Commerce and Economics, Bombay, for twelve years. He officiated as Secretary and Chief Accountant, City of Bombay Improvement Trust, and was Exam-

iner in Accounting to the University of Bombay. He officiated as Commissioner of Income-Tax, Bombay Presidency and Aden, on two occasions. His publications are: "Elements of Book-Keeping," "Company Secretary and Accountant," "Income-Tax in Relation to Accounts," "India Income-Tax Simplified," "Book-Keeping, Self-Taught," etc.

Address—33-35, New Queen's Road, Bombay (4).

Mendis, Jacob Anicetus, B.A., (Oxon.) 1930; Lecturer in Logic and tutor at Zahira College, Colombo. Educated at St. Thomas College, Colombo, and Queen's College, Oxford. While at Oxford competed for the Newdigate prize for English verse, and after graduating for the Sacred Poem Prize. He was visiting lecturer in Anglo Saxon at the University College, Colombo, from 1924-25; Acting Principal, Prince of Wales College, Moratuwa, from 1927-1929; Principal of the C. M. S. Boys' English School, Baddagana, from 1929-1930. He is a keen tennis player and indulges in music during leisure hours. Author of "Songs of Spring," "Love and Daybreak," "The Deliverance of Peter," "Woodlands and Sea," etc.

Address—Kirkby, Moratuwa, Ceylon.

Mian, Mohamad Bashir Mohamed, Proprietor, H. Mohamed Ali & Sons, Army



Contractors, Bombay, Poona, Lahore and Dalhousie; comes from a respectable Muslim

family of Punjab. This well known firm, H. Mohamed Ali & Sons, Regimental Contractors, was established in 1858, and has at all time maintained its tradition of loyalty to the Crown and overcome the vicissitudes of fortune even in the most difficult times. Mian Sudar Din, the founder of this firm, through his loyalty and integrity, took great pains to establish the standing and reputation of the firm from the very beginning. H. Mohamed Ali, his son, followed his father's footsteps and did all that he could do for the betterment of the firm. He died in 1926, leaving four sons and one daughter. (Mohamed Abdullah, who has no connection with the firm, Mian Mohamed Bashir, Mian Nazir and Mian Yusuf). Mian Mohamed Bashir, the subject of this sketch, was born in January, 1907, at Amritsar. He received his early education at Amritsar and later on joined the Islamia College, Peshawar, for his higher studies. After his educational career he had to join the family business owing to sudden death of his father. He is full of energy and resourcefulness. A capable and reliable contractor, he has gained the high approbation of all Officers of different Regiments with whom he served. He is also a Director of the Provincial Bank of India Ltd. He has one son and three daughters.

Address—H. Mohamed Ali & Sons, Army Contractors, 1st. Bn., The Royal Warwickshire Regiment, Poona.

Mirzapuram, Zamindar of.—Sree Rajah Venkata Ramayya Apparao Bahadur, M.L.C., was the first elected President of the Kistna District Board in May, 1914. For three years touring at his own expence all the time he worked strenuously for the improvement of roads and education in the District. Through his initiative the District Board voted three lakhs to the Andhra University; belongs to the Justice Party; elected by the Non-Muhammadian Rural constituency, Kistna, to the Madras Legislative Council in 1926; in 1930 Local Legislative Council election, he was elected by Northern Landholders.

Address—Mirzapuram.

Mishra, Narmada Prasad, B.A., M.L.A., Jabulpore. Passed his Inter and B.A. examinations privately with distinction. A man with great literary merits, he edited three high class Hindi Magazines: "Shri Sharda," "Sharda Vinod" and "Hit Kurni." He is an author of many Hindi books, most of which are prescribed for schools. He was secretary, Rashtriya Hindi Maudir; established Mishra Bandhu Karyalaya, the premier

house of publishers of educational books in C.P. in 1912; was a teacher for twelve years. He is the Hon. Secretary, Hit Kurni Sabha, which runs an Arts College, a Law College and a High School. He was president of Jabulpur Town Congress committee during the Flag Satyagraha movement. He has been a Municipal commissioner for ten years. He was elected to the C.P. legislative assembly in 1937.

Address—Mishra Bandhu Karyalaya, Jabulpur, C.P.

Miskin, Tulsappa Yellapa, Merchant, Landlord and Banker, Gadag, District Dhar-



war. Born in 1906. He was educated at Gadag. Married in 1923 to Miss Krishnabai, daughter of N. T. Chavan of Gulbarga, and has two sons and one daughter. At the age of seventeen, Mr. Miskin joined his family business and extended it by securing several agencies including that of Standard Oil Co., and started branches at Gadag and Betigeri. He has donated funds to Temples and Dharmashalas. He also takes keen interest in all public activities.

Address—Gadag Betigeri, District Dharwar.

Mitchell, David George, B. Sc. (Edin.), C. S. I. (1932), C. I. E. (1923), V.D., Indian Civil Service; Secretary, Industries and Labour Department, 1933. Born on 31st. March, 1879.

Married Elizabeth Duncan Wharton. Educated at St. George Heriot's School, Edinburgh, Edinburgh University, and Lincoln College, Oxford. Joined I.C.S., October, 1903. Served as Divisional and Sessions Judge in Central Provinces, 1918; Legal Secretary and Legal Remembrancer to Government of C.P. and Secretary to C.P. Legislative Council, 1919. Officiated as Additional Judicial Commissioner, June, 1926; Joint Secretary and Draftsman, Government of India, Legislative Department, April, 1937. Offg. Secretary, Legislative Dept., Government of India.

Address—Delhi and Simla.

Modak, Rev. Kamkrishna Shahurao,
Ex-M.T.C. Born on 27th October, 1891. He



travelled in India, America and Europe for Missionary Lectures. His brilliant missionary career may be summed up thus: was President, General Union of Congregational churches in Western India for four years; President, Indian Mission Board of Ahmednagar for five years; Chairman, Nagar Station Council of the American Mission for one year; President, Non-Brahmin League of Ahmednagar District for one year; Vice-moderator, United Church of Northern India for three years; President, Indian Christian Conference of the Bombay Presidency for one year; Representative from India to the National Council of Congregational Churches of America in 1925; District Missionary of American Marathi Mission for fifteen years; Hon. Recruiting Officer during the Great War; Vice-Chairman of the Ahmednagar District School Board for two years; Member, Ahmednagar District Local Board, for three years and Member, Nagar City Municipality, for three years; has been Organiser, Friends of India Association of U.S.A.; Founder and President, Society of Christian Servants;

Senior Pastor, Ahmednagar First Church; Member Bombay Legislative Council; Moderator, Maharashtra Synod of the United Church; Special Honorary Magistrate, Ahmednagar; President, Bombay Provincial Employment Bureau of Indian Christian and Founder, Miller High School. Married on 4th September 1934 to Miss Marguerite Grove, daughter of Mr. W. Grove of New York, U.S.A.

Address—Ahmednagar.

Modak, Lt. Divakar Sumitraro,
M.A., LL.B., J.P., A.I.R.O., F.S.Sc., Collector,



Bijapur. Born on 19th January, 1891. Educated at the American Mission School and Sir D. M. Petit Industrial School, Ahmednagar, Deccan College, Poona, St. Xavier's College, Bombay, and Law Colleges, Bombay and Poona. Joined as a direct recruit in the Bombay Civil Service in 1916 and served in all the capacities open to a Deputy Collector. After serving in different capacities, he was appointed Deputy Collector and Personal Assistant to the Collector, Poona, in 1934 and later on to the present post. He was General Secretary, Silver Jubilee Celebrations, Poona, and was largely responsible for the brilliant success in Poona. He is a very popular officer, held in highest esteem by all communities in Poona; all round sportsman and an officer of exceptional abilities. Due to his efforts there has been a remarkable progress in the village uplift work; very keenly interested and zealous of improving the lot of the peasants. Publications: "Salient Features of the Mohammedan Law;" "Bombay Land System and Village Administration;" "A Brief Story of Their Majesties' Twenty-five Years' Reign."

Address—Bijapur.

Modi, Sardar Davar T. K., B. A.,
LL.B., Bar-at-Law, Surat. Was born in Surat



on the 27th July, 1887. The family to which he belongs is ancient and historic, and as John Bomer, the Governor of Bombay of the day, said in a Durbar held in January, 1911, in honour of the then head of the family, "It considers itself the most noble of those that left Persia for this country."

However, it is certain that the family was flourishing in the seventeenth century when the English began their connection with India in a small way. "It is certainly the oldest amongst the existing well-known families of Parsis. The Modis, it may be said, have seen the rise of all the existing families out of insignificant beginnings, and the fall of many others also." As hereditary heads of the Parsi Community at Surat, the ancestors of Sardar Davar Modi rendered distinguished and important services to the community and proved immensely and invaluable helpful to Government in their early struggle for supremacy in India. Members of this family have ever since on all occasions distinguished themselves in loyalty and public service.

Sardar Davar Modi is a distinguished graduate in Arts and Law of the Bombay University; Barrister-at-Law of Lincoln's Inn, and Holder of the Certificate of honour of the Council of Legal Education, London. He bears the hereditary title of Davar, recognised by the Government of India by a Sanad conferred under the sign manual

of the Governor, Lord Harris, and has been created a First Class Sardar of Gujarat in recognition of his hereditary position and rank among the Parsi Community as its head and valuable services rendered to Government. He was awarded the rank of Honorary Captain in 1924, and placed in command of the "C" Company, 12/2 Bombay Pioneers, I.T.F. He owns extensive agricultural lands in the Surat and Broach Districts and pays several thousand rupees as land revenue. He is also a successful Barrister. He is the Professor of Roman Law and Ancient Law and Land Tenures in the Sarvajanic Law College, Surat. He is loyally maintaining the tradition of public service which his family has established for centuries. His public activities embrace a wide range of usefulness. He was Member of the Bombay Legislative Council from 1922 to 1924 and from 1930 to 1937. He was member of the Chorasi Taluka Local Board, the Surat District Local Board and the Surat City Municipality for a number of years. He has done much useful work as President of the Chorasi Taluka Development Association which has been for the last thirteen years doing rural uplift work. He is a member of the Managing Committee of the M. V. Hospital, Andrews Library, Lepor Asylum and other useful institutions. He is managing trustee of the Principal Parsi Fire Temple in Surat and other smaller Fire Temples and also of a large number of Parsi Charity Funds. He was appointed a Delegate of the Surat District Parsi Matrimonial Court in 1915. He was Director of Surat District Co-operative Bank for three years. He is a Director of the Gujarat Safe Deposit Company, Ltd. He was awarded the Silver Jubilee Commemoration Medal on the occasion of their Majesties' Silver Jubilee.

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Mohammad Ejaz Rasul Khan, Raja Sir. Kt. (1932), C.S.T. (1924), Talukdar of Jahangirabad. Vice-President of the British Indian Association and member of the United Service Club. Honorary Magistrate and Honorary Munshif. Born on 28th June, 1886. Educated at Colvin Talukdars School, Lucknow. Was first non-official Chairman of the District Board, Bara Banki. Among his numerous charitable contributions, the following are the chief: Rs. 125,000, to the Prince of Wales' Memorial, Lucknow; Rs. 50,000, to Sir Harcourt Butler Technological Institute, Cawnpore, and Rs. 100,000 to the Lucknow University; life Vice-Patron of the Red Cross Society. Contributed Rs. 10,000, to Lady Reading Child Welfare Fund, and Rs. 5,000 to Aligarh University for Maris Scholarship.

Address—Jahangirabad Palace, Lucknow.

The Late Haji Shariff Hassum. **Mohammed Reza Haji Shariff,**
 started his business life by joining the office Managing Partner, Shariff Hassum and Co.



of the Persian Gulf Steam Navigation Co., Ltd., at a starting salary of Rs. 40 per month. Later he was promoted to the post of the General Manager on Rs. 1000, per month. He started a new shipping Company under his own management in 1918, the present Eastern Steam Navigation Company, Ltd. He started an Association of the Indian Shipping Companies of which he was the President. He had a deputation of the Association to meet H. E. the Viceroy, and subsequently the Indian Shipping Companies' demands were granted by the Government of India. Besides his innumerable private and public charities, he started an Orphanage at Mithva in Kathiawar, by giving a donation of Rs. 25,000. He was the Vice-Chairman of Khoja Shia Isma Ashari Jamaat, Bombay, and a Trustee of Khoja Masjid, Bombay, and other charitable Institutions. As well as Chairman of Mahipal Mohelam Hosain, etc. and also held different posts in different communal organisations. The Government made him Justice of the Peace in the year 1928. Before he could offer more services to the Indian Shipping, Commercial circles and his community, he expired from heart failure, making the Indian Shipping Commercial circles, and his brethren poorer.

Import and Export Merchants and Agents; Managing Agents, The Eastern Steam Navigation Company, Ltd., Ex-Officio Director of the said Company; Managing Partner, Shariff Hassum and Sons, Dates Merchants and Commission Agents, Bombay. Born in 1914. Married in 1935. Has one son. After completion of his education, Mr. Mohammed Reza joined his father's extensive business at an early age of eighteen. Under the able guidance of his father, the late Mr. Shariff Hassum, J. P., he acquired thorough knowledge and experience and soon proved to be a promising business man. Has also travelled extensively in India, Mesopotamia, Persia, etc. Is the Managing Trustee of the Khoja Shia Isma Ashari Orphanage, and also holds different posts in several organisations.

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Moledina, Mohamed Hashim, solo proprietor of the firm of Messrs. Hajoo Cassim Ladhia and Son., Landlord. Born on 5th March 1906, he was educated at the St. Vincent's and



Dastur High School, Poona. For a young man of his age, he has shown remarkable abilities as a public man. He is the first Muslim Vice-President of the Cantonment Board, Kirkee, 1933-36; elected Councillor of the Poona Suburban Municipality since 1938; Member School Board, Poona Suburban Municipal Local Authority, 1932-35; re-elected Member, and Chairman of the same Board, 1935-38; elected Member, District Local Board, Poona; 1935-38; Chairman and leader of the Progressive Party of the District Local Board, Poona; Vice-Chairman, District School Board, Poona 1935-38; Chairman, Standing Committee, Poona Suburban Municipality, 1935-1936; Member, Finance Committee, Kirkee Cantonment Board, 1934-36; Member, Poona City Municipality, 1936-38; Vice-President, Poona Suburban Municipality since 1936-37; Chairman, Abdul Wahed School, Poona, since 1928; President, Muslim Students' Union, Poona, 1928-29,

re-elected President, 1932-34, and Trustee since 1932; President Outchou Memon Association, Poona, since 1929; Vice-President, The Deccan Muslim Institute, Poona, 1928-32; President, Moledina Primary School, Kirkee; President, Anjuman-o-Fidayan-o-Islam, Poona, 1933-34; and Chairman of its Managing Committee, 1934-35; Trustee and Treasurer, Poona Outchou Memon Jamat; Organizer and Hon. Secretary, Poona District Muslim Educational Conference, held at Lonavla in May 1929, and at Poona in 1932; General Secretary, Poona District Muslim Educational Society; Member, Executive Committee, Poona and Kirkee Boy Scout's Local Association, 1930-31; Member, Vernacular Final Examination for Girls, Bombay Presidency, 1931-35; Member, Sassoon Hospitals Advisory Board, 1934-37; Member, Infectious Diseases Hospital Committee, 1933-36; Member, Excise Advisory Board; Patron, Lady Wilson Village Maternity Association; represents Kirkee Cantonment Board on the

Executive Committee of the Kirkee Education Society, 1933-36; Chairman, Board of Directors, Bombay Capital Insurance Co., Ltd.; Member, Executive Committee, All-India Cantonment Association, Lahore, 1933; Member Poona District Muslim Awkal Committee, 1937-40.

Publication:—"My Impressions of the Far East."

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Mohammed, Abul Faze. B.A., Calcutta, 1930; B.L. (Cal.) 1917; Member of Legislative



Assembly, Bengal, from February, 1937. Born in 1881. Educated at Ripon College and University Law College, Calcutta. Secured Scholarships in the entrance examinations in 1909. Married in 1911 and has three sons and two daughters. While in the University Law College, he got secretariat training for about two years,

and was an assistant in the Bengal Secretariat; later on was employed for two years in the Education Department at the Inspecting time; joined Bar at Madras in 1918. Since then he is practicing as a pleader. Soon after joining the bar, he has been connected with almost all public institutions such as Municipality, School Committee, War Recruitment Committee, Central Cooperative Bank, of which he is the Secretary, and also the Secretary of the local Mohammedan Association for the last eighteen years, during which capacity he did much for the advancement of the Muslims.

Address—Madaripur, District Faridpur, Bengal.

Mohamedally Allabux, M. L. A., J. P., General Merchant, Municipal Member and General Secretary, All-India Muslim Federation, Bombay. Born in 1882. Educated at Kathiawar. At the age of fifteen, Mr. Mohamedally, the subject of this sketch, came to Bombay and started life as a religious student. Joined service in a commercial firm and was there till 1910. In 1911 started an independent business in Bombay under the name of M. Allabux & Co. Commenced to take part in public activities from 1914. Created a J. P. in 1921. Elected to the Bombay Corporation in 1922, and has been there for the last twelve years. Was one of the Secretaries of the All-India Muslim Educational

Conference, held at Bombay in 1924. Himself organized the All-India Muslim Federation in 1927; since then he has been its General Secretary and the Treasurer. It was the only political organization in India which co-operated with, and gave evidence before, the Simon Commission in 1927. Also a Member of the Working Committee of All-India Muslim League. Under the auspices of the All-India Muslim Federation, the All-India Muslim Palestine Conference was organized and held at Bombay in 1930, as a result of which many Arabs of Palestine who were sentenced to death were released by the authorities. Has been the Secretary of the Dawood Borah Community from 1917, and has taken part enthusiastically in the educational and secular matters. Elected to the Bombay Legislative Assembly in 1937.

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Mon e, Rao Bahadur Ramchandra Vyankatesh, M. C. P. S., (Bom.) M. R. C.



S., (England), L. R. C. P. (London), D.T.M., (Liverpool), & L. M. (Dublin), B. M. S. Class I, Civil Surgeon and Superintendent, District Prison, Belgaum. Educated at Ahmednagar High School, Wilson College, Bombay, B. J. Medical School, Poona, and St. Thomas' Hospital and Medical School, London. Married on 2nd June, 1910, with Miss Janakini, daughter of Trimbakrao Dole of P.W.D. Poona. Passed Matric, 1894. Joined Wilson College, 1904-05; Postal Department, 1905-1906. Served as a teacher in Ahmednagar City School, 1906. Joined the B. J. Medical School, Poona, 1906. Stood first in all the Medical Examinations and carried away all the prizes. Passed the Sub-Assistant Surgeon's Examination 1910; L. C. P. S., 1915; Sub-Assistant Surgeon at

Poona 1910; Passed M.C.P.S., (1st Class) 1918; appointed Resident Medical Officer, Sassoon Hospital, Poona, 1918-1920. Junior Surgeon, Sassoon Hospitals, Poona 1916-18; Surgical Registrar, Sassoon Hospitals, Poona, 1920-1924. Assistant to the Civil Surgeon, Poona, and Teacher of Surgery, B. J. Medical School, Poona, 1924, 1931 and 1933. Acted as Civil Surgeon at Nasik, Jalgaon, Dhulia, Bijapur, Kolgaum and Thana. Promoted to Bombay Medical Service (Class 1) in February, 1933. An eminent Surgeon, his operative skill attracts patients from far-off places. No review, however brief or imperfect, of the work done by Dr. Mono in the cause of suffering humanity ought to conclude without a tribute of gratitude and profound respect to his unselfish patience, ingenuity and skill. Created Rao Bahadur in January, 1936.

Address—Belgaum.

Mookerjee, Jitendra Nath, C. E. (Civil Engineer), A.M.I.E. (India); Partner, Messrs.



Martin & Co. and Burn & Co., Calcutta. Born on 20th May, 1885. Educated at Harrow School, Calcutta, Downing College, Cambridge. Married in 1908 with Miss Prabhu, daughter of late Babu Nagendra Nath Bannerjee of Calcutta (one son and one daughter). The eldest son of the late Sir Rajendra

Nath Mookerjee, K.C.I.E., K.C.V.O., M.I.M.E., D. Sc. (Eng.), M.I.E. (India), F.A.S.R., Mr. Jitendra Nath, went to Cambridge for higher studies in 1906; returned to India in 1910; joined Martin & Co., Calcutta, 1910. His various activities are:—Treasurer, Mohan Bagan Athletic Club; a Member of the Royal Agricultural and Horticultural Society of India, Calcutta; a Mason of the English Lodge and District Scouts Commissioner of Bhabla, Basirhat, Taki, etc. (24 Parganas); Also committee member of the Calcutta Club and acted as Secretary; was a Member of the Royal Asiatic Society of Bengal and Flying Club, Bengal; is the President and Trustee of Sir Rajendra High English School at his native place, Bhabla, in 24-Parganas, which was donated by his father.

Clubs—Calcutta Club and National Liberal Club (England).

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Moore, Rt. Rev. Edward Alfred Livingstone, M.A., Bishop in Travancore and Cochin. Born on 30th November, 1870. Educated at Marlborough College and Oriel College, Oxford; Curate at Aston, Birmingham, 1894-96; Missionary of the C.M.S. in South India from November, 1896; Principal, C.M.S. Divinity School, Madras, 1905-1914; C.M.S. College, Kottayam, 1902-08; Chairman, C.M.S. Church Council, Tinnevely, 1915-24; Consecrated Bishop on 24th February, 1925.

Moos, Sorab Nanabhoj, M.A., (Cantab), B.A. (Bombay); Indian Education Service;



Deputy Director of Public Instruction, Bombay Presidency. Born on 25th September 1890. He was educated at Elphinstone College, Bombay, and Kings College, Cambridge. Exhibitioner and Prize-man, B.A., First Class Natural Science Tripos. In May, 1919, he was taken permanently into the Indian Education service.

His brilliant official career in the Educational Department covers a wide field. He was Professor, Victoria Jubilee Technical Institute, Bombay; Inspector of Science Teaching, Bombay Presidency; Educational Inspector, Southern Division, Bombay and Central Divisions, Sind; Chairman, Secondary and Primary Education Committee, Government of Bombay, and Officiated as Director Public Instruction, Bombay, in 1936.

Address—Central Buildings, Poona.

Moos, Dr. F. N., M.D., B.S. (London), D.P.H. (England), D.T.M. and Hy. (Eng.); M.B.B.S., (Bombay), F.R.I.P.H., (London); J.P., Superintendent and Chief Medical Officer, Goenidas Tejpal Hospital, Bombay. Born on 22nd August, 1893, he received his education at Cathedral and New High Schools, Elphinstone and Grant Medical Colleges, Bombay, and University College and Hospital, London; Clinical Fellow in Medicine, Grant Medical College, Bombay; Medical Registrar, J. J. Hospital, Bombay; House Surgeon, Metropolitan Hospital, London; Tuberculosis Medical Officer, Boros of Stoke, Newington, Hackney and Poplar, London; Medical Referee, London; War Pensions Committee; Lecturer on Tuberculosis, University of Bombay; Hon. Physician, G. T. Hospital, Bombay; Fellow of the Royal Society of

Public Health; Fellow of the University of Bombay; Fellow, College of Physicians and Surgeons, Bombay; Honorary Physician, St. George's Hospital. His name as the author of various publications is well known.

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Mothay Gangaraju, Rao Bahadur,
Zamindar of Vissanapudi and Gondopalli



Estates, and Banker. Born in 1874 at Ellore, West Godavari Dist. He was educated at Ellore. Married in 1897 with late Srimathi Somamma, and has two daughters. He has adopted a son of his second daughter. He is the Secretary of the Kistna Jute & Cotton Mills Ltd., Ellore; President, Gosamarakshma and Annadana Samajam; President, Co-operative Central Bank, Ltd., Ellore; President, Janardaswami Temples and Bhaktha Samajam; President, Kannyaka Paramaswari High School, Bezawada. He has built the Y.M.H.A. Library Hall, at a cost of Rs. 50,000, and a Choultry at Rs. 50,000, and also a temple known as 'Hanuman Temple,' at Ellore. During his 60th birthday celebration, he weighed himself in gold and silver, and distributed that sum to the Brahmans. He has built recently another Choultry (Upper story) at Ellore known as 'Kannyaka Paramaswari,' created Rao Bahadur in 1930. He is also a recipient of King George V's Silver Jubilee Medal. He is known for his charities and is a great philanthropist.

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Muhammad Musa Sait, Honorary Presidency Magistrate; City representative for the



Imperial Tobacco Company of India, Ltd., for its products; is the son of late Hujee Mbrabim Sait. Born in 1884 at Bangalore. He was educated at Madras Christian College. Taken Muslim law of Inheritance by declaration; leader of Muslim Community of South India; philanthropist, and a benevolent supporter of various charitable institutions; a prominent figure in Madras commercial circles and public movements. Member, Southern India Chamber of Commerce and of its executive committee since its inception, 1910. He was Secretary, Southern India Chamber of Commerce, 1920-26; Councillor, Madras Corporation 1920-29; Member, Madras Legislative Council 1923-26; appointed special Constable when there was looting in Madras in 1918; Member and Director of the Egmore Benefit Society, Ltd.; is a Member of Madras Educational Council; member, Depressed Classes Mission Society; Pastonr Institute, Coonoor, All-India Muslim League, Mahomedan Educational Conference, Aligarh (for Life); a Trustee of Victoria Public Hall; President of the Anjuman-e-Khair Khaw Gurbas, Madras; Mahomedan Educational Association of Southern India; Mahomedan Female Aid Charity Fund; Muslim Orphanage, Madras; Madras United Club; Y. M. C. A.

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Moses, Elijah, L. M. & S. (Bombay), M. D. (Bombay); Medical Practitioner and



Mayor, Bombay Municipal Corporation. Born on 29th January, 1873. Educated at Wilson High School and Grant Medical College, Bombay. Married the late Mrs. Abrajall Moses B.A., Lady Superintendent, High School for Indian Girls, Poona, who died in 1933, (two sons and two

daughters). Passed L. M. & S. in 1897. Served as a tutor at the G. M. College, Bombay; a Fellow of the University of Bombay, elected by the registered graduates, 1913-1918; Created J. P. 1912; was a Nominated Member, Bombay Municipality, 1913; elected to the Bombay Municipality since 1925; was a member of the Opium Inquiry Committee, appointed by the Government of Bombay in 1927. Elected Mayor, Bombay Municipality in 1937.

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Muhammad Abdur Rahman, Khan Bahadur, 1928; Knighted in January, 1934; Hon. degree of Doctor of Laws by the University of Delhi in November, 1934; Advocate and Puisne Judge designate, Madras High Court from 7th August, 1937. Born on 5th October, 1880. Educated at Stephen's College Delhi, and Law College, Lahore; passed B.A., (Punjab Univ.) 1907; L.L.B., 1910. Married on 5th April, 1905, to Jumilun Nisan Begum (four sons and two daughters); Dean of the Faculty of Law, 1926-34; Vice-Chancellor of the University of Delhi, 1930-31; Senior Vice-President, Delhi Municipal Committee 1925-28; addressed the Punjab University Convocation in 1934.

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Mukerji, Manmatha Nath, The Hon. Mr. Justice, Kt. M.A. (Cal.), B.L., Puisne Judge, High Court, Calcutta, since 1924. Born on 28th October 1874. Married Smt. Surswari Debi, eldest daughter of Sir George Dass Banerjee. Educated at Albert Collegiate School and College, Presidency College, Calcutta, and Ripon College Law Classes; Vakil, Calcutta High Court, from December 1898 to December 1923; acted as Chief Justice in

July and August 1934; fellow of the Calcutta University; President, Bengal Sanskrit Association.

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Mukerjee, Satya Vrata, B.A., F.R.S., Rajratna; Revenue Commissioner, Baroda



State. Born in 1887, he was educated at St. Xavier's and Presidency Colleges, Calcutta, and Exeter College, Oxford; graduated B.A. with Honours in the school of Modern History from Oxford, 1908; studied at Wren's for the I.C.S. competitions, 1909-10; took special courses in English

Literature, Sanskrit, Geography and Economics in Oxford and London; joined State Service in January, 1911; received a thorough training in all branches of Revenue, Survey and Accounts departments; Vahivatdar Mehsana, 1912; acting Naib Suba, Vyara Vihlag, 1913; Vahivatdar, Navsari, 1914; Superintendent, Sar Suba Office, 1915; Assistant Huzur Kamdar, 1915; Secretary to the Council, 1916; first Chief Assistant to the Ministers, 1919; appointed Census Superintendent, 1920; confirmed in Suba's grade, 1921; served in three districts as Suba, 1922-28; Chief Secretary to Government, 1928; Joint Sar Suba and Excise Commissioner, 1929; acting Sar Suba, 1929-30; Census Commissioner, 1930-32; Suba, 1933; Development Commissioner, 1935; confirmed as Revenue Commissioner, 1936; decorated "Rajratna" by His Highness the Gaekwar at the Birthday Durbar in 1934.

Publications: "Madras Secretariat Report," 1916 (with the late Mr. V. S. Dalal); "Huzur Central Office Manual" (in Gujarati), 1920; "Baroda Census Report," 1921; "Some Results of the Census," 1921; "Constitutional Reforms in Baroda—Suggestions," 1922; "University Commission Report," 1927 (principal author); "Five Notes on the Central Office Procedure," 1928; "Baroda Census Report," 1931; "Some Results of the Census," 1931; besides numerous contributions of literary and economic interest to periodicals.

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Mulla, Munchershaw Fardunji, M. A., B.Sc., Principal, Sir J. J. Parsoe Benevolent Institution, Fort, Bombay. Born in 1878. Educated at the Sir J. J. Parsoe Benevolent Institution and Elphinstone College, Bombay; belongs to the well-known Mulla Family of Bombay. His father, Fardunji Kavvasji Mulla, was Head Master of the Sir J. J. P. B. Institution for forty years. He left behind him nine sons and one daughter (1) late Rt. Hon. Sir Dinshaw Mulla (2) late Rustom Mulla, Solicitor (3) late Morwin, High Court Pleader (4) late Sohrah Solicitor (5) Dadabhai, Sports Teacher, B. J. High School (6) Munchershaw (7) Manikshahi, massage expert (8) late Nadirshaw (9) Homi Mulla, Solicitor, and, daughter, late Manokhai. M. F. Mulla the subject of this sketch, passed B.A., 1901; M.A., 1904; B.Sc., 1907; in 1911, joined the Sir J. J. Parsoe Benevolent Institution as Head Master. In 1929 he was appointed Principal of the Institution.

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Munshi, Kanaialal Maneklal, B.A., LL.B., M.L.A., Advocate, Bombay High Court.



Born on 29th December, 1887. Married Lilavati Sheth, an authoress of repute in Gujarati language, 1926. Educated at R. S. Dalal High School, Broach. Graduated from the Baroda College 1906; LL.B., of Bombay University, 1910. Passed Advocates' Examination 1913; Enrolled Advocate, Bombay High Court, 1913; Joint Editor, "Young India," 1915; Secretary, Bombay Home Rule League, 1919-20; President, Sahitya Sansad, Bombay, since 1922; Editor, Cyclopaedia of Gujarati Literature; elected by registered graduates to the Senate of Bombay University, 1925; elected Vice-President of Gujarati Sahitya Parishad Mandal (Literary Conference) April, 1926; Elected to the Syndicate of Bombay University,

September, 1926; Member of the Baroda University Commission by His Highness the Maharaja Gaekwar, September, 1926; elected Chairman of Gujarati Board of Studies of Bombay University, 1927; elected to the Bombay Legislative Council for Bombay University, April, 1927; Chairman of the Committee of Government of Bombay to introduce compulsory physical training in schools, 1927; Member of the Committee appointed by Government of Bombay to report on the reorganization of Primary and Secondary Education in the Presidency; elected Member of the Academic Council and Board of Post-graduate studies, Bombay University, 1929; joined Satyagraha, 20th April, 1930; arrested 21st April, 1930, for Salt Satyagraha at Bhatia Baug, Bombay; sentenced on 22nd April, 1930, to six months' imprisonment by the Chief Presidency Magistrate, Bombay; released on 1st October, 1930; substitute Member, Working Committee, October, 1930; elected Member A.I.C.C., 1930-31; arrested in January, 1932, under the Ordinances, sentenced to two years' rigorous in connection with C.D., 1932; elected to the Bombay Legislative Assembly in 1937. Publications—"Prithivivallabh," "Pattani-prabhuta," "Guzeratio Nath," "Rajadhiraj," "Bhagwan Koutilya," "Verni Vissalat," "Kona Vunk," "Swanpandrishta—Pauranic," Plays: "Purandar Puranjaya," "Avibhakta Atma," "Tarpan Putra Samovadi," "Dhruwa Swamindevi," "Kakari Shashi," and several short stories and essays; works on "Lopamundra and Vishvamitra," one novel and three dramas from Rigveda; "Guzerati and its literature," published by Longmans and Co., and "Biography of Narsi Mehta."

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Munshi, Mrs. Lilawati Kanaialal, M.L.A. Born in 1899. Married on 15th



February, 1926, K. M. Munshi, Advocate. Was Secretary, Sahitya Sansad, Bombay, and Sri

Sowa Sangh, Bombay; was Vice-President, Bombay Provincial Congress Committee; Member, A.I.C.C. and M.P.C.C.; Secretary, All-India Swadoshi Sangh and Swadoshi Market Committee, and Vice-President, Narmad Contonary Committee; Member of the Committee of the Indian Merchants Chamber; joined Satyagraha movement in 1930 and was appointed Vice-President, War Council, 1930; was arrested on 4th July, 1930, and sentenced to three months' imprisonment by the Chief Presidency Magistrate, Bombay; released from prison at the beginning of October and elected Member, All-India Congress Committee, 1931; again arrested under the Ordinances, 1932, and was sentenced for one year. She gives a great deal of time to the work of the Congress, and is earnest in pursuit of its policy. She was Vice-President, Bombay Provincial Congress Committee and Boycott Committee in 1930; elected to the Bombay Legislative Assembly in 1937. Publications:—"Rokhachitro and Bija Lakho," "Kumardavi," "Jivao Mathi Jadoli" and various other works.

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Munshi, Pranlal Thakorlal, B.A., LL.B., Pleader, Baroda High Court; General Sec-



retary, Baroda Raj Praja Mandal and Provincial Secretary, All-India States People's Conference (for Guzerat States). Born on 8th January, 1895. Educated at R. S. Dalal High School, Broomch and Baroda College. First marriage, 1908; second marriage, 1913, with Kumud-gonri, daughter of Balram Joshi of Surat; passed Matric, 1901; B.A., 1907; LL.B., 1909; joined Baroda Bar, 1910; a member, Baroda Municipality for the last twenty-two years; Vice-President, Baroda Municipality since 1930; Joint Secretary, Baroda State People's Conference since 1931; Secretary, Brahma-charya (Hrunkil Ashram, Baroda; Vice-President, Harijan Seva Sangh and General Sec-

retary Bhargav Sevamandal; has been an editor of a monthly paper, "Prajavandana," published at Baroda; President of the Rajpipla State People's Conference, 1933, second session of the Guzerat Bhargi Parishad at Baroda, 1933, and the seventh session of Baroda Bhil Raj Parishad at Labda (Baroda) 1934.

Address—Mahavir Swami's Pole and Pratap Ganj, Baroda.

Mutalik, Vishnu Narayan alias Annasaheb, B.A., First Class Sardar of the



Deccan, Inamdar and Saranjandar; formerly Member, Legislative Assembly. Born on 6th September, 1879. Educated at Satara High School and the Deccan College, Poona. Member, Bombay Legislative Council for the Deccan Sardars, 1921-23; President Inamdar's Central Association, 1914, and onwards up to the present day; Chairman, Satara Municipality, for four years and Member of District and Taluka Local Board, Satara, for over fifteen years; appointed non-official Member of Army Accounts Committee, 1925-26, to represent Legislative Assembly on the Committee; elected President of the first Provincial Conference of Sardars, Inamdar and Watan-dars, 1926, and President, Provincial Postal Conference, 1926; elected Chairman of the Executive Committee of the Provincial Conference of Sardars and Inamdar, 1927 and 1931; leader of the Deputation of Sardars and Inamdar for giving evidence before the Simon Commission, 1928; leader of two deputations, 1927 and 1929, to H. E. The Governor on behalf of Sardars and Inamdar of the Presidency. He was raised to be First Class Sardar of the Deccan in September, 1930; nominated Member of the Provincial Franchise Committee, 1932. Publication:—"Currency System of India," in Marathi. Married S. Ramhaisab, daughter of Mr. K. Bhiranti, Pearl Merchant.

Address—Satara.

Mundkur, Manjunath Mangesh,

Manager, Bombay Fire and General Insurance



Company, Ltd., Bombay. Born on 26th January, 1889, at Puttur (South Canara). Educated at Ganapathi High School and Government College, Mangalore. After Matriculation started service with the Royal Insurance Co., Ltd., Bombay, in March, 1907, as a clerk; joined the New India Assurance

Co., Ltd., Bombay, in April, 1920, and was appointed Superintendent, Fire Department, in July, 1923. By mutual arrangement, he joined the present appointment from 1st February, 1935.

Address—Anandashram, Chandavarkar and Sir Bhalechandra Roads, Plot No. 315, Matunga, Bombay.

Mutha, Rao Bahadur Motilal Balmukund,

Banker, Merchant and Commission



Agent, and Honorary Bench Magistrate (First Class), Satara. Born 1st September, 1890. Educated at Satara High School. Married in 1911 (one son and one daughter). After completion of his education, joined family business of Bankers, which has branches at Bombay and Sholapur. Was an elected Member, Satara Municipality for twelve years from 1914, and also Chairman School Board of the Municipality, and at present is a President of the Satara City Municipal Borough unanimously elected 1936. Had been the President, Satara Taluka Local Board. Has been resident General Secretary of the All-

India Swatanter Sthanakwasi Jain Conference. Elected Rao Sahab 1931 and Rao Bahadur, 1936. Was President, Oswal Conference at Ahmednagar, 1925. And Hon. Treasurer, Viceroy's Bihar Relief Committee, Satara District, 1934, and is a Vice-President of the Aryangla Vaidyak Shala and a President and Treasurer of the Rayat Shikshan Training College and a Treasurer of His Majesty's Silver Jubilee, 1935; and a recipient of Silver Jubilee Medal. He is Director of Long Life Insurance Company, Poona, and is Chairman, 'A' Bench of Magistrates, P. C., 1937. His father, late Bal Mukund, presided over the Third Session of the All-India Swatanter Sthanakwasi Jain Conference held at Ajmer, in which Thakore of Limbdi, Morvi and Rattian participated. Rao Bahadur Motilal has donated Rs. 10,000 towards S. S. Jain Boarding House, Poona, and also financially helped several other Institutions including the Ghatkoper Jeevadayamandal. He has, in his uncle's name, donated Rs. 5000 towards the Aryangla Vaidyak Shala, Satara. A worthy son of a worthy father, Rao Bahadur Motilal Mutha was recipient of an address presented to him as Captain of the Volunteer Corps of the Jain Swatanter Conference held at Bombay. Is taking active part in all the public matters.

Address—Satara.

Muthiah, Chettiar, M.A.,

Kumara Raja of Chettinad, B.A., M.L.C.; Ex-Minister for Local



Self-Government, Madras; aged thirty-two. Son of Raja Sir Annamalai Chettiar, Raja of Chettinad; Graduated from the Presidency College, Madras, in 1924. Was Mayor of Madras, 1932, 1933 and 1934; a Trustee Pachaiyappa's College and Charities, Madras, from

1928; a Trustee, Cosmopolitan Club, Madras; elected unanimously to the Madras Legislative Council by the Southern India Chamber of Commerce, 1930; Member Economic Depression Enquiry Committee, 1931; Vice-President, Southern India Chamber of Commerce 1934-1935; Director Indian Bank, Ltd., till 1931. Is a Director, Imperial Bank of India, Madras from 1932; Madras Telephone Co., Ltd.; The Chettinad Electrical Supply Corporation, Ltd.; Deccan Sugar Co., Ltd. Takes keen interest in the Annamalai University along with his father.

Club—Cosmopolitan.

Address—Chettinad House, Adyar, Madras.

Muthu Chettiar, Rao Bahadur, P.C., Ex-M.L.C., was born in 1878. He is a Tamil Scholar, a wholesale diamond merchant and proprietor of the Sirumalai Zomindari. Served on the Municipal Council, Taluqa Board and District Board, Madurai. Takes keen interest in Political work and in several movements in Madurai. Elected to the First and Second Legislative Councils by Ramnad.

Address—East Market Street, Madurai.

Muzaffar Khan Bahadur, Nawab, C.I.E., Reforms Commissioner, Punjab. Born on 2nd January, 1880. Educated at Mission High School, Jullundur, and Government College, Lahore. Joined Government Service as Munsiff; promoted as Extra Assistant Commander; served as Mirmanchi to Sir Michael O'Dwyer during Great War; Orient Secretary, Indo-Afghan Peace Delegation, 1919; Sir Henry Dobi's Kabul Mission 1923; Oriental Secretary, British Legation, Kabul, in 1921 under Sir Francis Humphreys; joined Political Department, 1924; Director, Information Bureau, 1925; Reforms Commissioner since October, 1931. Khan Bahadur, 1917; Nawab 1931, and C.I.E., 1931.

Publications—"Sword Hand of the Empire"—a war publication.

Address—Lahore.

Muzumdar, Vinayak Dattatraya. M.A., Asst. Commissioner of Income Tax.



Born on 4th February, 1893, he passed his M.A., from the Elphinstone College, Bombay, having passed the days of his early education in Bharda New English School. While in the College, he won the Gokhale Prize and was also a Mount Stuart Elphinstone Prize-man; edited the Elphinstone College Magazine or some time. In his twenty-fifth year he entered Government Service as an Appraiser

in His Majesty's Customs Department. After one year (1919) he was taken into the Income-tax Department, Bombay, and in 1921-22 he was on deputation in the Madras Presidency in connection with Income-Tax work. On return from Madras in 1923 he was appointed Income-tax Officer, Bombay City. In 1929 he was transferred to East Khandesh District, and in 1932 to Poona. His social activities are numerous. He was connected with the Co-operative Housing Schemes while in Bombay and was Secretary of the Bombay Students' Brotherhood in 1917-21. He was also instrumental in starting some Night Schools and Co-operative Credit Societies in Bombay.

Address—Karachi.

Mya Bu, Hon'ble Justice Sir, Kt. (1937); Barrister-at-Law; Puisne Judge of the High Court of Judicature, Rangoon. Assistant Government Advocate in 1924 and in 1926 he was appointed as Additional Judge of the High Court of Rangoon, and subsequently as Puisne Judge.

Address—High Court of Judicature, Rangoon.

Nadirshaw Kawasjee, Proprietor, Nadirshaw Printer and Company, and Director, Godrej Soaps, Ltd. Born on 31st August, 1892. Educated at Bombay. Married in 1931 with Miss Avabai, daughter of Merwanji Dadabhai, Landlord of Parel, Bombay. After his school career, he joined the commercial classes. Served for one year in a commercial firm and started an independent business in 1914, and specialised in importation of dental goods from England, Germany, and America. He is the first Parsi who has come in contact with the dental manufacturing companies in the world. Besides a world tour he visited England, Germany, and America. In 1921 he started the Nadirshaw Printer and Company, and its branches were opened later at Madras (1926), Lahore (1927) and Karachi (1932). They are the biggest importers of dental, medical and surgical instruments. They are also the Sole Agents for Godrej Toilet Soaps, Ltd. A keen sport, Mr. Nadirshaw who is a self-made man has, by extensive travels abroad, acquired a good deal of experience.

Address—Nadirshaw Printer and Co. 121, Esplanade Road, Bombay.

Nagaonkar, Gundo Rajaram, Tobacco Commission Agent, Hon. 2nd class Bench Magistrate and Municipal Councillor, Nipani Dist. Belgaum. Born on 15th April, 1888.



Education at Nipani and Akol. Married in 1905 to Shrinatibai, daughter of Virupax Anant Kangale of Nipani, and has two sons and two daughters. As one of the leading merchants in Nipani he holds a dominating place in the financial, industrial, and commercial life of the place. He is connected with various institutions and public bodies, but is a silent worker and shirks publicity. His varied activities are:—A Municipal Councillor for the last eleven years; a Member, Taluka Local Board for six years; an elected Member, District Local Board, Belgaum; the President of Child Welfare League, Nipani, and Safety Committee and of the Managing Committee of After Care Society; Director, Nipani Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd; President Nipani Merchant's Association for two years; its Chairman and also its Secretary for four years; Presi-

dent, Nipani Municipality for three years and Municipal Vice-President for six years; also a Member, Managing Committee, Urban Bank, Ltd; and Tobacco Sales Society; was President, Akhil Bharat Shiksha Jain Mahasabha held at Nagpur in December, 1934. Chairman, Reception Committee, Daxina Maharashtra Jain Sabha at Stavandhi near Nipani in 1930 and 1932; President, Galadze Uplift Committee; Secretary, Jain Boarding for five years; also Chairman and Founder Jain Boarding, for seven years. A self-made man, he is very social and charitable.

Address—Nipani, Dist. Belgaum.

**Nadgir, Kenchangowda Rangan-
gowda alias Nanasaheb, Inamdar and**



Landlord of Kundgol, Jamkhadi State. Born on 16th April, 1906, at Karadga in Bolgaum District. Educated at P. B. High School, Jamkhadi. Married in December, 1925, with Miss Sonu Raje, youngest sister of Raja Shamraja Bahadur Rajwant of Deccan, Hyderabad; (one daughter, Ambabai). The second son of Ramchandraro Babasaheb Bhirdikar, Inamdar of Karadga in Chickodi Taluka (Bolgaum District), Nanasaheb was adopted in the Nadgir family of Kundgol in April, 1918. The Nadgir's obtained their Inam Lands from the Adilshahi Kings of Bijapur. Mr. Nanasaheb was a nominated Member to Jamkhadi State Representative Assembly for three years, and now elected to the Assembly (Jamkhadi State) from the Tainadgar's constituency. Also President, Sir P. B. Club, Kundgol. Has donated a scholarship to the local High School in memory of his father.

Address—Nadgirwada, Post Kundgol, Dist. Dharwar.

Nadirshah, Erach Ardeshir, B.A., (1914); B. F., (Bom.) 1918; B. Sc. (Eng.); (Edin.) 1921; M. Inst. C. E. (Lond.) 1935; F. I. S. E. 1929 (Lond.); M. I. E. (India) 1929; Acting Hydraulic Engineer, Bombay Municipality, Bombay. Born on eighth February, 1895;

educated at New High School, Elphinstone and St. Xavier's Colleges, Bombay; College of Engineering, Poona, and Edinburgh University, Scotland. Married on 12th February 1928, to Miss Amy Hormusjee Nariman, grand-niece of Sir T. B. Nariman. His father, Ardeshir Nowrojee Nadirshah who was an Executive Engineer and Municipal Commissioner in Baroda State, which state he served for over thirty-three years, died in 1916, leaving two sons and two daughters. Eldest son, Dr. Kaikhusrroo, I. M. & S. Medical Officer, Baroda State, and second son, Erach A. Nadirshah, the subject of this life-sketch. Started life as an apprentice engineer with Mr. C. H. Priestly M. Inst. C. E., Chief Water Works Engineer, Cardiff Corporation; Served as an Assistant Engineer, under Messrs. The Economic Structures Co., Kensington High Street, London, 1921-1923, where he was mainly employed in designing and preparing plans, etc., of R. C. C. Gas Purifiers for the Glasgow Corporation work worth about £250,000. After his return to India, he joined the Bombay City Improvement Trust as an Assistant Engineer and worked for four years on the construction of roads, drains, sewers, sea walls, tunnels, buildings, etc., in connection with development of Worli Area. Appointed Senior Assistant Engineer, (Drainage) Bombay Municipal Corporation, 1927-1930; Works Engineer, Bombay Municipality, 1930-32; Acted as Ag. Dy. City Engineer, Bombay Municipality, 1932-33; Deputy City Engineer, Bombay Municipality from 1934. In 1936 he was appointed Ag. Hydraulic Engineer, Bombay Municipal Corporation. He has been chiefly instrumental in introducing traffic roundabouts and pedestrian refuges in Bombay, which maintains more or less a continuous and free flow of traffic at junctions without the policemen on duty, facilitates crossing of pedestrians in safety, and thus establishes a sense of security for all classes of traffic.

Mr. Nadirshah has been a Member of W. I. A. A. since 1930. He represents since 1933 W. I. A. A., on the Indian Road Transport Development Association; he also represents Indian Road Transport Development Association on the Bombay Town Planning Committee. He has been on the Managing Committee of the Institute of Engineers, Bombay Centre, since 1929, and chairman of the Institute of Engineers, Bombay Centre, for 1937-38. He represents Bombay Centre on the Council of Institute of Engineers, India, and has been recently appointed Chairman of the Association of Edinburgh University graduates and chartered Collegiates; appointed Vice-Chairman of the Bombay branch I. R. T. D. A. in 1937.

Address—Reservoir Bungalow, Gibbs Road, Malabar Hill, Bombay.



Mr. E. A. Nadirshah, Bombay.

Nageswara Rao, K., M.L.A. Born in 1867, he was educated at H. H. School, Masulipatam, A. F. L. M. College, Guntur and Christian College, Madras. He started in Bombay, Amrutanjani Depot in 1898, and "Andhra Patrika" as a weekly in 1908. He is a great worker in the cause of the Andhra Movement. The Andhra Mahasabha, at its conference held at Madras in 1924, conferred on him the titles of "Desodharaka," and "Viswadhatha"; in 1929 at Bozwada, in recognition of his services to the country. He presided over the special Andhra conference held at Guntur, in 1919; and also over a number of provincial and other conferences. He was member, All-India Congress Committee for twelve years, and President of the Andhra Provincial Congress Committee. Treasurer Andhra Mahasabha, Director Bank of Hindustan, Ltd., Madras, and Proprietor of half dozen Zamindari Villages in Kistna District. Underwent imprisonment for breaking the Salt Law. Editor of "Andhra Patrika" and "Bharathi." Elected to the Indian Legislative Assembly.

Address—"Sri Bagh," Lux-Mylapore, Madras.

Naik, Sardar Rao Bahadur, Bhimbhai Ranchhodji, Ex-M.L.A. Member and



South African Merchant, Surat. Born on 25th April, 1879. Educated at Mission High School, and Government High School, Surat. Passed Public Service Examination second grade in 1895. First marriage, 1903. Second marriage, 1922. Born of a respectable agriculturist family; went to East Africa, December, 1896; joined European firm as clerk; then an Indian firm at Beira, and rose to be its manager within a year. Obtained in 1898 the first trading license after a prolonged and strenuous fight

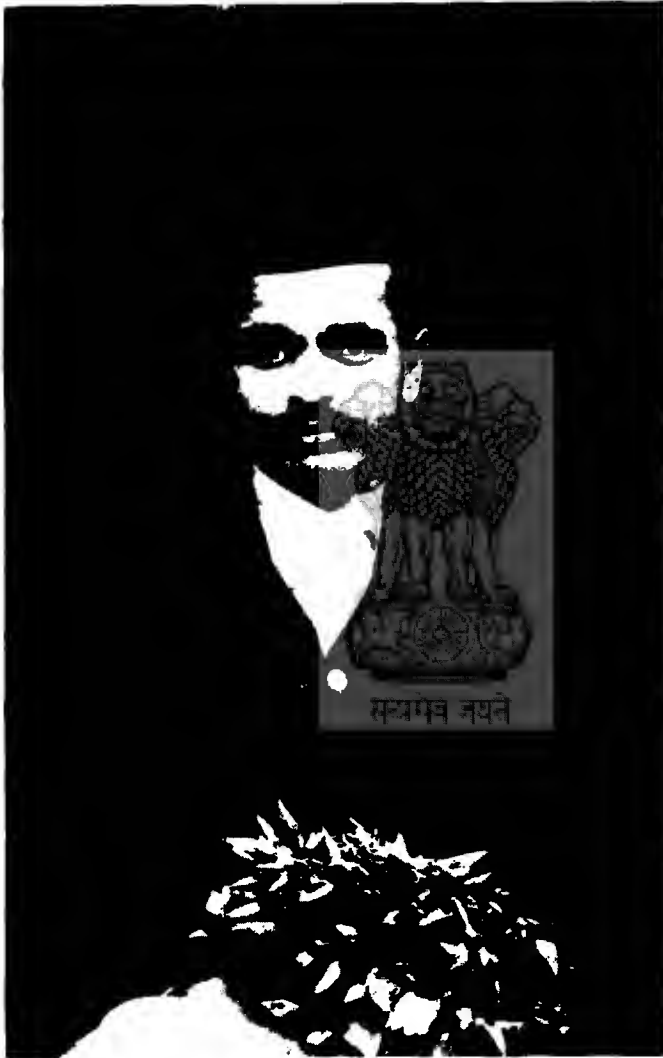
with the Government of that territory at Umtali in Southern Rhodesia where Indians were debarred from trading. Returned to India in 1903 to look after agriculture and went back to Rhodesia and started his own business at Gwelo Solukwo, with head office at Salisbury. President, British Indian Association, Rhodesia, from 1908 to 1912. Returned to India in 1912 after placing his business on a footing. Built school building at Kharawasa, his birthplace, at his own cost. Member, Taluka Local Board, Chorasi, 1913; its first elected non-official Vice-President, 1917 to 1920, and its first non-official President, 1920 to 1923. Elected member, District Local Board, Surat, by Inamdars of District, 1919. Elected Vice-President District Local Board, Surat, 1922 to 1924, and is the first elected non-official President, District Local Board, Surat, from 1925. Honorary Second Class Bench Magistrate, Surat, from 1920 to May, 1930.

Was in charge of Recruiting Depot, Surat, 1919 to 1921, for which services a certificate (Sanad) of merit was granted by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India, and a "Sword of honour" was presented by His Excellency the Viceroy. Also received a certificate of merit for War loan work. Directed the African firm to make donation of £250 sterling to local "British Red Cross One Day Fund" which was highly appreciated by the Lord Mayor of Salisbury. Member, Divisional Board of Agriculture and Divisional Cotton Committee, Gujarat, since 1922. Member of the Indian Central Cotton Committee representing the growers of the Presidency since 1923. One of the founders, patron and Vice-President of the Chorasi Taluka Development Association.

Mado Rao Bahadur in 1923. Member of the Provincial Agricultural Research Committee; Chairman, District School Board, Surat; Member, Cotton Contract Act Committee; Provincial Director of the Universal Mutual Aid and Poor Houses Association, Ltd., Madras. Has been Member of Provincial Agricultural Research Committee since 1930. Was elected by the Indian Central Cotton Committee as non-official advisor to the delegation of the Government of India appointed to conclude trade agreement with the delegation from the Japanese Government. Chairman, Board of Directors, All-India Security and General Life Insurance Company, Ltd., Bombay; Director, East India Cotton Association, representing growers; Member of Board of Communications, Bombay Presidency; Member, David Sassoon Trust Fund; Chairman, Mandvi Education Society. Enrolled in the list of Sardars of Gujarat, 1932.

Address—Sanganipura, Surat B.R. and C.I. Railway.

Naik, Dattatraya Ramchandra. Landlord and Merchant, Paldhi, District East Khandesh. Born on 1st January, 1909. Educated at G. S. High School, Jalgaon, up to VII Std. He married Mrs. Kamalabai Naik, a daughter of D.V. Mali of Chapda E. K., and has one



daughter, viz, Shashikala (शशिकला).

Naik's family holds an important position in the civil life of Paldhi. Mr. Naik, after his education, joined family business. He takes much interest in public affairs. He was Sarpanch of Paldhi Grampanchayat for three years and is now working as Sarpanch in the same Grampanchayat, Paldhi. He is Chairman of the Silver Jubilee Library and Dispensary, Paldhi, and has been there for a long time. He has been Vice-President, J a m m a r

Taluka Local Board E. K., for the last three years; a member, Taluka Local Board, Jamner E. K., for the last six years; and a patron of the Village Uplift Committee. He has donated to A. V. Kanyashala, Jalgaon, Civil Dispensary at Jalgaon, and to Village Uplift Committee. A young man with great social and philanthropic views, he commands great influence in Khandesh.

Address - Post Paldhi, Taluka Jamner, Dist. East Khandesh.

Naik, Ramrao Nathoba, Contractor, President, Alibag Taluka Local Board, Vice-



President, District Local Board, and Chairman, Alibag Municipality. Born in 1891 at Bombay, he was educated in John Elphinstone High School, Alibag. Married with Situbai, daughter of Mukund Morobo Vaidya of Nagao. His father, Nathoba Kanoji Naik, was a building contractor in Bombay. In 1918, Mr. Ramrao

started motor business; entered Taluka Local Board in 1923. He was a well-known member, Alibag Municipality in 1928; elected President of the Taluka Local Board in 1932; Chairman, Alibag Municipality since 1934; is Hon. Secretary Kridabhuwan Tennis Club, Alibag. He was President, Motor Union, Alibag for three years. A leader of Chaukalashi Community, he has given donations to this community; a prominent figure in Kolaba District.

1. President, Taluka Local Board, Alibag.
2. Vice-President, District Local Board, Kolaba.
3. Chairman, District School Board, Kolaba.
4. Hon. 2nd class Bench Magistrate, Alibag.
5. Chairman, Alibag Municipality.
6. Vice-Chairman and Treasurer, Local Scout Association, Alibag.

Member, Village Up-Lift Committee, member Silver Jubilee Nursing Association, Alibag; and Member, St. John Ambulance, Alibag.

Address—Alibag, Kolaba Dist.

Naik, Dattatraya Ramchandra, Landlord and Merchant, Bombay. Born on 11th November, 1902, at Poona. Educated at Aryan Education Society's High School, Bombay. Married on 5th March, 1918, with Laxmibai, daughter of Ambooji Naik of Chalisgaon (five daughters). His grandfather, the late Sitaram Luxman Naik, was an outstanding figure of his time in the City of Bombay. Reputed as a great Contractor whose name has been commemorated by the Sitaram building near Crawford Market, Bombay, this venerable gentleman died on 27th January, 1909, leaving immense wealth and landed estates, both at Bombay and Poona, to his heir, his grandson, Dattatraya Ramchandra Naik, the subject of this life sketch. When a child of three months, Mr. D. R. Naik lost his father in 1903 and was brought up by

his illustrious grandfather, Sitaram Luxman. After taking charge of his property, Mr. Naik has developed the same by his diligent management and has built properties in Girgaon, Lonavala, Matunga and Lamington Road. A man with a charitably disposed mind, he is always amiable and sympathetic to the poor and is ever ready to help any deserving public cause. His endeavours in the cause of education have been evinced by his keen desire to help the poor and deserving students and in the endowment of a considerable sum to the Bombay University for the establishment of a Scholarship in memory of his late revered mother, Bai Sitabi Ramchandra, who died at Poona on 21st October, 1931. The Sitaram Free School in Poona City and a temple at Nagpada are being maintained by him.

His quiet, courteous and thoughtful manner is worthy of a young man with a great future. He has charm of speech and manner and to know him is to like him.

Address—Sitaram Buildings, Crawford Market, Bombay No. 1.

Naique, Counto Jenardana Upendra, Electrical Engineer (I. S. T. Lisbon); and



graduate of Escola Superior Colonial of Lisbon; electrical engineer to Goa Government and superintending engineer, Technical School, Panjim, and professor of Licon. Born on 16th June, 1903 at Priol. Educated at Panjim, Lisbon and Paris. Married in 1917 with Miss Hirabai, daughter of Nara-

yanrao Shonvi Agxicar of Panjim. After education in Panjim, he went to Portugal in 1923 and took the degree of Electrical Engineering at Lisbon in 1929. After practical training in Paris for eight months, returned to Goa, and was in charge of Electrical Power House at Panjim in 1932. Was in charge of Government Wireless Station at Marmagao, 1932-33; Government Electrical Engineer at Panjim since 1933.

Address—Panjim, Goa.

Nakra, Khan Saheb Nasserwanji Bhicaji, Secretary to the Hon'ble the Chief

Nakra, Edulji Bhikaji, Hyderabad (Deccan). He was born in 1875 at Surat



Justice; Assistant Master, High Court, and Registrar of Parsi Marriage and Matrimonial Court, Bombay. Born, 1878. Married, 1901 (four sons). Left Elphinstone College to join High Court as a clerk in 1897, and rose gradually to the above position by dint of industry, honesty and ability. Appointed Official Shorthand Reporter in 1905, and took down in shorthand several epoch-making oral judgments of Mr. Justice Bowman, on one occasion for over five hours continuously (with one hour's break) in Court. Reported evidence and counsels, arguments in full, of many important cases and political trials single-handed, such as Tilak Trial, Jackson Murder Trial, Parsi Panchayet (Juddien) Case, etc. In the latter case Justice Sir Linsha Davar expressed his appreciation of the services rendered by Mr. Nakra, and of the "most excellent" shorthand notes in his elaborate judgment. Appointed Registrar of Parsi Marriage in 1926. Government conferred the title of Khan Sahib in 1930. Has enjoyed the confidence of many eminent Chief Justices and Judges of the High Court. Man of irreplicable character, modest, and extremely obliging to all classes of people.

Address—Dadyseth Fire Temple, Bombay 2.

and being unable, due to considerable financial stress, to prosecute his studies beyond the fourth standard at Sir J. J. Parsee Benevolent School, Surat, he had to divert his energy and activity in commercial channels, for which he found immediate scope in the business already established by his father, whom he joined in 1894.

In 1896 he started a Wine, Provision, and General Stores at Singareni Collieries in the name and style of "B.K. Nakra and Son." Later in 1906 "Bhikaji Dadabhai and Co." was started at Singareni Collieries in partnership. Beside this the Company owns several Cotton Ginning, Rice, Press Factories and Oil Mills at Warangal, Khammammet, Peddapalli, and Nizamabad. They also deal in cotton and oil seeds on a large scale. In 1934 Mr. Edulji started his own concern, "The Elite Wine and General Stores" at Secunderabad which is largely patronised by European customers.

Mr. Edulji has donated Rs. 40,000 for building a school called Sir J. J. Parsi Vernacular School in Rustompura, Surat, his native residence, in 1922.

Address—Nakra House, King Kotli Road Hyderabad, Deccan.

Nalavadi, Girimallapa Rachapa,

B.A., LL.B., Pleader, Dharwar, is one of the leading practitioners of the Dharwar Bar. Born on 19th February, 1898. Educated at Government High School, Dharwar, Karnatak College, Dharwar, Fergusson College, Poona, and Govt. Law School, Bombay. Married in 1906, Irabasawa, daughter of Basappa Hebli of Ibrahimpur and has three sons and two daughters. Passed Matric in 1917, B.A., 1921, and LL.B. in 1928. Started practice at Dharwar in 1924. His public activities are many and varied. He was elected Member District Local Board, Dharwar, 1925-35; Vice-Chairman, District School Board, 1925-28; Managing Director, Karnatak Central Bank Ltd., Dharwar, in 1928, and its Chairman since 1930 till the end of March 1936; President, Karnatak Divisional Co-operative Institute for three years from 1933; was Vice-President, Dharwar Municipal Borough, during 1935-36; Chairman, Lingayat Educational Association in 1931 and 1932 and its Vice-President since 1932; a member of the Executive Council of the Provincial Co-operative for two years; Chairman of the Reception Committee of the 11th All-India Weera-Shaiva Mahasabha in 1933, and a member of its standing Committee since then. He is an elected member of the Bombay Legislative Assembly, Dharwar North, from 1937.

Address—Dharwar.

Nanavati, Romesh Chandra Motilal,

F.C.I., F.F.C.S., J.R. Econ. S. (London);



Corporate Secretary; Assistant Secretary to His Highness the Maharaja Sahib of Dharampur. Born on the 25th of January 1908. Married Vasumati Ratilal Parakh. Educated at the Esplanade High School, Bombay, and the Theosophical College, Madras. Obtained Fellowships of the Com-

mmercial Institute of Leicestershire and the Faculty of Secretaries, Ltd., Guilford (England); elected Fellow of the Royal Economic and Statistical Societies of London in 1935; Appointed Registrar for India of the Faculty of Secretaries, Ltd., of England in 1936; joined Dharampur State as His Highness Maharaja's Assistant Secretary in 1928; travelled several times with his Highness to Europe, Australia, New Zealand and Tasmania.

Address—Dharampur, (Dist. Surat).

Nanavatty, Col. Sir Byramji Hormasji,

Kt. (1930), F.R.C.S., (Ed.), F.C.P.S., F.M. & S.



(with honours); Khan Bahadur (1910); C.I.E., June (1925); Consulting Surgeon and Physician. Specialist in Midwifery and diseases of Woman and Children, and in Eye diseases (from Royal Ophthalmic Hospital, Moorfields, London). Born in December, 1861. Educated at Ahmedabad and Bombay, and later on in London and Edinburgh. He married Dhanubai, daughter of the late Mr. N. Nanavatty, (Treasury Officer, Surat) and cousin of Mr. E. M. Nanavatty, I.C.S., (Judge, High Court Lucknow). He held for many years the posts of Lecturer of Surgery (clinical) and operative and midwifery in one of the provincial Medical Schools of the Bombay Presidency; Civil Surgeon, Surat, and a Fellow of the Bombay University in 1897, and is now an ordinary Fellow; a past Fellow of the Royal Obstetrical Society, London; for many years Examiner in Surgery and Midwifery in the L.M. & S., and M.B.E.S., examinations of the Bombay University, and also in the L.C.P.S., and M.C.P.S., examinations of the College of Physicians and Surgeons, Bombay, of which council he is also a member. A Municipal Councillor of over thirty years' standing, and Chairman, Sanitary Committee; also the Vice-President of the Ahmedabad Municipality. President Hemubhai and of the Indian National Association Institutes, Ahmedabad; Vice-President of four important public bodies viz., Ahmedabad Municipality, Ahmedabad Sanitary Association, the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, and of the Red Cross Society, where he has rendered valuable services. He is a member of Civil Hospital Advisory Committee and of the Committees of Bocharadas Dispensary, of the Taper Asylum and Mental Hospital. He is also Hon. Secretary of Bocharadas Dispensary; a leading Freemason and a Post Master of Lodge, Salem. In 1928 he was also elected, in appreciation of

his long continued valuable services to Freemasonry, an Hon. Member of Lodge Hope and Sincerity and also Lodge Salom. He was awarded by Government a Gold Medal for services rendered during the Ahmedabad riots of 1919 in saving the life of an English lady and gentleman. Later he was raised to the rank of an Hon. Col. of the Bombay Medical Corps. He is the author of the following publications: "Duties and Responsibilities of Practitioners and Students of Medicine," "On Different Methods of Cataract Extraction," "Uræmia Following on Catheterism," "Glioma Rotundæ," and "Hypermetropia and Sanguine." He is a frequent contributor to the *Times of India*, Bombay, on various political and public subjects, and his letters are highly appreciated.

Address—Ahmedabad.

Nanavati, Pranlal Mansukhlal, F. M., and S. (Bom.); D.T.M. & H. (Camb.); Deputy



Chief Medical Officer, Baroda State. Born on 5th April, 1888. He was educated at Government High School, Ahmedabad, St. Xavier College, and Grant Medical College, Bombay. Passed L. M. & S., 1912. Married in 1902, Miss Hirabai, daughter of Shesh K. Chhagobhai. Joined Baroda

State as General Duty Medical Officer, 1913. Was sent to Europe for higher studies, 1921; D. T. M. & H. (Cambridge University, 1921). Returned to India, 1921, and was appointed Dy. Chief Medical Officer, 1925; was Acting Chief Medical Officer in 1926 and at various other times; accompanied H. H. The Maharaja Sahib as Personal Physician to Europe, 1927.

Address—State General Hospital, Baroda.

Nandy, Srischandra, M.A., (1920), M.L.C., Maharaja of Kasimbazar, Bengal. Born in 1897. Married in 1917 second Rajkumari of the late Hon. Raja Promada Nath Roy of Dighapatia. Educated at Berhampore College, Bengal, and Presidency College, Calcutta. Became Chairman, Berhampore Municipality; was Member of District Board, Berhampore, and Member Bengal Legislative Council (since 1924); Ex-President British Indian Association; President, Bengal Mahajan Sabha; President, Board of Management, K.N. College, Berhampore; Member, Historical Society and Asiatic Society of Bengal; Mun-

shidabad Association Life Member, Visva-Bharati, and Member, Bengal National Chamber of Commerce.

Address—"Rajbari," Kasimbazar, or 302, Upper Circular Road, Calcutta.

Nandimath, Dr. Sivalingayya Chanabasavayya, M.A., Ph.D., Principal,



Lingaraj College, Belgaum. Born on 12th December, 1900. Educated at Gilgauchi Art and High School and Karnatak College, Dharwar, where he was a Dakshina Fellow; joined the Rajaram College, Kolhapur, as a Professor from 1926-28; proceeded to England for higher studies in the London University, during which time he was awarded Shirsangi Scholarship. Returning to India, he joined the Karnatak Lingayat Education Society as a life member and worked to bring the Society's College into existence. In 1933 he was appointed as Principal of Society's Arts College, named "The Lingaraj College" by H. E. Sir Frederick Sykes, Governor of Bombay, in memory of the late Sardar Lingappa Jayappa Sardesai of Sirasangi and Navalgaund who donated his whole estate, yielding an annual income of about Rs. 50,000 to the Lingayat Community for the spread of education. The K.L.E. Society is fortunate in securing the services of Dr. Nandimath whose indefatigable industry and perseverance were responsible for bringing the College into its present position—excellent educational Institution in Western India. He takes keen interest in all the educational and social activities in Belgaum. He is a member of the Royal Asiatic Society, London; Fellow of the Bombay University; President, Karnatak Arts Society and a member of the Council of the Co-operative Institute, Bombay. He is a brilliant writer and his articles very often appear in the *Karnatak Historical Review*, Dharwar, of which he is the editor.

Address—Lingaraj College, Belgaum.

Narayanaiah, Narasimhuluayya, B.A. (1910); L. T. (1915); B. L. (1916); Professor, Jaffna Hindu College and Editor of "The Ardra." Born on 20th August, 1890. Educated at Presidency College, Madras; Law College, Madras; Teachers' College, Saidapet; Medallist in B.A. and L.T. degree examinations. First married in 1909 with Subalakshmi, and on her demise married again in 1919 with Nachhiyar, and has two sons and two girls. Teacher in India 1912-16; Sub-Assistant Inspector of Schools, 1917-19; lawyer, 1919-25; Manager, "Swarajya" Office, Madras, and Editor, Tamil "Swarajya" daily, 1926; Lawyer again, 1927; Professor, Jaffna Hindu College, since 1928; Hon. Joint Secretary, North Ceylon Indian Association, Jaffna, since 1930; Member of the Ceylon branch of the Royal Asiatic Society; Hon. Correspondent to the Madras Publicity Bureau; Proprietor and Editor of the "Ardra" since 1933; Author of several works in English and Tamil.

Address—"The Ardra," Vannarpoundai, Jaffna, Ceylon.

Narayan Maharaj, S h r i Sadguru. Born in 1895, he has, as far as can be



gathered from the meagre details of his early life, within the last two decades come into prominence as a Sanyasin and as a devotee of Dattaraya (the Trimvirate God of Hindu mythology) and has among his large following a number of chiefs and educated men. He now lives in Kodgaon and his place is called "Narayan Bet," bet in Marathi meaning "an island." The following story is told as to how he came to establish a temple and mutt there. He lost his parents when he was a young boy. He is a native of Karnatak. At one time his father had a good position in life and belonged to the Sangli family in Sindagi village in Bijapur near Sangli. On his death, the boy Narayan

was looked after by Trimbakarrao (Kulkarni of Bopgaon village) and his wife Lakshmi Bai. It was through Trimbakarrao that this "Bet" came into the possession of Narayan Maharaj. He lives a simple life at mutt and it is said that he is capable of working miracles in divorce ways. Whatever may be his divine powers, there is a charm about the place and surroundings where this "Sadhu" lives in very simple and unostentatious style, doing what little good he can in the way of alleviating the sufferings of humanity.

Address—Narayan Bet, Kodgaon, Poona District.

Narayanaswami Chetti, The Hon. Dewan Bahadur, Gopathy, C. I. M. (1929). Member, Council of State. Born on 28th September, 1881. Merchant and Landlord; President Madras Corporation for 1927 and 1928; Member of the Senate of the Madras University; Member of the Council of Affiliated Colleges representing district Board and Municipalities of Chingleput District; Honorary Secretary, Madras Presidency Discharged Prisoners' Aid Society; Provincial Visitor to Presidency Jails; President, Depressed Classes Mission Society, Madras Labour Board; Member, South India Chamber of Commerce; Member, Tramway Advisory Board; Director, Rignora Benefit Society and Co-operative Central Land Mortgage Bank Ltd; Member of the Executive Committee of the Countess of Dufferin Fund; visitor of the Criminal Settlement at Madras and Pallavaram; Vice-President of the S. P. C. A., and Madras Children's Aid Society; Member, Central Board of Railways; Member, Governing Body of the Lady Harding Medical College Hospital for Women; Member, Central Committee of Countess of Dufferin Fund. Member, Labour Advisory Board formed by the Government of Madras; Member of the Governing Body of the Imperial Council of Agricultural Research, Delhi; Director of the Mylapore Hindu Permanent Fund, Ltd; President of the District Educational Council; President of the District Secondary Education Board; Chairman of the Advisory Board to the General Hospital, Madras; Member of the Advisory Board to the Government Gosha Hospital; Chairman of the Board of Trustees of the V. P. Hall; was for a short time a Member of the Madras Legislative Council; Chairman of the Board of Visitors of the Junior Certified School, Ranipet; Honorary Inspector of Certified Schools of Madras Presidency; Non-official Visitor to the Government Mental Hospital; Director of the Muthialpet High School; Member of the Board of Industries; Honorary Visitor of the Agricultural College, Coimbatore; Member of the Admission Board to the Presidency College; Member of the

Advisory Council of the Queen Mary's College for Women; Member of the Roads Committee; Member of the Ottawa Committee of the Central Legislature.

Address—Gopathi Villa, San Thome, Madras.

Nariman, Dadabhoi, General Contractor, Dhulia, West Khandes. Born in 1870.



Educated in Marathi and English at Dhulia. Married in 1894 with late Ainai, daughter of Rustumjee Jamshotjee Katpitia. (Five sons and three daughters). Eldest son, Erach, is in business; second son, N. N. Dadabhoi, Solicitor, Bombay; third, Jal, an Incorporated Accountant of

London; fourth, Russi, studying in Medical College, and fifth son, Dady, studying in the College of Engineering, Poona. He was brought to Dhulia at the age of seven in 1878; entered business in 1890, as a Forest and P. W. D. Contractor, also worked as a Controller of kerosene and petrol during the Great War.

Address—1st Lane, Dhulia, West Khandesh.

Narlikar, Vishnu Vasudeo, B.Sc. (Bom); 1928; B. A., (Canton) 1930; F. R. A. S., B.



Star Wrangler, Professor of Mathematics, Bonares University. Born at Kolhapur on the 26th September, 1908. Educated at Vidyapeeth and Rajaram High School, Kolhapur; B. Sc. (Elphinstone College, Bombay); proceeded to England with the Mangaldas Nathubai Travelling Fellowship in 1928

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for three years and joined the Royal Institute of Science (Fitzwilliam House, Cambridge), and passed his B. A. in 1930. He was College prizeman at Cambridge in 1929 and was also Isaac Newton Student, 1930; Tyson Medalist and is the first Indian and the first student from the Fitzwilliam House to secure this coveted distinction. He is a member of several literary and scientific societies. In 1933 he married Miss Shree Navare of Sion, Bombay.

Publications:—Several papers and discoveries in "Nature," "Mathematical Gazette," "Philosophical Magazine," etc., on "The Theory of the World Criterion" and "Theory of Twelve Elements" in 1932, and the "Theory of Gravitation" in 1933.

Address—Hindu University, Bonares.

Narsimhayya, C., B. A., B. L., Advocate and President of Mysore Bar Association.



Born in 1872. Educated at Wesleyan Mission High School, Maharaja's College, Mysore and Law Colleges, Madras and Travancore. (One son and three daughters.) Enrolled as an advocate of Mysore High Court in September, 1903. Was a nominated member of the District Board of Mysore, 1911-1929;

a member, Mysore Representative Assembly, 1918-1930; a member, Mysore Legislative Council, 1916-1920, and again 1928-1926, being the first member to be elected after Mysore city got the right of electing its representative to the Legislative Council; a member, Economic Conference; Chairman, Special Committee and member of Finance and Taxation committees; has been a Municipal Councillor for the last twenty-five years; a member, Trust Board, for nearly twelve years off and on; is connected with Ananthalya (Mysore Orphanage) for nearly thirty years and at present its Honorary Secretary; also President of the City Co-operative Society, Mysore, and Dulwayas Sanskrit School, Sadvidya Shala; Vice-President, Co-operative Bank, Mysore and Brahmam Dharma Sahaya Sangha; built free quarters for poor boys at a cost of Rs. 10,000. As a senior lawyer he has trained twenty juniors in the profession. In appreciation of his sympathy, courtesy and kindness, the juniors of the Mysore Bar Association unveiled a portrait of his (Narsimhayya) in the Bar Association.

Address—Mysore.

Nasarwanji Cowasji Khoorsigara, Age sixty-five, President, Bassein Municipality. He was educated at Sir J. J. School and Jahangir Motabhoj Vakil School, Surat; has four sons and three daughters. After education, he served for some time in Railway Carting Agent's



office at Surat and in Salt Works in Thana District. He was appointed as Abkari Inspector in Thana District and Distillery Manager at Broach and Godhra and later on in the Excise Contractor's Office in Bombay. About thirty-five years ago, he came to Bassein and started an independent business. In addition to his business activities, he takes much interest in public affairs. He was a nominated member of the Bassein Taluka Local Board for three years and a nominated member of the Bassein Municipality for nine years. He was also an elected member of the Bassein Municipality for twelve years during which period he was Vice-President for three years; Chairman Municipal Managing Committee for three years; an elected President of the Bassein Municipality since April 1935, by a Board consisting of twenty-one members in which he is the

only solitary Parsi member. He is also a member of the Governing Council of the R.P. Vagh Bassein High School. He was also Vice-President, Bassein Aman Sabha for some time. In the year 1927, The Hon. Sir Gulam Hussain Hidayatulla, Kt., Minister Local Self-Government, Bombay Presidency, was pleased to confer upon him a Gold Medal as a token of appreciation of his approved services in the cause of municipal affairs. A self-made man, he has given donations to various institutions, War fund, Silver Jubilee Fund, Ahmedabad and Poona Agricultural Funds and other deserving funds, on a large scale. He is most sympathetic and also to the forefront in relieving distress and helping the poor in giving them timely help without any distinction of caste or creed. His politeness, impartiality and keen sympathy with the people in and around Bassein have made him immensely popular.

Address—Bassein, District Thana.

Navle, Rao Bahadur Namdeorao Eknathrao, B.A., LL.B., M.L.A., Pleader



and Ex Chairman, District School Board, Ahmednagar. Born in 1891. He received his early education at the Bar da Collo and the Government Law College, Bombay, and secured the Maharaja Gokwar Scholarship and Diwan Bahadur Dhanaskar Scholarship. As a prominent Member of the Bombay Council Non-Brahmin Party for the last ten years, and as its elected Deputy leader, he has displayed abilities of a high order. He presided over the Satara District Agricultural Conference held at Islampur in 1927, and the Central Provinces and Berar Provincial Non-Brahmin Conference in 1929. He gave strong and convincing evidence before the Simon Commission in the interests of the Non-Brahmin party and as representative of that Party he attended the All Parties Conference held at Delhi in 1930. He was elected a member of the Bombay Legislative Council to represent the Senate of the Bombay University. He can also lay claim to having done some useful work for a long time as member of the District Local Board Ahmednagar, and member of Sangamner and Ahmednagar Municipalities. He presided over the Presidency Local Self Government Conference at Nasik, 1933, and the Conference of the Administrative officers and Supervisors of the School Boards of the Bombay Presidency in Bombay, 1934; also presided over the Bombay Presidency Primary Teachers' conference held at Bombay, 1933, and the Poona and Sholapur District Marathi Educational Conference held at Poona and Barsei, 1931-1932. He was Deputy President, Bombay Legislative Council till 1937; elected to the Bombay Legislative Assembly in 1937; created Rao Bahadur, 1st January, 1938. Married in 1923 to Miss Kamahabai, daughter of Krishnarao Shinde Sirdeshmukh of Munsagaur, District Nasik. Address—Ahmednagar.

Nawab Mirza Yar Jung Bahadur (Mirza Samiulla Beg), B.A., LL.B., Judi-



cial Minister, Hyderabad State, was born in 1875 at Amheeli, in the Lucknow District. He was educated at Bareilly High School, Christian College and Canning College, Lucknow. He passed the LL.B. examination and stood second in the Allahabad University. He started practice in Bareilly. In 1892 he returned to Lucknow and soon established himself as a lawyer of the first rank. In the year 1915 he was raised to the rank of an Advocate in the Court of the Judicial Commissioner of Oudh by the Government of the United Provinces and a year after, on the recommendation of Lord Meston, the Government of India nominated him to the provincial Legislative Council.

In the year 1918 he was appointed Chief Justice of the High Court of Hyderabad by H. E. H. the Nizam. As a Judge he is very conscientious and impartial, and his judgments are highly argumentative and flawless. He is a member of the Committee of Aytat of the Executive Council. In 1922 His Exalted Highness the Nizam, in recognition of his services, conferred upon him the title of Nawab Mirza Yar Jung Bahadur. He was also responsible for the grant of a Charter to the High Court and for the High Court Act, which further enhanced the powers of the High Court. Recently important amendments to the Criminal and Civil procedure Act, at his instance were carried through the

State Legislative Council. Again, while, on one side he has raised the Standards of qualifications for recruitment to the Judicial Service, so as to make the Service more efficient, it has been recently decided in keeping with the practice found in British India and other Native States that only barristers, LL.B's, and civilians trained for the Service should be raised to the High Court Judgeships. An inspecting Officer to supervise the work of the Lower Courts has been appointed and the System of Jury has been introduced.

Apart from being a great judicial reformer, he has in no way been less useful in matters of educational and social importance. He is the Dean of the faculty of Law and Arts of the Osmania University, and also a member of its Council and a fellow of the University. In recognition of his services he was recently awarded the King George's Silver Jubilee Medal.

Address—Hyderabad, (Deccan).

Nawab Akel Jung Bahadur, Member, H. M. H. the Nizam's Executive Council (Military Portfolio), Hyderabad, Deccan, is the son of the late Nawab Imad-ul-Mulk Bahadur. He traces his descent to a well-known family of Sayyids who had migrated from Mesopotamia in 1217. Born in 1874. After finishing his education, he joined the Nizam's Government Service in 1897. He held various appointments in the State with distinction and was later on appointed Sardar-ul-Mahan. Before joining the present appointment, he was the member in charge of the P. W. D.

Address—Hyderabad, (Deccan).

Nayudu, Rai Bahadur, Kona Shrinivas Rao, B.A., LL.B., (Allahabad); Minister of Industries and Local Self-Government, Central Provinces (1934-37). Born on 22nd May 1877. Married to Ankubai Nayudu, daughter of Mr. B. Narasingrao Nayudu, Government and Railway Contractor, Khadwa. Educated at Collegiate High School, Jubbulpore, Ujjain and Agra Colleges. Joined Wardha Bar in 1899; enrolled High Court Pleader in 1904; elected President, Wardha Municipal Committee, 1915-1921 and 1924-1934; appointed Public Prosecutor, Wardha Session Division, 1917-34; elected to C. P. Legislative Council, 1923; elected Deputy President, C. P. Legislative Council, 1924-26; elected President, C.P. and Borar Non-Brahmin Association since 1925; elected Chairman, Reception Committee of the Non-Brahmin Congress, Amraoti, 1925; elected President, Bombay Provincial Non-Brahmin Conference, 1928; led the C. P. and Borar Non-Brahmin Party Deputation before Simon Commission

at Nagpur, 1928; again elected to C. P. Legislative Council, in November, 1930, as a Non-Brahmin; elected leader of the Democratic (majority) Party of the C. P. Council in December, 1930; elected unopposed Chairman, District Council, Wardha, in January, 1934; appointed Minister of Industries to the C. P. Government in March, 1934.

Address—Civil Lines, Nagpur, C. P.

Nerlikar, Anantrao alias Bapusaheb Balvantrao, Inamdar, Mutalik Desai



Paragana Hukeri, Landlord and Inamdar of Nerli, Aungol, and Edurwadi. Born on 30th January, 1902. Educated privately. Married on eight Jeshtha Shuddha Shukla 1844, with Mrs. Kamalabai, daughter of Vamanrao Vishnupant, Inamdar of Shirgur in Kolhapur State. (One son, Raghu-

nathrao). Nerlikars are the Mutalik Desais of Hukeri Paragana in Belgaum District.



Late Mr. Balasaheb Inamdar Nerlikar

Ancient records reveal that when Khanderao Desai, the ancestor of Sardesai of Vantmuri in

Belgaum District, came from Bedar in 1421 A. D., he met Babajipant, ancestor of Mutalik Desais of Nerli at Ainapur. Babajipant acted as Mutalik Desai from 1421-1466; during the Bedar Dynasty. Later, in 1498, when Bedar came into the hands of the Bijapur Kings, Nerlikars acted as Mutalik Desais. Even during Aurangzeb's regime (1687-1701) the Mutalik Desaiship continued in the family. In 1707, during Shivshahi, there was an invasion and a demand of Chauthai (means one fourth of the revenue) as a tax, Ambaji Virupax Mutalik Desai, is reported to have committed suicide at Belgaum by stabbing himself with a dagger when he came to know that Alagouda Desai of Vanturimuri had committed suicide by stabbing himself. Shamji Rudra who acted as Mutalik Desai from 1762-1810, had four sons: 1. Appaji—ancestor of the Shirgaonkars. 2. Virupax—ancestor of Nerlikars; 3. Antaji—family is now extinct; 4. Nagi—ancestor of Anmanagikars and Edarkars.

Virupax adopted Antaji, grandson of his brother, Antaji. The adopted son, Antaji, had two sons, namely, Ragnunathrao and Abaji. Ragnunathrao, who was a man of religious temperament, was a member of the Belgaum District Local Board. He died in 1889 leaving five sons: 1. Late Purushottamrao, alias Namasaheb; 2. Late Ananttrao; 3. Late Balvantrao, alias Balasaheb. 4. Late Vamantrao; 5. Shankarrao.

Balvantrao, alias Balasaheb, was a very influential landlord in Belgaum District. He was an artist and had drawn several oil pictures. He had by his tact and ability managed the estates of a joint family for nearly forty years. He also did good work during the plague epidemic in 1902-1903. He was greatly liked by several rulers of native States including the late Shahu Chhatrapati Maharaja of Kolhapur. He died on 22nd January, 1934, at the age of sixty-eight. His late daughter, Yarnunabai, was married to the descendant of Ramdas, (the great Gurn of Shri Shivaji Maharaj) late Sardar Gangadhar Laxman Swami of Chafal in Satara District. She has left one son behind her, Guvalax, alias Tatya Sahib Maharaj of Chafal. The only surviving son of late Balasaheb, Mr. Bapusaheb, the subject of this sketch, has inherited from his father not only a vast estate but also his charming manners and ability to manage his estate. He started "the Balvant Memorial" at Nerli in memory of his father; he gives free medicines to the poor and has studied the Ayurved, Homeopathy and Tissue remedies. He is taking an active part in Syke's Scheme (village improvement) as a result of which Nerli has been vastly improved and has become one of the model villages in the district.

Hobbies:—Singing.

Address:—Post Nerli, Taluka Hukeri, Dist. Belgaum.

Nerlikar. Ganapatrao Purushottamrao, Inamdar of Nerli, Aurgol



and Edurwadi and Chairman, Shri Basvashwar Co-operative Credit Society, Nerli, Dist. Belgaum. Born on 26th July, 1886. Educated at Sardar's High School, Belgaum. Married in 1904 with Saraswatibai, daughter of late Ramchandrar Dhondo Kulkarni, the well-known landlord of Chikodi (three sons and four daughters).

Nerlikars are the Mutalik Desais of Hukeri Paragana in Belgaum District. Ancient records reveal that when Khandernao Desai, the ancestor of Sardesai of Vanturimuri in Belgaum District came from Bedar in 1421 A. D. he met Babajipant, ancestor of Mutalik Desais of Nerli at Ainapur. Babajipant acted as Mutalik Desai from 1421-1466 during the Bedar Dynasty. Later, in 1498, when Bedar came into the hands of Bijapur kings, Nerlikars acted as Mutalik Desais. Even during Aurangzeb's regime (1687-1704) the Mutalik Desaiship continued in the family. In 1707 during Shivshahi there was an invasion and a demand of Chauthai (means one-fourth of the revenue) as a tax. Ambaji Virupax Mutalik Desai is reported to have committed suicide at Belgaum by stabbing himself with a dagger when he came to know that Alagouda Desai of Vanturimuri had committed suicide by stabbing himself. Shamji Rudra, who acted as Mutalik Desai from 1762-1810, had four sons:—1. Appaji—ancestor of the Shirgaonkars

2. Virupax—ancestor of Norlikars; 3. Antaji—family is now extinct; 4. Nago—ancestor of Ammanagikers and Edurkas.

Virupax adopted Antaji, grandson of his brother, Antaji. The adopted son, Antaji, had two sons, namely, Ragunathrao and Abaji. Ragunathrao, who was a man of religious temperament, was a member of the Belgaum District Local Board. He died in 1889, leaving five sons: 1. Late Purushottamrao, alias Namasaheb; 2. Late Anantao; 3. Late Balvantrao, alias Balasaheb; 4. Late Vamanrao; 5. Shankarrao.

The late Purushottamrao alias Namasaheb, oldest son of Ragunathrao, died in 1894, leaving three sons and three daughters—eldest son, late Shamrao, second son, late Keshavrao, and third son, Ganapatrao, the subject of this sketch.

Among Norlikar Inamdars, Mr. Ganapatrao has taken a keen interest in public welfare and has thus enhanced the prestige of the family of the Mutalik Dossais, who are held in high esteem in the District. Next to the Sardars of Vantmuri, the Norlikar Inamdars have occupied a great position as Mutalik Dossais. Mr. Ganapatrao was requested by Government to preside over the Hukeri Taluka Durbar in connection with the late King's birthday in the absence of Sardesai of Vantmuri, Raja Lakhmangouda Basayrabhu. He did yamen's services to the Shankarasharya's Pooth of Sunkeshwar and Karwoor as Hon. Karbhari and Vamankhyar of the Math when the Pooth was passing through a crisis. He was also Chairman of the Reception Committee of the Bhakt Prabhu Aikya (Unity) Conference at Kapilashwar in Goa under the presidency of Mr. N. C. Kolkar in 1926. Was an elected Member of the Hukeri Taluka Local Board on behalf of the Inamdars for nine years; a Director, District Central Co-operative Bank, Belgaum for three years; founder and Chairman of Shri Basवेशwar Co-operative Society at Norli for the last sixteen years; acted as Chairman, Reception Committee of Hukeri Taluka Co-operative Conference under the presidency of Mr. J. A. Madan, I.C.S., in 1924; was Secretary of the Belgaum District Shet Samadi Conference in 1928 and the president of the Hukeri Taluka Samadi Sangh which successfully agitated against the Government's resolution asking the Shet Samadi to pay the occupancy price of the very lands owned by them; was also a member of the Committee of Supervising Union of Hukeri Taluka and of Sales Society at Shankeshwar and Co-operative Institutes, Belgaum District. At the age of fifty Mr. G. P. Norlikar has retired from all public activities and is devoted to contemplation and study of Vedant in order to get peace of mind.

Address—Post Norli, Taluka Hukeri, Dist. Belgaum.

Neves, The Rt. Rev. Mgr. Abilio,
His Excellency, Bishop of Cochin. Born 8th



June, 1891, in Portugal. Educated in Portugal and later at Mylapore. Joined the Seminary at Mangalore. Ordained priest St. Thomas Cathedral, Mylapore, on 7th December, 1919. Appointed Asst. to the Parish priest St. Thomas Cathedral; Director of St. Rode's Boarding School; Military Chaplain at St. Thomas

Mount; Director of San Thome Orphanage, from where he was raised to the See of Cochin in January, 1931. As asst. Parish priest, his chief work was spread of devotion to the Blessed Sacrament. He organised Eucharistic circles for the enrolment of Knights, Handmaids, and Pages of the Blessed Sacrament, and began the weekly Holy Hour devotion at the Cathedral. He organised the Cathedral Ladies' Sodality, the Guild of St. Agnes, in which little girls were given an early spiritual training. As Director of the Orphanage, he proved a real father and friend to every inmate, working ceaselessly not only for their spiritual progress, but also for the physical well-being of poor boys. He raised funds for an infirmary and for modern sanitation in the Orphanage. As Bishop, he has carried into his Diocese of Cochin the work begun as a young priest at Mylapore. Every parish has, within three short years, established religious societies under his fostering influence, and a fuller Catholic life is noticed throughout the Diocese. Education is receiving his personal attention. Address—Bishop's House, Cochin.

Nichols-Roy, Rev. James Joy Mohon,
B.A., M.I.A., Christian Missionary and managing



Director of The United Fruit Co., Ltd., Shillong. Born on 14th June, 1884, he was educated at Shillong and Calcutta. Married on 17th August, 1907, Nora Evelyn Nichols (Lady Missionary from the United States of America, graduate of the State University of Idaho). Member of The

Legislative Council of Assam since 1921

Became minister, Local Self Government in 1927-1928 and part of 1929. He travelled in China, Japan, America, England, Ireland and Scotland. As a member of the Council, he was the author of three Acts: "The Assam Students' and Juvenile Smoking Act," "The Assam Temperance Act," and "The Assam Opium Smoking Act." In 1934 he was President of the Assam Opium Enquiry Committee. He is editor of a Khasi religious paper. In February, 1937, elected as Member of the Assam Legislative Assembly; and on 1st April, 1937, became Minister of Local Self Government. Address—Shillong, Assam.

Nimbalkar, Sardar Major Dadasahed Dattajirao, Personal Secretary to H. H. the



Chatrapati Maharaja of Kolhapur and Managing Director, Kolhapur Ciment Co., Kolhapur, belongs to an ancient and respectable Sardar family. He was born in 1904 and was educated at Kolhapur. He joined the Kolhapur State Service and was appointed personal Secretary to H. H. the Chatrapati Maharaja.

He was made a Major in 1934. He was appointed as Managing Director of the Kolhapur Ciment Company from its inception in 1933. He has travelled almost all over Europe, including England, France, Belgium and Switzerland. He takes interest in Production line and one picture, "Valie Mardan," is to his credit. He is the President of the Motion Picture Society of Kolhapur. He is in charge of H. H. the Maharaja's racing stable. He is also owner of some race horses and takes keen interest in races and racing.

Address—Now Palace, Kolhapur.

Nimbalkar-Desai Vithalrao alias Appasaheb Shidojirao, alias Bapu. saheb Naik, Desai of Nipani, the grandson



of Beghmunathrao, Alias Namasaheb, the half-brother of Shidojirao, alias Appasaheb Desai Sarlashkar Nipani. Born in 1885. Educated at Nipani. Married in 1912 with Miss Banuakka, daughter of Ranchandra Rao Thorpado of Khadakwar (five sons and two daughters). Mr. Appasaheb was

elected to the Nipani Municipality in 1913 and was its member for about eight years. Has been the Chairman, School Board, for the last four years. An Honorary Bench Magistrate since 1927, and Chairman of the Bench of Hon. 2nd class Bench Magistrates since January, 1936. Also Chairman of the Welfare Centre for years and was Vice-President of the Taduka Local Board for three years. A great Shikari, Mr. Appasaheb had a tough fight with a tiger in 1934 in a jungle near Shendur, and as a result of the remarkable pluck he showed even when badly mauled by the brute, the tiger, worsted in the fight, bolted in the jungle and fell dead.

Address—Nipani, District Belgaum.

Nirdi, Basalingappa Adivappa, B.A., Chitnis to the Collector, Belgaum. Born on



16th June, 1898. Educated at Sardar's High School, Belgaum, and Fergusson College, Poona. Married in 1918 to Parvattibai, daughter of Shivalingappa Phul of Tigdi. Passed Matric 1914; B.A., 1919. Joining Government Service in 1921 as a clerk in Revenue Department.

Mr. Nirdi, by dint of ability and diligence was appointed a Deputy Chitnis in 1924; Shirastadar and 2nd class Magistrate in 1927; Pront Shirastadar in 1929; Head clerk to the Collector in 1932. He was appointed Chitnis to the Collector, Belgaum, in 1935. Has been Chairman, District Revenue Employees' Bank in 1932. He took a great interest in local social affairs and started Revenue Social Club in June 1936. He is also a writer on social and religious topics; and has been the main stay of all State occasions and public activities in Belgaum District, where he is very popular. He is a keen sportsman and a good shikari, with good literary and eloquent capacities. He is known for his organizing power and carrying things undertaken to a successful end in a very magnificent fashion. He has striking originality. He has been responsible for many popular contributions both official and non-official and has deep knowledge of different religions. Even as a boy and student his public activities are too well-known and he never knows what is opposition.

Address—Belgaum.

Normand, Charles William Blyth, M.A., D.Sc.; Director-General of Observatories. Born on 10th September, 1889; married Alison McLennan. Educated at Royal High School and Edinburgh University; Carnegie Scholar and Fellow, 1911-1913; Meteorologist, Simla, from 1913-1915 and 1919-1927; I.A.R.O., with Mesopotamian Expeditionary Force, 1916-19; mentioned in despatches, 1917; Director-General of Observatories from 1927.

Publications: Articles in Chemical and Meteorological Journals.

Address—Meteorological Office, Poona.

Noronha, Rev. Castilho, B.D., Canon of the Patriarchal See, Goa; Editor, "A Voz



Do S. Francisco Xavier," and elected member, Goa Legislative Council. Born on 21st September, 1897. Educated at the Seminary of Rachol. Took B. D. in 1911. Ordained in 1910. Was a professor at Seminary at Rachol for 18 years. Came to Nova Goa as the Editor of "A Voz Do S. Fran-

cisco Xavier" in 1931. Appointed Canon of the Goa Patriarchal See in April, 1935. Also a Member of the Instituto Vasco da Gama. Publications: (1) "O Budismo em confronto com O Cristianismo," (2) "Bramanismo Filosofico."

Address—Pangim (Goa.)

Norris, Roland Victor, D. Sc. (London); M. Sc. (Manchester), F.T.C.; Director, Tea Research Institute of Ceylon. Born on 24th October, 1887. He was educated at Ripon Grammar School and University of Manchester. Was Schunck Research Asst. University of Manchester, 1909; Research Scholar, Lister Institute of Preventive Medicine, 1910-11; Beit Memorial Fellow, 1911-13; Physiological Chemist, Imperial Bacteriological Laboratory, Muktesar, U.P., 1914; war service, Captain I.A.B.O. attached 103rd Mahratta Light Infantry, 1915-18; Agriculture Chemist to Government of Madras, 1918-24; Prof. of Biochemistry, Indian Institute of Science, 1924-29. Publications: Numerous scientific papers in various technical journals.

Address—Tea Research Institute of Ceylon, St. Coombs, Talawakalle, Ceylon.

Oakley, Charles Benjamin, V.D., Major, 1916; Member, North of England Institute of Mining and Mechanical Engineers, 1922; Associate Member of Institute of Mining Engineers. Born on 11th July, 1874. Educated at Wolverhampton, Ct. S., England, and Queen Mary's Grammar School, Walsall. Was Lloyd's Underwriter's Clerk, 1893-97; Asst., Peiree Leslie and Co., Malabar Coast and London, 1898-1912; Managing Director, Indian Cycle and General Engineering Co., Ltd.; Director, Bangalore Daily Post, 1913-35; General Manager, Leibaok Syndicate, Wolfram Deposits, Tavoy, Lower Burma, 1915-17; Indian Reserve of Officers, 1917-35; Manager, Oakley Bowden and Co.'s Mineral Department, 1911-35; General Manager, Mysore Chromite Ltd.; Managing Director, Oakley Duncan and Co., Ltd., 1920-35; and President, Bangalore Trade Association.

Address—Bangalore.

Oakley, Frank Howard, K.I.H. (Gold) 1931, Merchant. Born on 8th April, 1879. Educated at Queen Mary's Grammar School, Walsall Staff; practised as Public Auditor, 1903-14; Senior Partner of Oakley, Bowden and Co., Merchants, Managing Agents, Mysore Chromite Mines of Mysore and Little's Oriental Balm Pharmaceuticals; Provincial Commissioner for Madras Presidency Boy Scouts' Association, 1922-24; acting Provincial Commissioner, of Baden-Powell Scouts; President of West Madras Scout Association.

Address—15, Armenian Street, Madras.

Obeyesekere, Sir James Peter, Maha Mudaliyar, Kt. (1936); M.A., Bar-at-Law; J.P. (1912); M.C.B.; R.A.S.; Ceylon. Born on 17th January, 1879; son of late Hon. J. P. Obeyesekere and Cornelia Henrietta. Married in 1914 and has one son. Educated at St. Thomas' College, Colombo, Trinity College, Cambridge. Created Mudaliyar of Siyane Korale East, 1914; Maha Mudaliyar, 1927. District Commissioner, Hanaratgoda Boy Scouts' Association.

Address—Baladola, Veyangoda, Ceylon.

Oliver, Colonel Arthur, C.B. (1919); C.M.G. (1916); F.R.C.V.S., Export Advisor in Animal Husbandry, Imperial Council of Agricultural Research Department. Born on 4th August, 1875. Married Marjorie, daughter of Wm. Hart of Johannesburg. Educated at Godolphin School, London, and R. Voty, College, London. Joined Army Veterinary Department, 1899; served South African War, 1901-02 (Queen's Medal five clasps); Egyptian Army, 1906; P.V.O. Egypt Army and Sudan Civil

Veterinary Service, 1907; Assistant Director-General, Army Veterinary Service, War Office, 1908; Great War, 1914-18; D. D. V. S., Br. Remount Command Canada and U. S. A., 1917; A. D. V. S., Egypt Command, 1922-27; Colonel, 1928; Expert Advisor, I. C. A. R. Department Government of India, 1930.

Publications:—Various technical articles in professional press and in standard veterinary works.

Address:—9, Hastings Road, New Delhi.

Owen, Morris, M. Sc. (Wales), F. Inst. P. Officiating Director of Public Instruction and Secretary to Government, Education Department, Central Provinces. Born on 16th February, 1885. Married Elinor Jones (Vaughan). He was educated at University College, Bangor, and Berlin University. Was late Fellow of the University of Wales, Lecturer on Physics, Portsmouth Technical College (1909); Indian Educational Service, 1912.

Publications:—Research papers on "Frictional Electricity," "Musical Arc Oscillations in Coupled Circuits," and "Thermo-Magnetic Properties of the Elements."

Address:—Nagpur.

Padmanabha Rao, Rao Sahib, T., Udaara Siromani, F.R.S.A. (London). Was born on 13th September, 1864. Educated at the Government High Schools at Quilon and Travandrum and C. M. S. College, Kottayam. Entered Government Service as clerk and rose to the position of confidential clerk to the Dewan in 1887 and later as private secretary in 1900. Was promoted as Assistant Excise Commissioner in charge of the Central Division and for some time acting for the Excise Com. He was appointed as Anchal Superintendent in 1911. He retired from service in 1919. Since his retirement, his services have been utilised both by the Government and the public in various ways. The Government appointed him as a Director of the State Aided Bank. He is the President of the Travandrum Co-operative Urban Bank; was created Rao Sahib in 1927; Udaara Siromani in 1934. A Silver Jubilee Medal was presented to Mr. Rao at the Jubilee Darbar.

Address:—"Hill View," Talukad, Travandrum.

Padshah, The Hon. Saiyed Mahmud Sahib Bahadur, B.A., Member, Council of State; Member of the Roads Committee, Council of State and Advocate. Born in 1887. Married daughter of the late Sowcar Syed Mir

Hussain Sahib Bahadur, a Mahomedan millionaire of Chittoor. Educated at Presidency College, Madras. Joined the Bar in 1916; became Member of the Reformed Madras Legislative Council, 1921; agitated in the Council for the separation of the judicial and executive functions, the temperance movement, encouragement of cottage industries, etc. First joined the Council of State in 1924 and was re-elected to it in 1925; became a Fellow of the Andhra University and President of Madras Presidency Muslim League in 1926; presided over All-India Press Employees' Conference held in Calcutta in 1927; thrice nominated Panel Chairman of the Council of State; presided over several Provincial Muslim Conferences; again re-elected to the Council of State in 1930; nominated delegate to the Second Round Table Conference, 1931, to represent Muslims of Madras Presidency; nominated as a delegate to the Railway Board and Reserve Bank Conferences, London, in 1933; leader of the independent party in the Council of State.

Address:—Madras.

Pagar, Dr. Shankerrao Madhavrao, B.A., M.A., Ph. D. (Columbia). Born in 1889.



Educated at the Baroda High School, the New English School, Poona, and the Baroda and Fergusson Colleges; deputed to Europe and America for higher studies in Economics and Public Administration, 1911; graduated B.A. University of Wisconsin (U. S. A.) with Economics in 1914; M. A. in Eco-

nomics and Finance, New York, 1915; Ph. D. with Economics and Finance as major; and Statistics, Finance, Sociology and Politics as minor subjects; Probationer, Revenue Department, Baroda State, 1917; Director of Commerce and Statistics, 1919; Vahivatdar at Karjan, 1920; Vahivatdar Khoratu, 1921; Naib Suba, Dabhol Division 1921; Naib Suba, and Personal Naib Suba, Baroda District, 1922; Pragati Adhikari and Director of Commerce, 1922; Special Duty Officer (Khangi Investment), 1925; Assistant Accountant General, 1928; Pragati Adhikari and Director of Commerce, 1928; Accountant General, 1929; Pragati Adhikari, 1931-1933; Suba, (Collector) Navsari District from 1933 to date. A member of the Investment Committee, Okha Harbour Board, Development Board, Banking Inquiry Committee, also a member on Board of Directors of the T.V. Railway Co., Ltd.

Publications:—(1) "Indian Income-tax, Its History, Theory and Practice," (2) "Wholesale and Retail Prices in Baroda State," (3) "Education in Karjan," (4) "Rural Uplift Work in Mysore," 1931, (5) "Flying Visits," 1934 (A record of visit to Europe).

Address—Baroda.

Palat, Hon. R.M., B.C.L. M.A. (Oxon), Barrister at Law, M.L.C., son of the late Sir C. Sankaran Nair. Born in January, 1890, at Ottapalam, South Malabar. He was educated at New College, Oxford; has two sons; President Malabar District Board; Member, Madras Legislative Council; Re-elected to the Madras Legislative Assembly and was appointed minister, Government of Madras in 1937.

Address—Madras.

Paliwel, Srikrishna Datta, M.A., Sahitya Ratna, Member Indian Legislative Assembly. Born in the year 1893. He was educated at Agra. Married to Sukhdevi. He was a member of the United Provinces Legislative Council from 1923 to 1926; Member of the Congress Cabinet in the Province; Chairman, Agra District Board; President Agra District Congress Committee. He has contributed to several funds and institutions.

Address—Sainik Office, Agra.

Pand, Gobind Ballabh Pandit, M.L.A., and Secretary Congress Parliamentary Board. He is a staunch Congressman and has taken a leading part in the Non-Co-operation Movement, 1921. He organised the Swaraja Party in the United Provinces with the late Pandit Motilal Nehru. He was elected to the U. P. Legislative Council and was the leader of the Swaraja Party and of opposition; took active part in Satyagraha and Civil Disobedience Movements, 1930-32.

Address—Naini Tal, U. P.

Panday, Sorabji Limji, M. B. E., J. P. First Elected President, Matheran Municipality from May, 1934, and Managing Director, Matheran Hill Light Railway since March, 1927. Born on 18th June, 1868, at Bombay, he was educated at St. Xavier's High School, and Fort High School, Bombay; created J. P. in 1908. He has been a Councillor of the Matheran Municipality since 1909, and its elected first non-official President since 1934.

Mr. Sorabji first joined the well-known firm of Messrs. Ritchie Stewart & Co., in 1888, and after amalgamation in 1903 with Messrs. Forbes Forbes, Campbell & Co., Ltd., and on

his father's retirement in 1895, became Head Salesman, and later office superintendent. By completing thirty-eight years personal service, and 100 years continuous family service in the firm, Mr. Sorabji has created a record which, it is doubted, can be equalled anywhere in India. His branch of the Panday family has been called the "Piece-Goods" Family. In 1907 he visited Manchester accompanied by his wife. An address was presented to Mr. Sorabji by Mr. F. J. Bumbury on behalf of Messrs. Forbes, Forbes, Campbell & Co., Ltd., on the occasion of his retirement from the firm on the 11th December, 1926.

Mr. Sorabji L. Panday, one of the oldest and most popular residents of Matheran, has, for more than a quarter of a century, spared neither time nor money for the welfare and advancement of the hill station and has been one of the most prominent figures on the health resort, labouring continuously for the happiness, comfort and convenience of thousands of men, women and children, who flock to the "Daisy of the Hills" for rest and recuperation. He was conferred M. B. E. in 1935.

Address—Matheran, or Matheran Railway Co., 54, Esplanade Road, Fort, Bombay.

Pandit, Anant Chintaman, Pleader and Member, Kolhapur Municipality, comes of a



very distinguished Immidar family of Kunkadi, Ratnagiri District. Born in 1894, he received his education at Private English High School, Kolhapur. He married in 1929 Miss Chandrabai, daughter of Ghugri of Tharla, Kolhapur State, and has one son and two daughters. He started life as a pleader since 1926 at Kolha-

pur and is having a large clientele. He was elected to Kolhapur Municipality in 1935 from the D. ward. He is a young man of very refined character with a good circle of friends in and out of Kolhapur; elected to Urban Bank Limited; Chairman, Light Committee, Municipality, 1937-1938; Chairman Supervising Council, 1937. His father, Chintaman Raoji, was in Kolhapur State Service.

Address—Sukarwar Peth, Kolhapur.

Palacios, Rev. G., Ph. D., D.D., Ph.D. (Columbia), Principal, St. Xavier's College, Bombay. Born in 1891 at Saragoassa, Spain. Educated at Vornola, Spain (Latin, and Greek Literature); Sarria (Philosophy); Valkenburg, St. Louis (Theology); Valencia, Munich, New York and



Porto Rico (Medical Sciences).

Taught Anatomy and Physiology in Colegio S. Jose, Valencia. Joined St. Xavier's College as Professor of Biology, in 1928; Started the teaching of Micro-Biology in the same College in 1932; Principal, since 1933. A Member, Indian Academy of Sciences; Fellow, Bombay University; Member, the Syndicate; Joint-Secretary and Founder of the St. Xavier's College, Gnjoroti Instituto, etc. Did research work on: Leprosy—A Family Disease; Leprosy and Climatic Factors; Microbial Spoilage in Mango

Preservation; Microbial Activities of Soil; Physiology of Indian Nodule Bacteria; A New Micro-Organism of Cajanus Indiens; several biological observations in the forests of India.

Address—St. Xavier's College, Grnickshank Road, Bombay.

Panjabi, K. L., B.A., I.C.S. Born in 1898. He had his education at Elphinstone College, Bombay, London and Gray's Inn, London. Passing the I. C. S. Examination in 1923, he was appointed Assistant Collector at Ahmedabad. He next served at Surat as Assistant Collector; Settlement Officer and Collector from 1924 to 1928. He was appointed Supt. Land Records, Poona, in 1928 and soon became Offg. Settlement Commissioner and Director of Land Records and Inspector

General of Registration. In 1931 he was appointed as Registrar Co-operative Societies, Bombay Presidency. As Settlement Commissioner, he acquired a thorough knowledge of land revenue questions, and as Registrar, Co-operative Societies, has to face a difficult situation owing to economic depression; fond of sports; an outstanding figure in social circles. Appointed Collector, Panch Mahals.

Address—Godhra.

Panditrao, (Rajopadhye) Sardar Ramchandrarao Raghunath Rao, Inamdar



dar and Chairman, Bench of Honorary Magistrates, First Class, Satara, and Honorary Secretary, Sardars and Inamdars Central Association, Satara. Born on 11th June, 1894. Educated at Bhior and Satara High Schools. Married in 1912 with Miss Malutai, daughter of Mr. Kashinathrao Vinayakrao Baidkar of Bhior (two sons and four daughters). Belongs to the Panditrao family, conspicuously known in Maratha History. His forefathers occupied the important post of one of the eight Ministers in the Cabinet formed by the great Maratha ruler, Shivaji. They are the Second Class Sardars of the Deccan and Inamdars of Visapur and Chinchur-Nimb in Satara District. The Panditras are also the High Priests of the Shivaji Family and Dharmadhikaris of His Holiness Shri Shahkaracharya of Shankoshwar and Karwar Poth. Sardar R. R. Panditrao has to his credit manifold activities of public utility:—a Village Munsiff since 1919; Hon. Magistrate since 1920; elected Member, Satara District Local Board and District School Board, 1928-1935, March; at present a nominated Member, D. L. B. He was instrumental in moving a resolution in the District Local Board for free primary education which was adopted by the Board; Hon. Secretary, Sardars and Inamdars Central Association, Satara, for the last fifteen years; also President, Deshnatha Rigvedi Brahmin Sanstha at Satara and one of the Hon. Trustees of the Union Club, Satara; takes a keen interest in the Village Improvement Scheme.

Address:—Mangalwar Poth, Satara City.

Pandya, Ambalal Bapalal, B.A., LL.B., F. R. E. S., Director of Commerce, Industries and Labour; Registrar of Joint Stock Companies and Insurance Companies; Director of Statistics and Controller of Patents and Designs. Born in 1892. He was educated at the Baroda High School, and Baroda College; graduated 1912 with English and French; LL. B., Bombay University, 1914; articled to Mr. C. A. Vakil, Attorney-at-Law, Bombay, 1913-1916; enrolled as advocate, Bombay High Court, 1917; practised as Vakil, 1917-1919; Manager of a joint Stock Company 1919-1922; Business, as merchant and commission agent in Hamburg (Germany), 1922-1925; member, Hamburg Chamber of

Commerce 1923-25; joined Baroda State Service as Assistant Director of Commerce and Industries canvassing for Port traffic, 1926; confirmed 1927; appointed as Director of Commerce, Industries and Labour, 1931; Member and Secretary, Okha Harbour Board, Development Board, Reproductive Works Committee, Committee to consider the extension of electricity in the city, and Conciliation Board for Labour disputes; Secretary, the Banking Inquiry Committee; Member, Hararaji Committee for Railway and P. W. D., the Kalabhavan Advisory Board, Jail Industries Inspection Committee, Medical Stores reorganisation Committee, Stationary Stores Committee, Central Communication Board, Committee for the reorganisation of the Alombe Sadar Fed., Visual Instruction Committee, and Committee on Departmental purchases from the Central jail; State Representative Director on the Andhra Valley Power Supply Company, Ltd., Tata Hydro-Electric Power Supply Company, Ltd., Tapti Valley Railway Company, Ltd., (for some time) and Okha Salt Works, Ltd.

Publications:—"Manual for the Commerce Department," "Manual for the Port Okha," "Brochure on Sankhoda Lacquer Work," "Gandevi and Amroli Wovors' Survey Reports."

Address—Baroda.

Panhale, Raosaheb Shankar Ramchandra, Proprietor "Shankar Ramchandra



and Bros." Furniture Dealer, Merchant and Government Contractor, Poona. Born

on 31st December, 1896. He received his early education in Poona. Married Sonilal, daughter of late Mr. Nanasaheb Tulsiram Karpe and has one son and two daughters. He started his life as a furniture merchant and soon came into prominence by his honesty and intelligence. He is a leader of the Hindu Telu Community. He was President of the Shri Shantaji Maharaj Anniversary of Sudumbra in 1935. As a Member of the Finance Committee of Silver Jubilee Celebration, Poona, he collected a large amount towards its funds. His charities are numerous and the following are worth mentioning. He has donated a big sum to the Bombay Presidency Infants Welfare Society, Poona Branch, and to Silver Jubilee Fund. He was the member of the Coronation Committee of Poona Cantonment Board. In recognition of his service, His Majesty's Government conferred upon him the title of Raosaheb in 1937. (Coronation Day).

Address.—128 Main Street, Poona.

Panka, Sukritdas Siratidas, Member Legislative Assembly and Municipal Commissioner, Bilaspur, C. P. Born on 5th January, 1893. Educated at Kotah. Married on 10th May, 1907, Shrimati Gangubai, and had four children. He started business as brick and forest contractor. Elected to the Legislative Assembly in 1937.

Address.—Kots, Karji Road, Bilaspur, C. P.

Parameswara Aiyar, S. Ulloor.
Rao Saheb, Mahakavi, M. A. B. L.



M. A. B. L. Retired Dewan Peishkar, Trivandrum. Born in June, 1877 at Changanacherry, C. Travancore; graduated at Maharaja's College Trivandrum, with first class honours in Philosophy in 1897; entered Travancore Govt. Service in 1900; became Dewan Peishkar and District Magistrate in

1925; acted for some time as Land Revenue Commissioner and Chief Secretary to Government; was Member, Travancore Historical Relics Preservation Committee and various other Committees; has been connected with the Madras University in various capacities for the past thirty years. He is the foremost living litterateur in Kerala. H. H. the late

Maharaja of Travancore presented him with a gold bangle; H. H. the Maharaja of Cochin with the title of Kavithilaka; and His Highness the present Maharaja of Travancore, with the title of Mahakavi. He is the President of the All-Kerala Literary Academy, the President of the Malayalam Improvement Committee, Cochin, and the Public Literary Committee, Trivandrum. He is the Author of numerous works in prose and poetry in Malayalam. He was awarded the King's Silver Jubilee Medal.

Address.—Retired Dewan Peishkar, Trivandrum, Travancore.

Paralikar, Shridhar Keshav, B. A., LL. B., Pleader and President, Godhra City Municipality (1934). Born on 15th February, 1900. He was educated at Godhra High School, Baroda College and Law College, Bombay. Married on 23rd May, 1926, with Miss Kamalabai, daughter of V. G. Deshmukh, Assistant Currency Officer, Bombay; passed B. A., 1922; LL. B., 1926; served as an Assistant Accountant in the East India Cotton Association, Ltd; commenced practice at Godhra, 1928; elected to Godhra Municipality; 1932. Elected President, Godhra Municipality, 1932, being the first Hindu President since the inception of the Municipality. He is also Secretary, Local Harijan Association and President, Youth League.

Address.—Godhra, District Panchmahals (Guzerat), B. B. and C. I. Railway.

Paranjapye, Vasudeo Parsharam, B.A., LL.B., Pleader, Deogad, District Ratnagiri. Born on 22nd October, 1902. Educated at Aryan Education Society's High School, Bombay, St. Xavier's College and Govt. Law School, Bombay; married in 1927 to Bajubai, daughter of A. J. Karandikar, LL. B., pleader of Dahanu, District Thana, (One daughter). Passed B.A. in 1926; LL. B. in 1929. After serving in the Income-Tax office in Bombay, 1926-29, he commenced practice at Deogad. He is also the chairman of the Deogad Urban Co-operative Bank. A self-made man, he is helping poor students.

Address.—Deogad, Dist. Ratnagiri.

Parekh, Rao Bahadur Motilal L., M.A., LL. B., Divau Baria State. Born on 18th March, 1882. Educated in Government High School, Nadiad, Elphinstone College, and Law College, Bombay. Married Vasantigauri (deceased). Has one son, M. M. Parekh, B.A. (Hons.), B. Sc. (Hons.), B.S.C. (London), A.C. G.I. A Member, Dakore Temple Committee. Published revised edition of "Vallabh Charitra." Made Rao Bahadur in 1-1-1935.

Address.—Dovgad Baria, Baria.

Parikh, Rajratna Giridharilal Dosa-
bhai, B. A., LL. B., Govt. Pleader, High



Court, Baroda. Born of poor parents in 1875 (Falgun Vadya S. Samvat 1931). Educated at Baroda College. Second marriage in 1902 with Cleuchalbai, daughter of Vitthaladas Ravikarni of Vishnagar. (Two sons and one daughter). Started practice at Baroda, 1902; appointed Government Pleader, 1915; General Secretary, Baroda Exhibition of Arts and Industries 1906; nominated Member Baroda Municipality, 1908; Vice-President, Municipality for four years; Director Baroda Co-operative Bank, since its inception in 1912; Chairman of the Co-operative Bank, Baroda, for several years; a nominated Member of Baroda Legislature for several years and now an ex-officio Member; also connected with several institutions in the State; was awarded in 1910 the Rajratna Gold Medal for his valuable services as Government Pleader of the Varishla Court, and Vice-President, Baroda Municipality and in the cause of the Co-operative Movement in the State.

Address—Rajmahal Road, Baroda,
B.B. & C.I. Railway.

Parsons, Lt. Col. Arthur Edward
Broadbent, C. B. E. 1927, D. S. O.; Indian

Political Department; Resident First Class and A.C.C. Baluchistan. Born in 1884; son of Frederick Parsons, Frome, Somerset. Educated at Bradfield College and Exeter College, Oxford; Second Lt. The Sherwood Foresters, 1906; fifty-second Sikh F. F., 1908; served European war, 1914-19; mentioned in despatches; Political Department in 1919; Afghan War, 1919 (despatches O.B.E.); Waziristan operations, 1921-22 (despatches D. S. O.).

Clubs—United Service.

Address—Quetta.

Parakh, Cowasshah Bomanji, B.A.,
LL. B., Advocate, Nagpur, is an out-
standing figure in the public life of the



Central Provinces. He was educated in the St. Francis De Sales High School, and graduated from Bishop College, Nagpur, in 1908. In 1910 he took his Law Degree from Allahabad University. His public activities cover a wide and varied range of usefulness. He has been an elected Member of

the Nagpur Municipal Committee since 1914; was President of the Civil Station Sub-Committee, from 1925-28; and was the President of the Municipal Committee, Nagpur, from 1928 to 1932. He has been a Member of the Provincial Governing Body of the Red Cross Society since 1926. During the Great War he rendered valuable services as Secretary of the Provincial War Board and the District Recruiting Committee. He proved immensely useful as the Secretary of the Silver Wedding Fund and of the Reception Committee for H.E. Royal Highness the Prince of Wales. He rendered very considerable public services during the Influenza Epidemic of 1918. He was President of the Nagpur University Union Society in 1928. He was Member of the first Legislative Council elected after the inauguration of the Reforms, being returned by the Nagpur-eum-Kamptee constituency. He was a Member of the C.P. Legislative Council from the same constituency from 1929-37. He was a Member of important Committees of the Council and has done very valuable work in the C.P. Retrenchment Committee (1930) and the Committee appointed to enquire into the affairs of

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the Amraoti Jail in 1932. He is an elected member of the Executive Council of the Nagpur University since 1936. He is a leading Advocate of the High Court of Judicature, Nagpur.

Address—Nagpur.

Parmar, Chunilal Masingji, alias Babooshet; Banker, Jeweller and Shroff,



Kolhapur. Born in 1910. Was educated at Kolhapur. Married in 1925 to Chantibai, daughter of Keshavji Kalandaji, banker and rice mill owner of Poona, and has one daughter. He belongs to a well-known Jain family of Chandwadi, in Strohi Estate. His father, Masingji, came to Poona at

the age of eleven and after serving under one Krishnaji Welaji for two years, came to Kolhapur. In 1876, he started pearl business

in partnership with his brothers, Achalji and Jayachandji. His was the first Shroff's shop at Kolhapur. His fair and honest dealings with his customers enhanced his reputation among the local merchants. He was vice-president and also president of the Shroff Association for several years. He opened a Girls'



Late Masingji

school at his native place, and expenses on that account were borne by him. Mr. Masingji died in 1934, leaving behind him one son, Chandulal, who is vice-president of Shroff Association. Has donated several sums to various charities, namely, Mahavan, Mahilashram, Palitana, Junagad and Pinjrapoles. He commands a great influence over the local shroffs.

Address—Gujari, Kolhapur.

Parte, Anantrao Balwantrao, L. H. M. S., Manufacturing Chemists and



Tata Oil Mills Agent, Kolhapur. Born on 6th May, 1903. Educated at Kolhapur Vidyaspathi and Rajaram College, Kolhapur. Married in 1932 with Miss Sundrabai Sawant. (One son and one daughter). After education, joined the Secretariat, Bombay, in 1926. Served in the Small Causes

Court, Bombay in 1927; appointed Excise Sub-Inspector, Kolhapur State in 1929; was on the personal staff of H. H. the Maharajah-sahib of Kolhapur in 1930; acted as a representative of the Lipton Ltd. of Bombay in 1931; was organising Scout Officer, Kolhapur State, for two years and later was a tutor to the Prince and Princess of Kapshi Jalagiri; at present, practising as a Homeopathic doctor. He is a fellow of the Theosophical Society, and has studied the International language, Esperanto, and stenography.

Address—Dr. Parte's Laboratory, Willington Road, Kolhapur.

Parulekar, Rao Bahadur Laxman Vishnu, Ex-Member, Bombay Legislative



Council, Government Pleader and Public Prosecutor and President, Ratnagiri Municipality. Born in 1864, at Parula (Ratnagiri Dist.) Educated at Savantvadi High School. Married in 1879 to Miss Savitribai, daughter of Khanolkar of Khanole, Dist. Ratnagiri. (Three sons). Passed Matric, 1882.

Served in the Revenue Department for some time. Passed District Pleader's examination in 1887. Commenced practice at Ratnagiri in 1887. Has been Government Pleader and Public Prosecutor, Ratnagiri since 1911; a member, District Local Board for some time. Is President, Urban Co-operative Bank and Central Co-operative Institute, Ratnagiri. Elected to Bombay Council in 1921; Chairman of the Board of Management of Ratnagiri Mahavidyalaya. Created Rao Sahib, 1916; Rao Bahadur, 1926; Re-elected in 1931.

Address—Ratnagiri.

Parulkar, Rao Bahadur Shivram Balkrishna, Retired Deputy Superintendent



of Police and Hon. Magistrate first Class, Belgaum Cantonment. Born on 16th April 1878, he was educated at Robert Monoy School, and St. Xavier's College, Bombay. Married on 19th February 1919 (Third marriage). Has one son and three daughters. After education he joined the police

department in 1896 and served in various capacities in different districts of Bombay Presidency including C. I. D. Poona. Became Deputy Superintendent in 1923; and retired in 1929. Was awarded with a silver watch by H. E. Lord Sydhonham, Governor of Bombay in appreciation of his work in 1910 in connection with the Jackson murder case. Also has received several other rewards in criminal and political cases for his active services in the department. Appointed Hon. Magistrate in August, 1931. Made Rao Bahadur in 1930.

Address—68, Tilakwadi, Belgaum.

Parulekar, Dr. Narayan Bhikaji.

M. A., Ph.D. Editor "Sakal," Marathi Daily, Poona. Born on 3rd June 1887; educated at Poona; B.A., (Bombay University) 1920; M. A., and Ph. D. degrees at the Columbia University in 1928; by submitting a thesis "Subject and Object in Ethical Judgment." After his return to India he acted as a special correspondent of the "New York World". In 1932 he started "Sakal," a vernacular daily at Poona and weekly in 1933. He is also Director of International Institute of India, started with a view to promote international relations of India. His varied activities are:—Delivered lectures in America on Philosophy, Religion and International Culture; President of Hindustan Association of America, New York Chapter (1926-28); Member of the Editorial Board of Hindustani Student Magazine, New York; contributor to several American papers.

Address—"Sakal" Office, Kaspa Poth, Poona City.

Patagaonkar, Duttatraya Ramchandra. Shroff and jeweller, Kolhapur. Born in 1879.



Educated at Kolhapur. Married Radhabai, daughter of Balvant Vitthal Kudalalkar, shroff of Kagal (three sons). An orphan, Mr. Patagaonkar was brought up by his maternal uncle, Babajee Narayan Shirodkar; started independent business in 1908. A Member of the Shroff Association, he is a life member of Daiwadrya Boarding and has been its auditor for three years. Has contributed to several charities. His sons, Shantaram and Nathamadhav, are assisting him in his business while his other son, Ramnath, is receiving collegiate education. Address—Gujari, Kolhapur.

Pataskar, Hari Vinayak, B.A., LL.B., Advocate, President, Chalisgaon Municipality



and Director, Luxmi Mills, Chalisgaon. Born on 15th May, 1892, at Indapur in Poona Dist.; he was educated at Garud High School, Dhulia, and Fergusson College, Poona. Married on 30th March, 1913, with Miss Varubai, daughter of Bapuji Gopal Tapaswi of Chalisgaon (one daughter). His father, V. V.

Pataskar, was a first class sub-judge in Bom-

bay Presidency. H. V. Pataskar passed Matric in 1910; B.A., 1914; B.L.B., 1916. Practised at Dhulia 1917-1920. Has been practising at Chalisgaon from 1920. He was elected to Chalisgaon Municipality in 1920 and has been its President since 1922; elected to the Bombay Legislative Council in 1926; was Secretary, Bombay Council Coalition Nationalist Party. Is one of the promoters of Saxmi Narayan Weaving and Spinning Mill, Chalisgaon, and its Director from 1922. Belongs to the Congress Nationalist Party for East Khandosh. Also Chairman and President, Chalisgaon Education Society. Was Chairman Reception Committee, Democratic Swaraj Party's Conference at Chalisgaon in 1935. Elected to the Bombay Legislative Assembly in 1937.

Address—Chalisgaon, Dist. East Khandosh.

Patane, Shantinath Tawanappa, Merchant and Commission Agent, Kolhapur.



Born on 2nd Nov. 1910. Was educated at P. E. and Rajaram College, Kolhapur. Married in 1930 with Miss P. T. Patil, daughter of Bapurao Sadalge of Shirguri in Sangli State. His father, Tawanappa, who was a merchant and commission agent at Kolhapur, started a firm under the name and style of "Tawanappa Apparao Patane."

and did good business. He was fair in his dealings with the customers. He donated a big



sum towards erection of the Jain Temple in Shahupuri. He was a self-made man; he had chalked out his line through troubles and poverty. "Honesty" was his motto. He died in 1936. The son, Mr. Shantinath, subject of this life-sketch, after completion of education, joined his father's business.

Besides his business activities, he takes a keen interest in civic affairs. He is a member of the Managing Committee of Merchants' Association for the last six years. Has been a representative in the municipality on behalf of Merchants' Association since 1932.

Address:—Shahupuri, Kolhapur.

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Patel, Dr. Jal R., M.B.B.S. (1923); F.C.P.S. (1932); J.P. (1936). Professor Grant Medical



College, Bombay; Medical Officer, The Fort Gratiotous Dispensary; the Central Bank of India; and the Chartered Bank of India, Australia and China. Born in March, 1902. Educated at Baroda College and

Grant Medical College, Bombay; examiner for the M.B.B.S. of Bombay University, and some time Examiner L.C.P.S. and M.C.P.S. examinations; is a Medical examiner for several insurance companies.

Address—Morvan Building, Sir P. M. Mohta Road, Fort, Bombay.

Patel, Rao Bahadur, Dahyabhai Adarabhai, B.A., Deputy Collector and First



Class City Magistrate, Ahmedabad. Born on 15th July, 1882, at Kanbha, Taluka, South Daskroi Ahmedabad. He became an orphan at the age of six years and was educated by his brother, Jethalal, at New English School and Gujarat College, Ahmedabad. Married Kashigavri, daughter of Chhababhai

Ramdas Patel of Uvansad Taluka, North Daskroi, a school master. (four sons and one daughter). Passed Matric, 1899; B.A. 1903; started life as a teacher in the New English School, Ahmedabad, and later on joined Government Service, 1904; worked as Special Mamlatdar in the Co-operative Department, 1914-1917; was instrumental in collecting tactfully heavy overdues from members of Co-operative Societies on the Nira Canal, Poona District, and organized Grain Banks in the backward tracts of Thana District and also Credit Societies for sugar-cane growers on the Godavari left bank canal in the Ahmednagar District; worked as Chitnis to the Commissioner N.D., Matar and Thasara, and Chitnis and also as Deputy Collector and Personal Assistant to the Collector Kaira,

1917-1925; created Rao Sahab, 1925; Huzur Deputy Collector and City Magistrate, Broach, for seven months. Special Land Acquisition Office for the Loco shops (Fronlandgunj) of the B. B. & C. I. Rly. at Dahod (Panchmahals), 1926; and Deputy Collector in charge Kalol, Halol, Jhalod, and Dohad talukas, 1926; special Deputy Collector for distribution of Tagai in flood affected areas of Kaira District, 1928. Transferred to Surat as Personal Assistant to the Collector at the time of the agitation of the Bardoli peasants against the enhanced land revenue assessments and worked in that capacity for full five years to the entire satisfaction of all his superiors. Was made Rao Bahadur in June, 1933. Worked as Honorary Treasurer of the Surat Hospital Relief Association and was helpful in raising a decent permanent fund of about one lakh of rupees for the hospitals and dispensaries of Surat District. First Class City Magistrate, Surat, from 1-6-33. Member District Local Board, Surat, 1932-1933, and Member, Surat Borough Municipality 1933-34; Life-Member, Sarvajanic Education Society, Surat.

Address—Sarungpur, Chasiram's Street, Khudia, Ahmedabad.

Patel, Kashibhai Umedbhai, Managing Director, Koprani Chemical Co., Ltd., Bombay,



and Sardar Soap and Oil Mill Co., Ltd., Baroda. Born on 18th May, 1904. Received his education privately at Sojitra, Baroda and Bombay. Married Miss Sharda on 5th July, 1923. Member, Industries, Labour and Import-Export Sub-Committees of the Indian Merchants' Chamber, Bombay; Member Managing Committee of the Indian Industries Association, Bombay. Takes keen interest in social and educational activities. He is the Secretary of "Bombay Patidar Mandal."

Address—Chandri Villa, Tejpal Road, Gamdevi, Bombay.

Patel, Rustumjee Sorabjee, Pensioner and General Merchant, Mhow, C. I. Born in 1863 at Surat, he was educated at Mhow and Ludora. Married in 1880 with Miss Soonabai, daughter of Dorabjee N. Patel of Mhow. (One daughter, married to Major Koko Ardeshir Darukhanawala, I. M. S., Mhow). He was brought to Mhow by his adopted father, Sorabjee Dadabhai Patel, at the tender age of nine. After completion of education, entered Government Service in S. and T. Corps; retired from Service as Superintendent, Grass operations and Gardens, 1903; started business as P.W.D. contractor at Mhow, 1906, and has been doing the same for the last twenty-eight years; retired from business in 1932. Has been Secretary, Mhow Parsee Panchayat, and Parsee Montessori School, Mhow. Has given donations to several institutions.

Address—Mhow, (C. I.)

Patil, Vithal Nathu, M.A., (Cantab.); Barrister-at-Law; Fellow Royal Economic Society; Nagai



Practitioner and Member Bombay Legislative Assembly. Born on 21st January, 1902; educated at the Fergusson College, Poona, Fitz-William House and Emmanuel College, Cambridge from 1922-25, and took both parts of the Economic Tripos, while at Cambridge. He was called to the Bar in 1926 and has been practicing at Jalgaon since 1927. He married in 1915, Miss Gitabai, daughter of L. R. Chowdry of East Khandesh. (One son and two daughters). He was elected Member Bombay Legislative Council, 1930-37; Member, Public Accounts Committee. He became Government Pleader and Public Prosecutor in 1932. He has been a nominated member of the District School Board, East Khandesh, since 1931; elected to the Jalgaon Municipality in 1931;

Secretary Hindu Law Research and Reform Association. Elected to the Bombay Legislative Assembly in 1937.

Address—Julgaon, East Khandesh.

Patil, Rao Saheb, Bhika Durga. Banker and landlord and President, Savda Municipality. Born on 16th August 1891, he was educated at Savda. Second marriage with Miss Virjabai (four daughters). Belongs to Iowa Patidar family of Savda. Lost his father while a baby of nine months. After completion of his education he was, at the age of twenty-one, elected to Savda Municipality and has been there for the last twenty-four years. Has been the President of the municipality for the last fifteen years. A Nominated Member, Taluka Local Board for two years. An elected member, Kaver Taluka Local Board for sixteen years and its elected President for eleven years. He was an elected Member, Dist. Local Board for twelve years and Dist. School Board for ten years. Appointed Hon. Magistrate 1932. Chairman Taluka Agricultural Development Association and its Vice-President for six years and a Member, District Agriculture Association, East Khandesh for seven years. Also President of institutions of Iowa Patidar Community. Awarded a certificate of merit for Influenza work. Crowned Rao Saheb in January, 1933.

Address—Savda, Dist. East Khandesh,
G. I. P. Ry.

Patil (Mane), Ramchandra Rao Shamrao, B.A., LL.B., F.R.S.S.; F.R. Meen.



S. B.L.S. Born in 1890, he was educated at Sangli High School, Sangli, and Rajaram College, Kolhapur; won Alfred Scholarship; graduated (B.A.), Bombay University with

History and Economics Second Class honours in 1911 from the Deccan College, Poona; and won the Candy Prize in Sanskrit; LL.B., with honours, 1914; joined Baroda service as probationer, Judicial Department, 1915; appointed Vahivadar, Vaghodia, 1917; Sidhpur, 1918; deputed to Europe for higher studies in Economics, Administration and Politics, 1919; studied at the London School of Economics; visited Denmark, Sweden and Norway and studied there the work of reorganising and consolidation of small and scattered agricultural holdings; visited Germany, Holland, Switzerland, Italy, and France for the same work, 1920-21; returned to India 1921; Vahivadar, Pollad 1921; Asst. Political Secretary, 1922; Assistant to the Ministers, 1922; on deputation in the Punjab, to study consolidation of small holdings and the Revenue Administration of the Province, 1923-24; Naib Suba, Kadi Division, 1924; Pollad Division, 1924-25; Chief Assistant to the Ministers, 1925; Commissioner, Okhamandal and Commandant of the Okha Battalion, 1926; Chief Secretary to the Government, 1927; Suba, Mehsana District, 1927; transferred as Chief Secretary to Government, 1928; Suba, Baroda District, 1928; appointed Huzur Kandar, 1930; worked as Khangi Karbhari, 1930; worked as Chief Officer and Secretary to His Highness the Maharaja Sahib's 20th Europe trip, 1930-31; Huzur Kandar, 1931; worked as Karma Sachiv twice; Khangi Karbhari and Suba, Baroda District in addition to Huzur Kandar's duties, 1931; Huzur Kandar and worked as Chief Officer and Secretary to His Highness the Maharaja Sahib's 21st Europe trip, 1932. It is generally admitted that Mr. Patil is the very pink of courtesy, and that his learning, ability and efficiency have won for him the regard and esteem of all who have come in contact with him; was awarded gold medal of Rajatan order in recognition of devoted and loyal public services, 1933. Appointed Accountant-General in 1935.

Publications: "Consolidation of Small and Scattered Agricultural Holdings in the Various Countries of Europe," "Land Administration in the Punjab," "The Journey to Europe," "Sita" (A Novel in Marathi)."

Address—Baroda.

Patil, Vitthal Sitarām, B.A., LL.B., Pleader and Chairman, District School Board, Belgaum. Born in 1902. Educated at Sardar's High School, Belgaum, and Deccan College, Poona. Passed Matric 1922; B.A., 1926; LL.B., 1929. Commenced practice at Belgaum in 1929. His public activities are varied: a Member School Board of D.T.B. 1929—1933; A Member, Belgaum Municipality for three years; Chairman, District School Board 1933-1936. An elected member, District Local Board, topping the polls in 1936. Also a Member, District Maratha Association.
Address—Collego Road, Belgaum.

Patil, Raosaheb Premchand Ichharam, Landlord and Banker Managing



Agents, the Great Social Life and General Assurance Co., Ltd. President, Taluka Local Board and Vice-President, Savda Municipality. Born on 20th October, 1897, he was educated at Savda, Jalgaon and Bombay. He married in 1910, Miss Narmadabai. Has been an elected Member, Savda Municipality from 1920; an elected Member Raver Taluka Local Board 1924-1930; has been an elected President, Raver Taluka Local Board from 1931; a member, District Local Board, District School Board and Raver Agricultural Development Association. Appointed as Village Munsiff 1926; Created Raosaheb 1933. During the influenza epidemic in 1918, he helped the poor and sick. He has been assisting students of his community by giving scholarships. Was President, Lova Shikshan Sank Sangh. Also supported the A. V. School, Savda, 1925-1928; takes a keen interest in the industrial development of the country and removal of untouchability. A Director, East Khandesh Co-operative Land Mortgage Bank Ltd.; was a member D. L. B. School Board and Raver Agricultural Development Association. Proceeded to England in 1937 for further studies in Insurance and Mercantile lines.

Address—Savda, Dist. East Khandesh.
(G.I.P. Ry).

Patil, Vishvanath Tukaram, B. A., L.L.B., President, Kolhapur City Municipality,



Kolhapur. Born on the 15th July, 1902. Educated at Kolhapur and Bombay. Married Miss Kamalabai D. Patil in 1927. Passed B.A. in 1927 and L.L.B. in 1929. Has been Assistant Public Prosecutor from 1930. Elected Chairman of the School Board of Tinkha Panchayat from 1930. Elected Councillor of Kolhapur Municipality in 1932. Elected Chairman of the Managing Committee of the Municipality in 1932 for one year, and since 1933 is the elected President of the Kolhapur City Municipality. Elected Secretary of the Maratha Mandal and the Editor of "Tudhari" weekly and also founder of the Shri Shalini Raje Ladies' Club, of Kolhapur, and many other institutions.

Address—Sykes Extension, Kolhapur.

Patil, Vishnu Hari, Landlord and Banker and Chairman, Savda Municipality. Born on 29th July 1905, he was educated at Savda A. V. School and New English School, Jalgaon. He married in 1917 Miss Draupadibai, daughter of Ganpatrao D. Chaudhari of Faizpore. (One son and three daughters). After completion of his education, he was elected to Savda Municipality, 1925, and since has been its member. Has been the Municipal Chairman for the last five years. Has been an elected Member, Raver Taluka Local Board from 1930 and its Vice-President, 1935. Also a Member, Taluka Development Agricultural Association for five years; a Member, District Local Board, 1935; President, "Lova Education Union" formerly known as "Lova Shikshan Sank Sangh," started in 1921, for the education of the boys of Lova Patidar Community of East Khandesh; has given a donation of Rs. 10,000 in memory of his late brother Fakira Hari which is utilized for running the "Fakira Hari Lova Boarding House" at Jalgaon; has been a Director, Great Social Life and General Assurance Co., Ltd., Jalgaon; has been taking keen interest in industry and commerce.

Address—Savda, Dist. East Khandesh.
(G.I.P. Ry.)

Patil, Narhar Rajaram, M.L.A., Landlord and Merchant and Member Bombay Legislative Assembly. Born on 3rd September, 1910. Educated at G.S. High School, Jalgaon and Ferguson College, Poona. Married in 1931 with Miss Bugabai, daughter of Keshav Narayan



Patil of Tonda (E. Khandesh). One son and two daughters. He was adopted by Rajaram Patil two years ago. After education up to Inter, he contested and won the election to the Bombay Legislative Assembly in 1937 from Chopda Taluka (E. Khandesh, West Constituency). His father, Nathu Patil, who is a Police Patel at Khardi, has built a Dharamshala at Chavalkheda. They possess a cattle-breeding farm which obtained a prize at Asoda Exhibition.

Address—Khardi, Post Adwad, Taluka Chopda, District E. Khandesh.

Patil, (Chiparikar), Jinagonda Dada,
B.A., LL.B. Joint Second Class Sub-Judge



and First Class Special Magistrate, Jaysingpur. Born in 1901. Educated at Rajaram High School and College, Kolhapur, and Willingdon College, Sangli, and Ferguson College, Poona; married in 1923 with Miss Marudavi, daughter of Balgonda Patil of Bhoj in Chikodi Taluka (two sons and one

daughter); passed Matric in 1920; B.A. 1926; LL.B. in 1930; started practice at Kolhapur in 1931; appointed Joint Second Class Sub-Judge at Jaysingpur on 15th October, 1936.

Address—P.O. Jaysingpur, Kolhapur.

Patil, Pandurang Vitthal, District
Pleader Santa Cruz. Born 10th April 1876.



Educated at B. J. High School, Thana and Bhavo School, Poona. Second marriage in 1909 with Mirabai, daughter of Garu of Kumbholi, Palghar Taluka. (One son from first wife, one son and three daughters from second wife). Belongs to Vanjari Community which is one of the backward communities in point of education. Commenced education at the age of twelve, and thanks to his grim determination, he could pass his school Final Examination in 1895; served in a Solicitor's Firm on Rs. 20 per month; joined Customs Department and studied law; passed the District Pleaders' examination 1903; started practice at Bandra and is at present one of

the leading Criminal practitioners in the Districts of Thana and Kolaba; was a member Bandra Municipality for eighteen years; a member of the Managing Committee, Poddar High School, Santa Cruz and Santa Cruz Residents' Association; has been giving right kind of education to his relatives and children. One of his daughters is studying at G. S. Medical College, Bombay. A self-made man, Mr. Patil is very popular in the District.

Address—Santa Cruz, B. B. & C. I. Railway.

Patkar, Sitaram Sunderrao, B.A.,
LL.B., Chancellor, Indian Women's Univer-



sity and Retired Judge High Court, Bombay. Born on 16th May, 1873; married Shantabai. Educated at Elphinstone High School and Elphinstone College; began practising as a Pleader, High Court, Appellate Side in 1897; was appointed Government Pleader in 1913 and continued as such till July 1926; selected in November, 1923,

Member of the Indian Bar Committee appointed by Lord Reading, which made its report in February, 1924; and resulted in the enactment of the Indian Bar Councils Act of 1926; appointed Additional Judge, Bombay High Court in July, 1926, and confirmed as permanent Judge, November, 1926; appointed to act as officiating Chief Justice in June, 1931; retired in 1933; elected Vice-chancellor of the Indian Women's University in July, 1931; elected Chancellor of the Indian Women's University, July, 1932; appointed by the Bombay Government in November, 1933, to make an inquiry on their behalf under Section 518 of the Bombay Municipal Act 1888, into the complaint of the Bombay Port Trust against the Bombay Municipality as regards the liability of the latter to lay water mains in the Port Trust estate; appointed in January, 1935, as an Umpire in the Wage Cut Dispute between the Ahmedabad Millowners' Association and the Ahmedabad Textile Labour Association; appointed in March, 1935, by the Governor-General as President of the Commission to inquire into the election petition by Mr. Huseinbhai Laljee against Mr. Ahmed Jaffer elected to the Legislative Assembly by the Bombay Central Division (Mahomedan Rural) Constituency; appointed as President of the Coochin Port Arbitration Tribunal by the Government of India in February, 1936.

Address—Hughes Road, Chowpaty,
Bombay.

Pattabiramaya, Rao Bahadur Tadepalli, B.A. (1894), B.L. (1902); Legal Advisor to the Vizianagaram Estate under Court of wards. Born in 1874 at Madras. He was educated at Puelnyappa College and Law College, Madras. Married and has three daughters. Enrolled in 1907 as High Court Vakil, Madras and as Advocate, 1926; was Govt. Pleader and Public Prosecutor from 1922-31; was member Orissa Franchise Committee to represent the interest of the Telugus in Orissa Provinces. Conferred the title of Rao Bahadur in 1932.

Address—Vizianagaram Estate, Vizagapatam.

Patwardhan, Shrimant Vinayakrao Shripatrao, Saranjamdar, Miraj.—

Born on 5th September 1902. Educated at Miraj and Sangli High School, Deccan, and Willingdon College. Married in June, 1922, with Miss Durgabai, daughter of Rao Bahadur K. V. Sharangpani, Retired High Court Judge of Baroda. (Four sons and three daughters). Belongs to the family of the second son of Harbhat Baba Patwardhan, Saranjam, and inam estates were granted to the family between 1750 and 1800 by the Peshwa's Government as a consideration for their military and political services to the Maratha Kingdom, along with the other Patwardhan Chiefs.

Address—Miraj Fort, S.M.C.

Pavry, Dasturji Saheb Cursetji Erachji, First High Priest of the Parsi Sect



(Reform Section) of the Parsis in Bombay, elected, 1920; Order of Merit from the Shah of Persia, 1929; elected Honorary Member of the Hungarian (Oriental Society, 1930; received Congratulatory Addresses from six of the world's foremost scientific and learned societies, including the Societe d' Ethnographie de Paris, 1931-1933;

presented on 9th April 1934, with a commemoration volume, comprising essays and researches on Oriental languages, literature, history, philosophy, and art by seventy eminent scholars from seventeen different countries, and published in England by the Oxford University Press. Born 9th April, 1859; three sons and three daughters. Education: public and private schools, Navsari. Ordained into Zoroastrian priesthood 1871; first

Principal of the Zond-Pahlavi Madressa (Zoroastrian Theological Seminary) at Navsari, appointed, 1889; High Priest of the Parsis at Lonavla, elected 1912; founder and Trustee of the Bazme Jashane Ruze Hormazd (Society for the Propagation of Zoroastrian Knowledge); also trustee of the Mullan Anjuman Behetari Fund (Foundation for the betterment of the Zoroastrian Community). Publications: "Rah-e Zarathoshti," (A Zoroastrian Catechism); Bombay, 1901, second ed. 1931; "Tarikate Zarathoshti," (Zoroastrian Ceremonials), Bombay 1902, second ed. 1932; "Vaaze Khurshed" (Lectures and Sermons on Zoroastrian Subjects); Bombay, 1904; "Resal-hao Khurshed" (Essays and Addresses on Zoroastrian Subjects), Parts 2, 3, Bombay, 1917, 1921; "Zarathoshti Sahitya Abhyas" (Zoroastrian Studies), Parts 1, 2, Bombay, 1922, 1928; "Iranian Studies", Bombay, 1927; many articles in Gujarati newspapers and journals on Zoroastrian subjects.

Address—Sunama House, Malabar Hill, Bombay, India.

Pavry, Jal Dastur C., M. A., Ph. D., Orientalist and Author. Born on 27th November, 1899. Educated at Elphinstone College, 1916-18; St. Xavier's College, 1918-20; B. A., with Honours, Bombay University, 1920; Fellow of St. Xavier's College and of Mullah Firoz Madressa, 1920-21; M. A., and Ph. D. with Distinction, Columbia University, New York, 1922 and 1925 respectively; Fellow



of the Columbia University, 1924-25; Travelled extensively in Europe and America, 1925-26; Appointed University Examiner in Avesta and Pahlavi on return to India in 1926; went to England in 1927 on a scholarly and religious mission; delivered numerous public lectures at various centres of learning in England and in fourteen other countries on the Continent, 1927-30. Upon the establishment in London of the Zoroastrian House with the Hall of Prayer, and the completion of the scholarly work in England, returned to India in November, 1930. Delivered a number of public lectures in Bombay and various other centres of learning in Northern India in 1931. Visited Europe again in 1932, for the completion of a literary project. Received in audience by Signor Mussolini in Rome, May, 1934. Returned to Bombay from London overland in October, 1934, after visiting Russia, Persia, and

Afghanistan. Received in audience by the Shah of Persia in Teheran, August, 1934, and by the King of Afghanistan in Kabul, September 1934. Chairman of the Religious Section, Inter-Collegiate Club (International House), New York (1921-25); Hon. Treasurer, Hindustani Association of America (a nationwide organization), New York (1921-25); Editor of the "Hindustani Student," New York (1921-25). Member of Council of the Foreign Universities' Information Bureau, University of Bombay (1926-29), of the Mulia Firoz Madressa (since 1926); of the World Conference for International Peace through Religion (since 1928), of the Society for Promoting the Study of Religions (London since 1930), of Columbia University Club of London (since 1930), and of China Oriental Institute (since 1931). Member of the International Committee of the All-Inclusive Spiritual Center at Geneva (since 1928), of the Association des Mossages (Paris, since 1933), and of the Institute of Hyperphysical Research (New York, since 1933). Delegate to the World Conference for International Peace through Religion (Geneva, 1928), to the Seventeenth International Congress of Orientalists (Oxford 1928), to the Fifth International Congress for the History of Religion (Lund, 1929), to the First Historical Congress (Bombay, 1931), and to the Second Empire Congress of Religions (London, 1937); President of Columbia University Club of Bombay (since 1931); Member of the Royal Asiatic Society of Great Britain, of the American Oriental Society, and various other learned Societies.

Publications: "The Zoroastrian Doctrine of a Future Life." (New York, 1926); "The Teaching of Zarathushtra" (Bombay, 1926); "Yashto Vadardegan, or the Zoroastrian Sacraments and Ordinances" (Bombay, 1927); edited the volume of "Oriental Studies in Honour of Qureshi Kraschi Pavry," being the work of seventy eminent scholars from seventeen different countries (London, 1934); "The Life and Teachings of Zoroaster" (London, 1934); "Spiritual Unity of Mankind" (Paris, 1934); "Parsee Religion and World Peace" (New York, 1934); and numerous articles on Oriental Subjects and World Peace in popular and scientific journals.

Address—Malabar Hill, Bombay.

Pavry, Miss Bapsy, M. A., Author and Literateur. Born on 25th Dec., 1906. Educated



at Queen Mary High School, and St. Xavier's College, Bombay; M. A., with distinction, Columbia University, New York. Visited England every year since 1924. Travelled extensively in America, 1925. Presented at Their Majesties' Court in 1928. Travelled extensively in Europe, 1926, 1928, and 1934.

Delegate to the Geneva Conference for Peace through Religion, 1928. Visited Rome, and was received in audience by Signor Mussolini, May, 1934. Made the overland journey from London to Bombay to visit Russia, Persia and Afghanistan. Received in audience by the Shah of Persia in Teheran, August, 1934, and by the King of Afghanistan in Kabul, in September 1934. Member of Committee of Charity Balls held in London in 1928-34, and in the presence of members of the Royal Family, in aid of the League of Mercy, St. George's Hospital, Mount Vernon Cancer Hospital, Lord Mayor and Viceroy's Indian Earthquake Fund, Royal Northern Hospital, Dockland Settlement, University College Hospital, Victoria Hospital for Children, Princess Beatrice Hospital, Plaistow Maternity Hospital, National Society of Day Nurseries and Institute of Medical Psychology. Member of the Primrose League of Great Britain, British League of Mercy, British Federation of University Women, British Indian Union, International Theatre Society of London, also of the Bombay Work Guild, and of several other Associations and Societies.

Publications: "The Heroines of Ancient Persia", "Stories Retold from the Shahnama of Firdausi" (Cambridge, 1930); and many articles on Iranian subjects in popular and scientific journals.

Address:—Sunama House, Malabar Hill, Bombay.

Pawar, Dr. Appasaheb Ganapatrao, M. A., LL. B. (Bombay); Ph. D. (London);

Pawar, Murarsa Yegusa, Yarn, Silk-Dyes, and Timber Merchant and Forest,



Barrister-at-Law, Professor of History and Economics, Rajaram College, Kolhapur, was born on 5th May, 1906. He was educated at Chintamanrao High School, Shahapur, and Rajaram College, Kolhapur. He married in May 1936, Miss Sushila, daughter of late Balvantrao Shinde, a leading merchant of Kolhapur. He passed Matric in 1924; B.A. 1928; M.A. 1930, LL. B. 1931. Being favoured by the kind patronage of the royal family at Kolhapur, particularly of S. S. Akkasahib Maharaj, he proceeded to England for higher studies in 1931 and took Ph. D. Degree in 1934; returned to India in August 1935; was called to the Bar from Middle Temple in February, 1936; he was appointed Professor of History and Economics at the Rajaram College, Kolhapur, in November, 1935. He takes keen interest in the social and educational activities in the State, and is connected with almost all the Institutions and Associations in one way or the other.

Address—Shahupuri, Kolhapur.



Contractor, Hubli (Dist.) Dharwar. Born in 1891. Educated at Hubli. (Five sons and four daughters). Comes of a respectable family and is one of the leading Panchas of his Community. He is the Chairman S. S. Kshatriya Co-operative Credit Society Ltd., Hubli, 1926-1936 and also the Vice-Chairman S. S. Kshatriya Vidya Vardhak Sangh. He has been an elected Municipal Councillor for the past six years and is the Chairman Hubli Municipal Market Committee and Vice-Chairman School Board Committee, Hubli.

His eldest son, Ramachandrasa, who manages the yarn and timber shop is an enthusiastic worker in the cause of public activities, striving hard for the uplift of the poor. He is the Secretary of the S. S. Kshatriya Youth League; and Member Kshatriya Free Library and Debating Society, Hubli.

Address—Hubli, (Dist.) Dharwar.

Pereira, R. G., Managing Partner, Messrs. P. X. Pereira and Sons, Madras, is the son of



late Mr. F. X. Pereira. Born on 21st May, 1893 at Tuticorin, and belongs to Indian Christian Bharatha. He was educated at St. Benedict's College, Colombo. Married and has four children. General Importers, Indent Agents, Manufacturers' Representatives, Agents, Scindia Steam Navigation Co., Ltd., in different ports. Partners in the associated firm of Narottam and Pereira Ltd., Colombo; President, The Bharatha Union, Madras.

Address—7/8, Melban Street, G. T. Madras.

Pereira, J. E. A., Partner in charge of Quilon Office of P. X. Pereira & Sons and Director, Messrs. Narottam and Pereira Ltd., Bombay and Colombo, founded in 1889 by late Mr. F. X. Pereira. Messrs. F. X. Pereira & Sons occupy to-day a pre-eminent place among the more successful Indian business houses. The activities of the firm are many and varied and they enjoy a reputation for integrity and fair dealings equalled by few. In Colombo, besides conducting one of the most popular departmental stores, the firm are the sole accredited agents for a good number of British, Continental, American, and Japanese manufacturers and exporting firms. They command very good influence particularly among Indian and Ceylonese merchants. Besides Colombo, the firm has offices at Tuticorin, Quilon, Trivandrum and

Colachel, and have recently opened one at Madras under the direction of Mr. R. G. Pereira of the partners. They are the agents of the Scindia Steam Navigation Co., Ltd., at the following four ports—Tuticorin, Quilon, Trivandrum, and Colachel. Their activities on the Indian side include steamer agency, general insurance work, import and distribution of the manufactured goods from abroad, export of the Indian produce, fibre, senna and mineral sands such as Ilmenite, Monazite, Zircon, etc. They are also agents for Messrs. Narottam Ltd., Bombay and Rangoon. An associated concern of theirs is Messrs. Narottam, Ltd., having offices at Bombay, Colombo, and Galle, and doing the business of bunkering coal to steamers, forwarding and wharfage work, landing and shipping, stowdoring, etc. The company is a private limited concern registered at Bombay. All the partners of the firm hail from Tuticorin where they fill a most honoured and important place both on account of their business interests and their social position. They have always taken a leading part in public life and given their best for social service. They are large supporters of charitable and educational institutions. They are known for their philanthropy and social and public work in Tinnevely, Ramnad and Madura Districts and in Travancore.

Address—Quilon.

Perry, Edward William, C. I. E., B. A. (Cantab); I. C. S., Secretary Revenue Depart-



ment, Government of Bombay. Joined I.C.S. in 1905 and served in the Bombay Presidency as Assistant Collector and Magistrate. Collector of Bombay suburban district, 1925-1926; of Bombay in 1927; Private Secretary to H. E. the Governor of Bombay in 1927, and was subsequently appointed Assistant

Secretary to the Indian Statutory Commission; officiating Director of Information and Commissioner of Labour, Bombay, in 1933; Joint Secretary to the Government of India, Departments of Industry and Labour; he was Collector of Nasik before he took up the present appointment.

Address—Secretariat, Bombay.

Petigara, Khan Bahadur Kavasji Jamshedji, C.I.E. Born on 24th November, 1877. Married Avambai, daughter of Mr. Jhangirshaw Ardesir Tuleyarkhan. Was

educated at Surat and Bombay. Started career as Sub-Inspector of Police in Bombay City C.I.D. and gradually went through all grades of the City C.I.D.; was promoted to Indian Police Service in 1928 and has since been Deputy Commissioner of Police in charge of Special Branch of the Bombay C.I.D. Received medal of the Royal Victorian Order from H. M. the King-Emperor, 1912; created Khan Sahib, 1912; Khan Bahadur, 1916; Kaiser-i-Hind Medal, 1st Class, 1923; appointed Justice of the Peace, 1924; Companion of the Imperial Service Order, 1926; appointed Officer of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, 1931; C.I.E., 1933.

Address—Bandra.

Petrie, Sir David, C.I.E., C.V.O., C.B.E., Chairman, Public Service Commission, India, since August, 1932. Born in 1879 and educated at Aberdeen University; entered Indian Police in 1900 and was Assistant Director, C.I.D., Simla, from 1911-12; special duty with Home Department, 1915-1919; on special duty with I.L.R.II. the Duke of Connaught, 1921; on staff of I.L.R.II. the Prince of Wales, 1921-22; Senior Superintendent of Police, Lahore; Member of the R. Commission on Public Services, 1923; Director, Intelligence Bureau, Home Department, Government of India, 1924-31; appointed Member, Public Service Commission, India, April, 1931. Chairman, Indian Red Cross Society and St. John Ambulance Association, and Chief Commissioner for the Empire of India of St. John Ambulance Brigade Overseas; Knight of Grace of St. John of Jerusalem, 1933.

Address—c/o Floyds Bank, Bombay.

Pillanna, D. K., Director, Mysore Insurance Company Ltd., Bangalore. Educated at



Central College, Bangalore. Sacrificing an official career for his zeal in business enterprise, chose to chalk out an independent line for himself; one of the founder-directors of the Mysore Insurance Company Ltd., whose spectacular progress has been in no small measure due to his untiring efforts also. Partner, Messrs

Kanteerava & Co., Insurance Consultants and General Agents and Managing Agents of the Mysore Insurance Co., Ltd., Bangalore City.

Address—Bangalore.

Pitale, Motilal Chandanmal, Landlord and Commission Agent, Ahmednagar. Born



on 7th September, 1901. Educated at Ahmednagar Education Society's High School, Ahmednagar. Married in 1922 with Miss Rahimbi, daughter of Motilal Kishandas Munoth of Panvel. His father, late Chaudanmal who was a prominent landlord of Ahmednagar, was adopted into the Pitale family which has been there for the last 150 years. After studying up to Matric, Motilal, joined his family business, 1923. He has been Secretary of the Local Mahavir Mandal for several years; also a treasurer, Local Ayurvedic Vidyadaya; worked as Superintendent, Jain Boarding for two years; was Secretary of Oswal Panchayat, Ahmednagar, and attended the Jain Svetamber Conferences at Bombay and Malkapur.

Address—Ahmednagar.

Pope, Major-General Sydney Boxton,

D.S.O., 1916, C.B. 1930; Legion de Honneur (France) 1917; D. A. and Q. M. G. Southern Command, Poona. Born on 9th February 1872. Married in 1925 to Dorothy Ashby Daniel. Educated at St. Paul's School and Christ's College, Cambridge. Joined 18th Royal Irish, 1901; 58th Rifles F. F. 1904; N. W. Frontier of India, 1908; Staff College, 1914; Great War, France, 1914-18; Palestine, 1918-19; Brevet of Lt.-Colonel, 1919; Commandant, 49th Hyderabad Regiment, 1924; Commanded Bannu Brigade, 1926; Razmak Brigade, 1929; Major General, 1930; D. A. and Q.M.G., S. Command, 1934.

Address—Poona.

Pohoomull Bros., (India).—The name which is well-known throughout the world for its great commercial enterprise, commanding numerous branches all round the globe, was established eighty years ago by an industrious and enterprising individual named Mr. Pohoomull. He started the work with a very small capital, which has ever since developed through years and decades. The business is a private family concern which has passed through the hands of different members of the family who have all contributed their might and brain for its growth and fame with its manifold activities in jewellery, silks, curios, carpets, etc.

The business has thus passed from one generation to another and is at present conducted by three pillars of the firm, namely (1) Rai Bahadur Seth Naraindas Pohoomull, (2) Seth Lokumal Sahijram, and (3) Seth Kishinchand Lekhray. It is very ably managed by the above three magnates and their contribution to the present reputation of the firm is not small.



Rai Bahadur Seth Naraindas Pohoomull, the senior of the firm, is well read and widely travelled throughout the world, is a well-known collector of curios, and a patron of arts and crafts; has visited almost all the important Shrines of the East; a keen business man; has a large following and formidable circle of admirers; lives and moves about like a popular Indian potentate. Among his manifest gifts is a Women's Dispensary and Maternity House

conducted at Hyderabad (Sind). Has been recently awarded Sword and Honour of distinction by the Government of Sind for his services to his community. He is also an Honorary Magistrate.

Seth Lokumal Sahijram, Cousin of Seth Naraindas and partner in the firm of Messrs.



Pohoomull Brothers (India), is a keen business man; widely travelled in Africa and Egypt. Generally attends the Head Office of the said firm at Hyderabad (Sind) and very efficiently directs the operations of the numerous branches from that small city, but creditably a central place of Sind Work World.

Seth, Kishinchand Lekhray, the youngest of the three pillars and partners of Messrs. Pohoomull Bros. (India). Born in July, 1900. Educated at Hyderabad (Sind). Entered business in 1920. Laying aside the dignity of his great heritage, he worked in ordinary capacity at Pohoomull Brothers (Bombay) 1, and after gaining experience, worked as Manager there. After his father's demise in 1925, he joined his cousins as partner of the firm. Is a keen business man;

supervises the firm's branches in India, Africa, China, and Japan; widely read; earnest devotee; visited almost all the shrines of note; well-known Sanatanist. He is President of Sanatan Sabha at Hyderabad (Sind); religious minded



Seth Kishinchand Lekhraj.

and of charitable disposition; amongst his manifest gifts is the very big and comfortable Dharamsala at Hyderabad, lately built for the benefit of numerous travellers visiting the City.

Address—275, Hornby Road, Bombay.

Pradhan, Rao Bahadur Gopalrao

Vaman, B.A., LL.B., Legal Practitioner and Ex-Member, Bombay Legislative Council. Born on 3rd May 1885, he had his education in Nasik and Bombay. He became Hon. Asst. to Government Pleader, Nasik, in 1911; Asst. Public Prosecutor, Nasik, 1914-15; District Government Pleader and Public Prosecutor, Nasik, since 1915. He has been President of G.K.P., Mandal, Nasik District and of Widow Remarriage Association, Nasik. He is an enthusiastic worker in the cause of social, educational and political reform and there is no institution in Nasik with which he is not connected in one way or other. To enumerate a few, he is Hon. Secretary, Nasik District Medical Relief Association; Member, Nursing Association, Civil Hospital, Nasik; Advisor of the Nasik branch of the Poona Seva Sadan; Member of the Managing Body of the New English School, Nasik, etc., etc. He took active part in starting the Hansraj Praggi College at

Nasik. He is President, Boy Scouts' Association, Nasik, as well as President of the Governing Body of the New English School, Mammad. He has been for some time a member of the Local Board, Nasik, and its Vice-President. He was a member and sometime President of the City Municipality, Nasik. He was made Rao Bahadur in 1924. Address—Nasik.

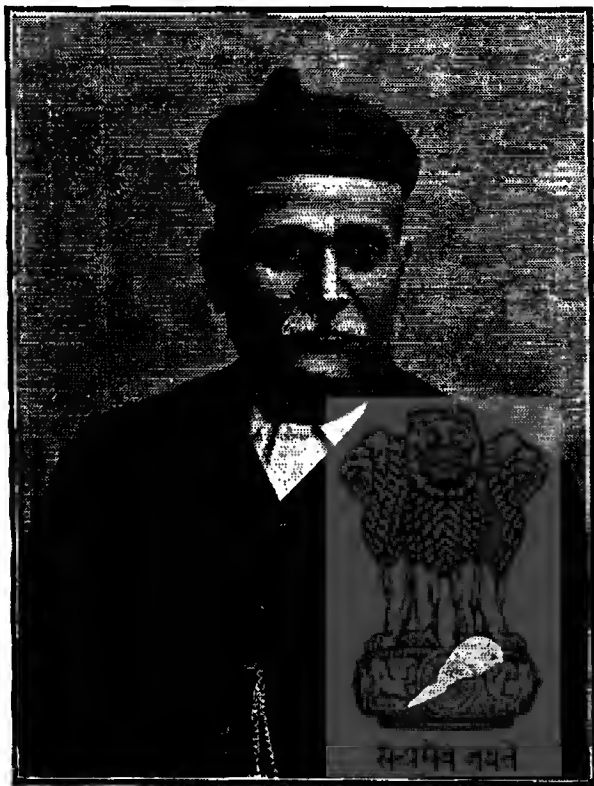
Pradhan, Sir Govindrao Balvant, Kt., B.A., LL.B., Advocate (O.S.), High Court



Bombay. Born in May, 1874, he was educated at B. J. High School, Thana, Kiphinstone College, and Government Law College, Bombay. His father, who was a Mamlatdar at Kalyan, died in 1881 when Sir Govindrao was only seven years of age. A self made man, the future Finance Member of the Government of Bombay had to borrow Rs. 10/- from a private woman at a very high rate of interest for buying spectacles. He commenced practice in Thana Courts with the pargana, which was a marriage gift to him by one of his friends. Thanks to his keen intellect and quick grasping capacity, his career was so successful that he superseded all his seniors and got an appointment in 1907, of Public Prosecutor for Kolaba at the instance of the then District Judge, Dr. F. N. D'Souza, which place he resigned in 1920. For nearly twenty years he was a member of the Thana Municipality, for several years its Vice-President, and for seven years its elected President. He was a member of the District Local Board, Thana, for three years and elected to the Bombay Legislative Council in 1924, and re-elected in 1926 by the Thana and Bombay Suburban Districts Non-Mahommedan Rural Constituency. He was Minister of Forest and Excise from 1927-28, and was appointed Finance Member to the Government of Bombay in 1928, which place he had to give up as a result of retrenchments made in the service, 1932. Knighted in June 1931.

Address—Balvant Bag, Thana.

Popat Prabham, Pranacharya I.M. & S. (1898); J.P. (1901); F.P.A.C. (1922); private medical Practitioner; Principal, The Prabhuram Ayurvedic College; Dean, Dr. Popat University of Ayurveda; and Proprietor, Prabhuram Anant Pharmacy. Born on 1st July, 1866, he was



educated at Grant Medical College, Bombay. Married and has two sons, (1) Dr. Ratilal, A.A.M.S., (2) Dr. Pratapkumar, G. P. A. C. He was Chief Medical Officer of the Porbunder State, 1894-1913; Superintendent of the Prabhuram Ayurvedic College, 1896-1914. Is President of Bombay Vaidya Sabha since 1916; Medical Officer, Ayurvedic Hospital, Bombay; Dr. Popat Prabhuram is one of the chief exponents of the Ayurvedic Science. He is patronized by the following Indian States:—Kashmir, Baroda, Bhavnagar, Porbunder, Dharampur, Bansda, Rajkot and Morvi.

Address—Vaidya Bhuvan, 92, Cathedral Street, Bhuleshwar, Bombay.

Pramathanath, Banerjee, Professor
Dr., M. A. (Cal.), D. Sc. Econ. (Lond.),



Barrister-at-Law; Member, Indian Legislative Assembly; Fellow, Calcutta University. Born in November, 1879. Educated at Presidency College, Calcutta, and London School of Economics, England. Minto Professor of Economics, Calcutta University 1920-35; President, Council of Post-Graduate Teaching

Scottish Church Colleges, Calcutta, 1905-1913; delegate to the Congress of Universities, Oxford, 1921; Member, Bengal Legis. Council, 1923-1930; Member of the Syndicate, Calcutta University, 1923-35; Dean, Faculty of Arts, Calcutta University, 1929-30; President, Bengal Economic Society, since 1927; President, Indian Economic Conference, 1930. Publications: "A Study of Indian Economics," (First Edition 1911); "Public Administration in Ancient India"; "Fiscal Policy in India"; "A History of Indian Taxation"; "Indian Finance in the Days of the Company" and "Provincial Finance in India"; "Indian Budgets"; "The Future of Indian Finance," etc

in Arts, Calcutta University, 1930-33; Professor in the Bishop's, City, Ripon, and

Address—3, Asutosh Sil Lane, Calcutta,

Pujari, Ramachandrasa Yellappa,
Cloth and Metal Merchant and Banker, Hindi



(Dist.) Dharwar. Born in 1889. Educated at Hubli. (A brother, three sons and two daughters.) Comes of a respectable family and is one of the leading Panchas of his Community. He is the Chairman, S. S. Kshatriya Vidya Vardhak Sangh, Hubli; a Member Manag-

ing Committee of Karnataka Nurses' and Midwives' Association, Hubli. He has been an elected Municipal Councillor for the past twelve years and is the Chairman of the Municipal Hospital Committee, Hubli. He is a member of the Managing Committee, S. S. Kshatriya Co-Credit Society, Ltd., Hubli. He is a Bench Magistrate, Hubli.

His brother, Anthasa, who manages the Cloth and Metal Shop is an enthusiastic worker in the cause of public activities, striving hard for the uplift of the poor.

Ramchandrasa's eldest son, Pandurangasa, is not only the Vice-President of the S. S. Kshatriya Youth League, but also is a member of the Maharashtra Mandal, Kshatriya Free Library, and the Debating Society, Hubli.

Address—Hubli, Dist. Dharwar.

Pudumjee, Sardar Kaikhushru Byramjee, Bar-at-Law, First Class Sardar



of the Decan. Born in 1885. Educated at St. Vincent's High School, Poona, and London. Called to the Bar from Middle Temple, 1909. Married in 1919 to Miss Khorsheed Sorabjee Pudumjee (two sons). Pudumjees are well known in Poona, held in high esteem both among Hindus and other communi-

ties. Khan Bahadur Pestonjee Sorabjee, the great-grandfather of the present Sardar Kaikhushru, was a Government Contractor for mail service between Poona, Aurangabad and Nagpur, 1836-1842. In the latter year

he took the mail Dak to Bombay. His son, the Hon'ble Sardar Khan Bahadur Pudumjee Pestonjee, founder of the family who was the first Sardar created in the family in about 1870, was a member of the Bombay Legislative Council.

The only son of late Sardar Byramjee Pudumjee, Sardar Kaikhushru, subject of this sketch, has a great future before him. He is the President of Anjuman Fire Temple in Poona, and a Trustee of several Trust Funds.

Address—5 Naylor Road, Poona.

Pudumjee, Khan Bahadur Sardar Dorabjee. Among the well-known families



Sardar Dorabjee Pudumjee.

of Poona must be reckoned the Pudumjee family of the Parsi community, whose ancestor, Seth Pestonjee, laid the foundations of the family in those troublesome times that accompanied the downfall of the Peshawas. Mr. Pestonjee's son, the late Khan Bahadur Sardar Pudumjee Pestonjee, had four sons and daughters. The eldest son, Khan Bahadur Sardar Dorabjee Pudumjee, was born at Poona on 24th December, 1838. He, as well as his younger brother, Sardar Nowrojee Pudumjee, C.I.B., had the great advantage of studying under Sir Edwin Arnold, K.C.I.B., the author of "The Light of Asia." A close touch with a personality like Sir Edwin Arnold soon manifested itself in the brilliant work of his students

among whom the two brothers were not the least distinguished. They were thoroughly acquainted not only with English, and their mother tongue Gujarathi, but also with other languages, such as Marathi, Hindustani, Persian, and also possessed a working knowledge of French.

The accomplishments of Sirdar Dorabjee extended to rifle shooting, and in 1877 he won the championship medal of the Western India Rifle Association. He won the Governor's



The Late Sirdar Nowrojee Pudemjee.

nor's Cup in 1879, and the Viceroy's Cup in 1882, thus establishing his position as the champion rifle shot of India. He won in all nine cups and twelve medals. Another of his accomplishments was in the domain of photography. The Pudemjee House at Poona was the centre of photographing the notabilities of Poona and Bombay of those days, Europeans as well as Indians. His work was so excellent that he obtained recognition from the Amateur Photographic Society of London in the shape of a silver cup and a fine album. Several years after his death, in February, 1933, the negatives and copies of some photos were exhibited in Bombay at the Town Hall at the special request of the Motion Picture Society of India. His versatility was not confined to the pictorial art alone. He paid homage to music also, and showed his practical interest in it by the construction of organ rollers.

His general bent of mind was in the direction of science in its application to industry,

which resulted in his starting in 1884, in conjunction with his brother, Sirdar Nowrojee, the Deccan Paper Mills Co. Ltd., at Mundhwa near Poona, which has now reached its half century. This was the first venture of its kind on this side of India. He also started a bank, an ice factory, and a cotton factory, in Poona. In all these institutions he was ably supported by his brother, Sirdar Nowrojee. It was he who, in conjunction with Dr. Sir M. Visvesvaraya K.C.I.E., then Executive Engineer in the Bombay P.W.D., founded the Hirabag Club in the Town Hall of Poona, which is still in existence.

For eleven consecutive years from 1874, he was the Government nominee for the Poona City Municipality, where his excellent knowledge of Marathi, his abilities and probity ensured universal esteem, and when in 1884 Lord Ripon conferred on India the boon of local self-government, he was elected the President of the Poona Municipality, by a constituency mainly Hindu, which was no small tribute to his tact and administrative power. He continued to be repeatedly re-elected President for several years. When Lord Ripon left India, Sirdar Dorabjee was the only Parsee who had the honour of presenting an address to the departing Viceroy. In 1895, he had the high honour of obtaining a seat in the then Bombay Legislative Council, where only Indians of distinguished merit were then offered seats. Government rewarded his long and meritorious public services by creating him in 1894 a First Class Sirdar of the Deccan and conferring on him in 1895 the title of Khan Bahadur as a personal distinction.

He continued in the exercise of his public activities and business avocations till his sad end on 11th July, 1902, at the age of 64. He left behind him a large family of six sons and one daughter, who have distinguished themselves and have been steadily following in the footsteps of their illustrious parent. Eldest son, (1) late Godroji B. A., Assistant Accountant General; (2) Postonjee; (3) late Hormasjee; (4) Khan Bahadur Bomanji; (5) Dinbai, married to P. M. Kanga, solicitor, Bombay; (6) Dadabhey and (7) Fardunji who is, at present, the Managing Director of the Deccan Paper Mills.

Address—Poona.

Puddumjee, Pestonjee Dorabjee, who is the grandson of late Sardar Khan Bahadur Puddumjee Pestonjee, and second son of the late Khan Bahadur Sardar Dorabjee Puddumjee, is the senior surviving member of the Puddumjees. Born on 14th February, 1862, he was educated at St. Vincent's High School and the Poona High School. After serving as an apprentice in mechanical engineering, Mr. Pestonjee was sent to England for training in paper-making. The firm in which he worked for nine months as an apprentice at Lancashire in England, gave him a glorious certificate after examining him thoroughly. In the beginning, he was put in charge of a 1,200 h. p. engine in the absence of the chief engineer of the firm for a month. He showed the defects in the engine, which the company had removed, and was very much obliged to him for pointing out the same. They (the firm) were so pleased with his work that they wanted to engage him as an assistant manager and also induced him to go to Japan as manager to Japan Government Paper Mills on a salary of Rs. 1,000 plus allowances. But while in England, the Principal of the Guild's College in London was much impressed by the smartness of Mr. Pestonjee, and gave his opinion that he would turn Mr. Pestonjee out as an Extra first class engineer in five years' time instead of in the usual seven years' term.

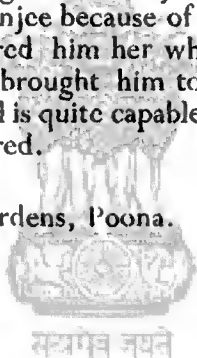
He refused both the above offers and came to assist his father in the Deccan Paper Mills, started by the latter, Sardar Dorabjee. In the beginning, five Europeans were engaged in the Deccan Paper Mills. The mills incurred a loss of Rs. 75,000 during the two years' European management. At the request of his father, Mr. Pestonjee, who had returned from England, undertook solely without anybody's help, to manage the mills, dismissing the European hands. Mr. Pestonjee, who showed great energy and put in hard work from 7:00 a.m. till 3:00 a.m., did enable the mills' management to give four per cent dividend in the first year, followed by five per cent and so on in the following years. The Government of Bombay, who was the chief customer, could make a saving of two lakhs of rupees per year in buying paper from the Deccan Paper Mills.

After serving in the Paper Mills for thirty years, Mr. Pestonjee, at the request of his beloved elder brother, retired. Like his father, he is also a good rifle shot; and he had the pleasure also of playing billiards with the billiard champion, John Robert, and with African and Australian billiard champions. Mr. Pestonjee in his young days was also the fastest bowler and a powerful athlete.

Mr. Pestonjee, who is leading a retired life and is enjoying the well-earned rest after thirty years' hard work in the mills, tells an interesting episode in his life with great pleasure. When King Edward VII visited India as Prince of Wales, Mr. Pestonjee's grandfather, Sardar Khan Bahadur Puddumjee Pestonjee, was deputed by the citizens of Poona to present him (King Edward) with a Welcome Address. At the same time, his grandson, Pestonjee, subject of this life-sketch, had also the honour of presenting King Edward VII with a silken cloak and a gold embroidered cap. King Edward VII witnessed from the compound of the same bungalow where Mr. Pestonjee is staying at present the fire-works on the hills on the other side of the Bund River.

A man of suave manners, Mr. Pestonjee has inherited from his father profound sincerity and nobility of mind. To know him is to like him. While in England, he stayed with a landlady who took a great liking for Mr. Pestonjee because of his genial temperament and strong character, and offered him her whole property if he stayed in England. But his filial duty brought him to India. Though seventy six he is still hale and hearty and is quite capable of taking up any responsible job in a native state, if offered.

Address—29, Bund Gardens, Poona.

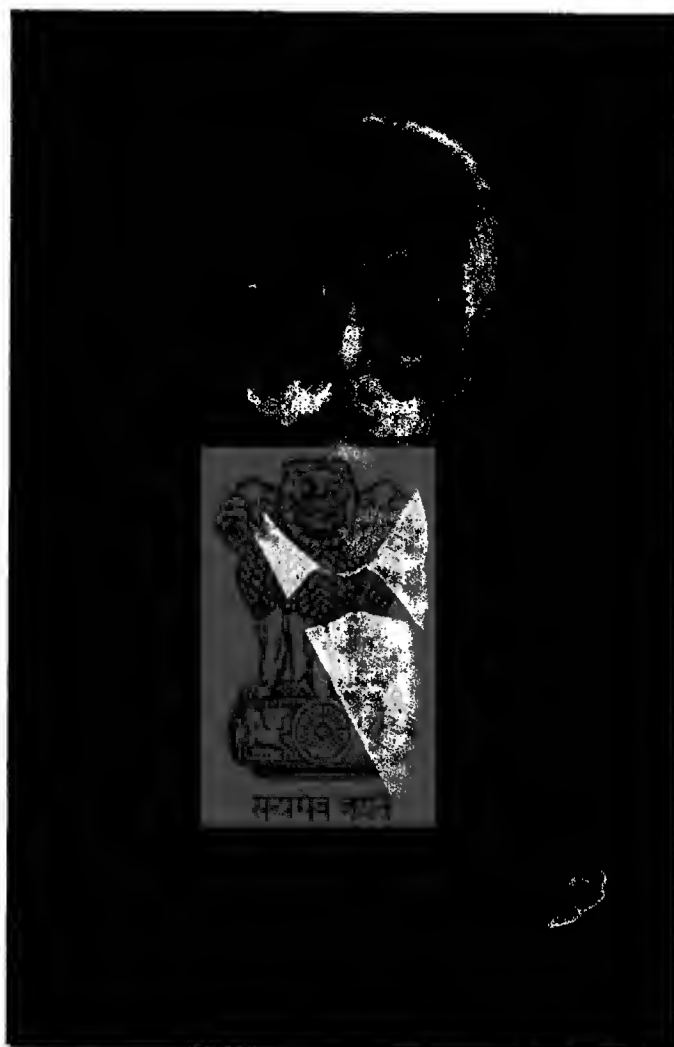


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Mr. Pestonjee Dorabjee Poddumjee, Poona.

Punthakey, Jehangir Framroze,
Merchant and Zemindar. Born on 15th Sep-



tember, 1881 in Karachi. Proprietor, "Parsi Sansar," and Honorary First Class Magistrate. He is a Zamindar holding 1,300 acres of land on Nasrat; President and Chairman, Karachi Urban Cooperative Bank Ltd.; The Social Service League; Free Commercial College; President, Young Zoroastrian Cricket Club; Honorary Secretary, Sind Masonic Benevolent Association; Parsi Poor Patients' Relief Fund; Honorary Secretary and Treasurer, Birch Memorial Diamond Jubilee Fund; Joint Honorary Secretary, Ida Rieu Poor Welfare Association; Karachi Health Association; Secretary, Zoroastrian Club. Member of Committee of Autaiji Zena Mundal Kotri Aramgali, Karachi Academy, Karachi Panjrapole, Mama Parsi Girls' School, S. S. L. School, Parsi Virbaiji School, Goolbai Mohita Maternity Home, Loper Asylum, Boy Scouts Association, Karachi District Co-operative Institute, Civil Hospital Advisory Board, Poor Patients' Relief Society, Indian Red Cross Society, Tenant's Association; a delegate of the Parsi Matrimonial Court and trustee of many charitable funds and individuals. For all his services Government honoured him with the title of Kaiser-i-Hind.

Address—Victoria Road, Karachi.

Puranik, Raosaheb Ramkrishna Bhau, Retired Traffic Manager of the Barsi



Light Railway and President of the Bench of Hon. Magistrates, Kalyan, District Thana. Born on 6th March, 1872, at Kalyan. Educated at Kalyan and Thana High School. After completion of education, he served the G.I.P. Railway as a typist and shorthand writer on a salary of Rs. 45 per

month. In 1896, he joined the Barsi Light Railway as a personal clerk to the Agent on a salary of Rs. 75 per month and gradually rose to the position of Assistant Traffic Superintendent, Barsi Light Railway, in 1902. On account of his outstanding abilities and intelligence, he was promoted to the post of Assistant Traffic Manager in 1912 and then as Traffic Manager from 1920-25. In 1921 H. E. The Viceroy and Governor-General was pleased to confer upon him the title of "Rao Sahab." Retired in 1925. After retirement he was once asked by the Sangli Darbar and thrice by the Prime Minister of Kolhapur to specially investigate the working of their Branch lines and those investigations were of immense benefit to the respective Darbars, who were very pleased with the work which was entrusted to him. In 1930 he was appointed as Second Class Hon. Magistrate at Kalyan, and also the President of the Bench of Hon. Magistrates the same year. He was nominated as a Municipal Councillor, Barsi Municipality, for nine years; and its Vice-President for three years. Obtained a Certificate of Merit in 1902 from Lord Northcote, the late Governor of Bombay, in recognition of his distinguished Municipal service. He was also a Nominated Councillor, Kalyan Municipality, for three years. He has one son.

Address—Gandhi Chowak, Kalyan, Dist. Thana

Qassim Ali Jairazbhoy, J.P. (Al-Haj); Hon. Presidency Magistrate, landlord, a profound religious thinker and author of several religious treatises, was born on 28th October, 1886. Few families have played a more important part in the commercial and industrial development of the Capital and Western India than the illustrious and ancient family of the late Mr. Jairazbhoy Peerbhoy, J.P., who was personally held in great veneration by the Khoja Community throughout Asia and Africa as a distinguished pioneer of commerce and a citizen of exemplary honesty and industry. He is remembered to this date by every devout Mahomedan not only for his phenomenal commercial success but also for his large-hearted benevolence and vast charities. He spent a large amount of his fortune in promoting education, relieving the poor and destitute, comforting the sick, erecting sanatoriums and rest houses and in generally endeavouring to ameliorate the condition of the less favoured members of his community.



The Late Mr. Jairazbhoy Peerbhoy

These charities and his public spirit constitute his chief claim to be classed among the representative men of the city. As a prominent advocate of reform in Moslem Community or as a member of the Municipal Corporation, or as active member of the Port Trust to which he was nominated by Government in recognition of his great commercial knowledge and experience, he proved himself an invaluable citizen. He had acquired a large fortune by his diligence and perseverance, and what is more, he knew how to spend much of it for the welfare and advancement of his community. By his death, Bombay lost an esteemed citizen, and his own community a distinguished leader and a noble benefactor.

Mr. Jairazbhoy left two sons: Mr. Noor Mahomed, and Mr. Qassim Ali. The former, who was also a very illustrious young man of great promise, died at the early age of thirty-one and it fell to the lot of Mr. Qassim Ali to uphold the dignity and good name of his family. It is significant to observe that the traditions of this distinguished family are



Mrs. Rehmatbai Jairazbhoy.

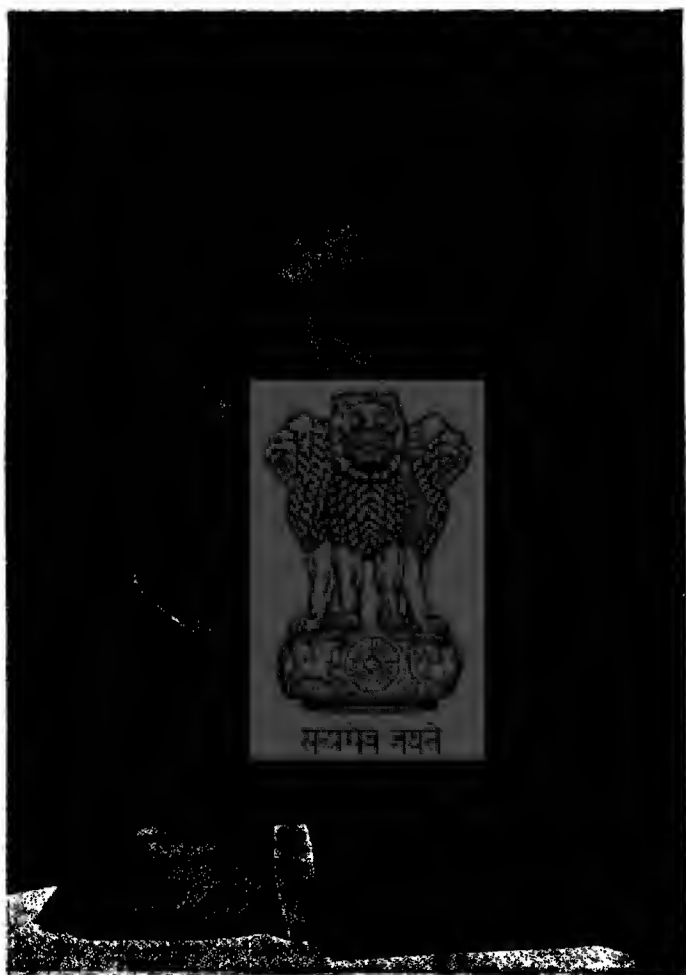
worthily maintained by Al-Haj Qassim Ali who, with the co-operation and advice of his gifted mother, Mrs. Rehmatbai Jairazbhoy, a lady of singular ability and attractive disposition, has been responsible for successfully launching and executing several benevolent schemes. Like his father, Al-Haj Qassim Ali is a firm believer in the principle that if the lot of the illiterate and ignorant section of the Mahomedans is to be improved, the best effort would be in the direction of education. He gave a princely sum, Rs. 1,25,000, for establishing a chair in the Moslem University in the name of his revered father. He has also made generous contributions to the Mahomedan Girls' Orphanage and to the Victoria Memorial School for the blind, etc.

Al-Haj Qassim Ali's private charities have been extensive and it is impossible to give a complete record in this. Suffice it to say that no deserving cause has been laid before him in vain according to his conscience, and no subscription list is brought to him without securing his support. Nor have his gifts been confined to his own people or to those who profess his creed, but he has always been as a staunch and most devout disciple of the Great Prophet of Islam, catholic in his public, and liberal in his private, charities.

His feelings of compassion, even for the dumb animals and thirsty wayfarers, have found expression in the building of a beauti-



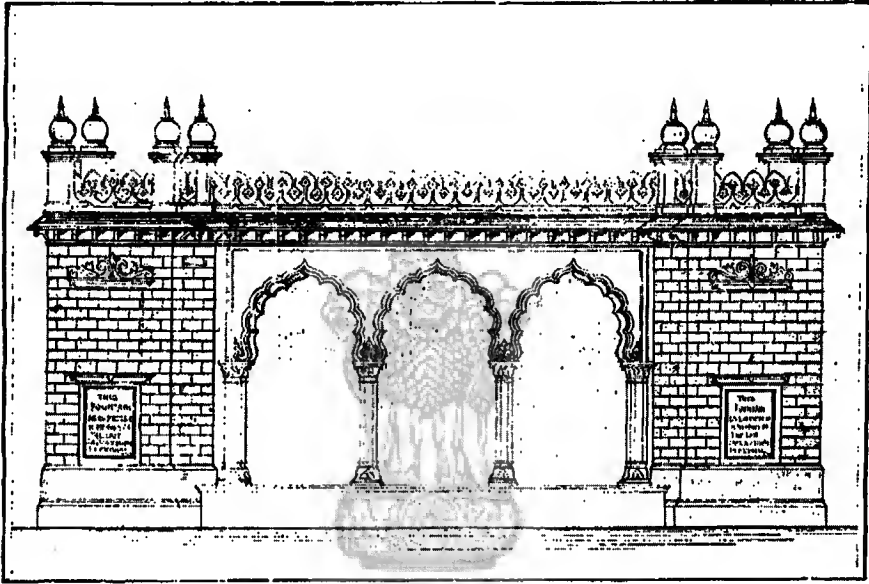
Al Haj Mrs. Qassim Ali Jairazbhoy, J. P., Bombay



Al Haj Qassim Ali Jairazbhoy, J. P., Bombay

ful fountain at the junction of Hornby and Palton Roads in Bombay, for which object he spent Rs. 25,000. This fountain was built in the pious and sacred memories of his late father, Mr. Jaiarabhoj, and his brother, Noor Mahomed, and it was declared open on 17th November, 1911, by Lady Clarke (wife of the then Governor of Bombay). Amongst other notable public subscriptions of Mr. Qassim Ali are: a donation of Rs. 20,000

Mohamedan Educational Fund, South African Indian Relief Fund. Besides there are a number of small institutions to which he has given hundreds of rupees regularly. During the last World War, Al-Haj gave his valuable ear to the Ambulance Brigade; and after the initiative he took, some others followed his example. He also contributed thousands of leaflets appealing to his community to stand by Government in their hour of difficulty.



The Water Fountain at the Junction of Hornby and Palton Roads.

during the Balkan War to help the orphans and widows of Turkish soldiers who had fallen in the war; a subscription of Rs. 5,000 to the Royal Visit Fund, at the time when His Majesty the King Emperor visited India; Rs. 1,000 on the occasion of floods in Hyderabad and the Deccan; Rs. 5,000 to the Red Crescent Society Funds at the time of the war in Tripoli between Turkey and Italy. During the famine of 1911 he opened a grain shop on a large scale in his native country, and this shop greatly relieved the people who were reduced to poverty by the calamity of famine. His name also prominently appears in the scores of funds, such as the Ahmedabad Mohamedan Orphanage, Hyderabad Flood Relief Fund, Sir Syed Ahmed Memorial Fund, Mrs. Millard's School for the Blind, Mr. Edwards' Orphanage for Mohamedan Girls, Broach Mohamedan Educational Fund, Ismaili Religious Library, Islam Gymkhana, Islam Club, Bombay Medical Congress, Khundesh

A mere recital of the long list of charity funds shows that he has proved himself a worthy son of a worthy father. He is eminently a man of deeds and not words. And whatever he does, he does in an unobtrusive and silent manner. Al-Haj Qassim Ali's motto is, "Duty before pleasure." His modest nature and his constant desire to be of service to his fellow men rather than merely blowing his own trumpets, have kept him in the background of public life; but his benevolent deeds and his practical enthusiasm in every good cause have earned for him the esteem of the public and his community. Of such a man it seems almost superfluous to add that he is no less renowned for his deep and abiding loyalty to the British Throne than for his benevolence and patriotism.

Mr. Qassim Ali was created a Justice of the Peace in 1911, when this honour was very sparingly bestowed. He was elected to the Bombay Municipal Corporation in 1914. He

has been appointed the President of the Khoja Panchbhoy Club by His Highness the Aga Khan. He was a prominent member of the Moslem League, and was first Vice-President of the Bombay Presidency Branch of the League, which was established in Poona by His Highness the Aga Khan.

The most notable and significant part of Mr. Qassim Ali's career and life is his unbounded enthusiasm and immense love and devotion for his religion. He is one of the staunchest and most energetic disciples of the Great Prophet Mohamed, in the spreading and popularizing whose religious precepts and doings, Mr. Qassim Ali has spared neither money, nor trouble, nor energy. He has written several important religious treatises, some of which are: (1) "The Greatness of the Holy Quran," (2) "Islamic Prayers," (3) "How to Perform Haj," (4) "Zakat or Poor Rate in Islam," (5) "The Man of Allah," (6) "Fear Allah and Take Your Own Part," which contains eight illustrations including one showing that Napoleon Bonaparte was a Mohomedan. In his last book entitled "Muhammad: A Mercy to All the Nations," which is printed in England by Messrs. Unwin Bros., Ltd., Al-Haj has specially stressed the point that the advent of Prophet Muhammad was prophesied in Scriptures of World Religions, such as, the Bible, Bhavishya Puran of the Hindu religion, Zend Avasta (Dasatir No. 14) of the Parsi or Zoroastrian religion, and further, Al-Haj has put photographs of relative portions of the said scriptures in this volume.

It is interesting to note the title of "Al-Haj" which goes with the name of Mr. Qassim Ali. Mr. Qassim Ali performed the Haj in 1932, which is fifth duty of Islam. Hence he is described as Al-Haj.

In 1933 Al-Haj Qassim Ali went on tour round the world in company of his wife. In Williamsburg, Toronto, and in Canada he distributed literature on Islam published by him to the Canadians and the Americans. He visited America and interviewed some of the leading citizens interested in his faith. "The Toronto Daily Star" and "The Williamsburg Times" were loud in the praises of the good work Al-Haj was doing in the cause of Islam. Mr. and Mrs. Qassim Ali also visited the Chicago World's Fair, and there, too, his work, enthusiasm, and zeal in Islam were very loudly praised. Taking the boat from San Francisco and on his reaching Japan he never forgot to propagate Islamic culture and religion, and increase the number of the followers of the Prophet, even in that country; and in furtherance of the object he gave a handsome donation towards the building of a Mosque in Japan. In China as well as in Colombo, on his way to Bombay, whether feeling physically fit or otherwise, his one thought was always ISLAM and what he could do to support this Faith. One has got to acknowledge that Al-

Haj Qassim Ali is one of the very few Muslims in his position and status of life who has worked with a strong hand and single handed, but in a quiet way and in an unassuming manner to support and spread the religion of the Prophet.

Qassim Ali Jairazbhoy, Mrs. Khoorshid Khanum, (Al-Haj); J.P., Bombay. She was born in 1903, and received education in Rangoon. She married Al-Haj Qassim Ali Jairazbhoy, J.P., on 4th May, 1919, at Bombay amidst great eclat. She is one of the leading Society ladies, taking a very keen interest in welfare and charitable work. As a member of the Women's Council, and a member of the Advisory Committee of Cama Hospital she has rendered useful services. Mrs. Khoorshid Qassimali is also a prominent figure in all the activities connected with the Princess Victoria Mary Gynkhana. Though a very intellectually gifted lady, Mrs. Qassimali is against making a show of her abilities, and she is a remarkable help-mate to her husband, who is an ardent and zealous follower of the Prophet of Islam. She takes particular interest in the question of female education amongst the Muslims, besides taking a leading part in the welfare movements of her sex, particularly those of her own community. She possesses winning manner and is a charming hostess.

Mrs. Qassimali performed the Haj in company of her husband in 1932, and to her goes the credit of taking films of Haj Ceremony in three roles and the different scenes of Mecca and Medina with quotations of the Quran inscribed. During the world tour which she undertook accompanied by her husband in 1933, these films were shown by her at different places in Europe and America, and were greatly admired and appreciated. In recognition of her social and charitable work, Government was pleased to appoint her a Justice of the Peace for the Town and Island of Bombay, an honour which only a few ladies of her community enjoy.

She has written a book "Muhammad, The Seal of the Prophets," dedicated to her loving husband, Al-Haj Qassim Ali Jairazbhoy, to whose kindly help the completion of this pamphlet was chiefly due. The booklet is only a glimpse from the life of the Prophet Muhammad (may peace be on him)—the extensive book of her husband entitled "Muhammad; A Mercy to all the Nations," will be very instructive to readers. There are several chapters which are very interesting, one of which is a special one on the Advent of the Prophet Muhammad, as prophesied in the Scriptures of World Religions with original references from the Bible, Atharvas, Veda, Bhavishya, Purana and Zend-Avesta.

* Address—Goolshaabad, Poddar Road
Bombay.

Rafiuddin Ahmad, Maluvi, Sir, Kt., Barrister-at-law, J. P., received his early education at the Deccan College, Poona, and University College, London. He was called to Bar at the Middle Temple in 1892; and practised for some years at the Privy Council. As a Journalist he was a regular contributor to many leading newspapers including "The Times," "The Pall Mall Gazette," and "The Nineteenth Century." He is the holder of Queen Victoria Diamond Jubilee Medal. He was first elected to Bombay Legislative Council in 1909, and appointed as Minister, Bombay Government, in November, 1930. He was made a Knight in 1932. He was Minister of Education till 15th July, 1932.

Address—Bund Garden Road, Poona.

Ragavenda Rao, Diwan Bahadur Rajamantrapraveena, B.A., B.L., retired Member, Mysore State Executive Council. Born on March, 1860. Was educated at Maharaja's College, Mysore, Central College, Bangalore, and Presidency College, Madras. Married to Srimathi Kamala Bai, (One daughter and one son). Joined Mysore Service as Home Tutor to H. H. the 1st Prince, 1890; Offg. Private Secretary to H. H. the Maharaja of Mysore, 1910; Excise Commissioner, 1914-1918, and Member of Council, 1918-24.

Address—Sheshadri Road, Bangalore.

Rahimtoola, Fazal Ebrahim, B.A., J.P., Member, Indian Turf Board, and Merchant



(Messrs. Fazalibhai Ibrahim & Co., Ltd.). Born on 21st October, 1895, he was educated at St. Xavier's School and College, Bombay. He has been for long in the public eye and is a rich, influential, and well-known merchant. Member, Bombay Municipal Corporation in 1919; member, Schools Committee in

1920; its Chairman in 1923; and again in 1926; trustee, Bombay Port Trust since 1921; member Advisory Committee, Bombay Development Department in 1922; member Advisory Committee appointed to advise Government about Liquor shops in Bombay City in 1922; member Bombay Securities Committee; member of the Committee of the Indian Merchants' Chamber since 1921; member of Executive Council of the Bombay Presidency Boy Scouts' Association; representative of the Corporation on B.R. & C.I. Railway Advisory Council; Secretary, Imperial Indian Citizenship Association; member, Standing Finance Committee for Railway Board; member Haj Committee in 1929; Chairman, Reception Committee of the Bombay Presidency Muslim Educational Conference; President, Bombay Presidency Urdu Teachers' Conference; Director, Sultania Cotton Manufacturing Co., and Tata Construction Co., Ltd. He represented the Bombay Govt. on the Committee of Sir Harcourt Butler Technological Institute to advise Government of U.P. He is the Secretary and promoter of All-India Muslim Conference; Secretary, All-India Minorities Conference; Member, Central Broadcasting Advisory Council; Director, Tata Iron and Steel Co., Ltd.; Bombay Electric Supply and Tramways Co., Ltd.; Automobile Acceptance Corporation; Member, Standing Committee for Haj and East India Association, London; Member, Legislative Council, Bombay, from 1926 to 1930. He was appointed member of the Indian Tariff Board in 1930.

Address—Ismael Buildings, Hornby Road, Bombay.

Rahimtoola, Sir Ibrahim, K. C. S. I., C. I. E., Born in May, 1862. He was elected



Member of the Bombay Municipal Corporation in 1892; and became President of the same

body in 1899. He was a Member of the Bombay City Improvement Trust for twenty years, and Member of Bombay Legislative Council from 1899 to 1909. He was a Member of the Imperial Legislative Council in 1912; President of the Fiscal Commission in 1921; and Member Education and Local Self-Government from 1918 to 1923. He was President, Legislative Council, Bombay, from 1923 to 1928; and Member of the Royal Commission on Labour. He was elected President of the Legislative Assembly in 1931.

Address—Poddor Road, Bombay.

Rahimtoola, Hoosenally Mahomed-bhoy, B.A., M.L.C., J.P., President, Legis-



lative Council, 1936-37, was born in May, 1890. He has been a member of the Bombay Legislative Council (1923-37), and a Member of the Public Accounts Committee (1925-36). His numerous activities in the service of the public may be summarised thus:—Member, Retrenchment Committee in 1931; Member, Municipal Corporation, Bombay, 1918-36, and its Standing Committee 1921-28 and again 1932-34; Chairman, Standing Committee from 1927-28 and of Law, Procedure and Elections Committee of the Corporation from 1929-30; Member Improvement Committee of the Improvement Trust Board, Bombay, from 1926-31; Chairman, Improvements Committee from 1928-29; Trustee of the Bombay Port Trust 1931-36; Honorary Auditor, Islam Gymkhana from 1916-26; Member of the Managing Committee, Muslim Students' Union for several years; Member Advisory Committee of the Gokuldas Tejpal Hospital from 1924-29; Member Haj Committee, 1927-34; Member of the Committee of the Bombay Branch of the Indian Red Cross Society since 1924 and of the Bombay Vigilance Association, 1924-36; Member of a number of Select Committees of the Legislative Council and Member of various other Committees and Sub-Committees; Mayor, Bombay Municipal Corpora-

tion, 1934-35, and Honorary Presidency Magistrate, 1931-36. He was minister, Government of Bombay, for some time in 1937.

Address—Bombay.

Rahmon, B. Abdur, B.A., Merchant-Contractor and Land-holder, Bangalore. Born



on 30th December, 1885, at Bangalore. Educated at Central College, Bangalore. Was President of the Bangalore District Board (1922-30). Member of the Mysore Legislative Council and Representative Assembly for a number of years. Mr. Rahmon is the Vice-President, Majlisi-

Millia-Islamia; Member of the Bangalore City Municipality; Member Bangalore District Board; Member Mysore Motor Traffic Board; Member, Central Traffic Board; Member, Central Mohomadan Association, Bangalore, and a Member of the Excise Licensing Board.

Address—Bankey Nawab Street, Bangalore.

Rajah, Palaniandy P., Madras, is the son of Rajah Balasubramoniam. Born in



1898 at Madras. Was educated at St. Gabriel's School and Christian College, Madras. Joined Messrs. Best and Co., Ltd., in 1916 as Dubash. Succeeded his father and uncle who were the Dubashes of the Firm for over a period of forty years. Rajah Palaniandy is a well-known citizen of Madras, politically

a moderate. Married and has four sons, and two daughters. He is a Freemason. Correspondent to Nawab C. Abdul Hakim Secondary School, George Town, Madras.

Recreations—Tennis and Billiards.

Clubs—South Indian A. Association, Ltd. and Madras United Club.

Lodge:—"The Mount Lodge."

Addresses—C/o Messrs. Best & Co. Ltd., Madras, and "Cohgun Gardens," Harrington Road, Chetpet, Madras.



Mr. Rajmal Lakhichand Lalvani, Jammu.

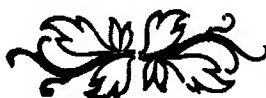
Rajmal Lakhichand Lalvani.

Landlord, Banker, and an elected Member of the Bombay Legislative Assembly, Jamner, Dist. East Khandesh. Born at An in Jodhpur Dist. (Rajputana) in 1894. Educated at Mudi (Khandesh), Jalgaon (Berar), Jamner and Jalgaon English School; married to Pankuvar, daughter of Suganmaljee, son of Dewan Bahadur Raja Bahadur Thammaljee of Deccan Hyderabad. (One daughter, married to Dipchand Sahadra, F. A., of Manjrod in West-Khandesh). A lad of eight, Mr. Rajmal was brought to Mudi (Khandesh) by his father. A curious incident took place when he was studying in Vernacular II Standard at Mudi. A classmate of his who pretended to invoke 'Spirits,' exercised great influence over the boy, Rajmal, who used to take money from home without the knowledge of his parents and pay his classmate. One day he (Rajmal) was caught and severely beaten by his brothers. Enraged at this, Rajmal left his house at the age of eleven, walked on foot thirty miles and reached a village, Varul-Bhaktana. The Patei of that village gave him shelter and loaned him Rs. 5 for starting a shop there. Within one month, he repaid the loan and made a saving of Rs. 5. Within the next four months, he made a profit of Rs. 80. His father was so much pleased with Rajmal's enterprise that he himself came there and settled down to trade in business. At this time, Shet Lakhichand Lalvani, a wealthy merchant of Jamner, wanted to adopt a son and Mr. Rajmal was chosen out of twelve candidates. This was a big stride in the tide of his fortune. This however, did not change his attitude on life and he was the same modest Rajmal of "simple habits and high thinking" as he was before. He was a great favourite of Shet Lakhichand till the latter's death about thirty years ago. The burden of managing a big estate fell on the tender shoulders of Rajmal who was only thirteen when his adopted father died.

During the Great War, he gave a War loan of Rs. 50,000 and sent some recruits for the War. The Government was highly pleased and placed his statue at Jalgaon and gave him a free licence for all kinds of arms. In 1921, he took part in Mahatma Gandhi's Non-co-operation Movement. He was then elected to the Bombay Legislative Council. He was also President of Akhil Bhuratiya Oswal Mahasabha. During the Great War, he started a cheap grain shop and sold grain at half the price for which he had to spend out of his pocket, Rs. 25,000. Has been Vice-President, Khandesh Education Society for the last twenty years; President, Khandesh Oswal Education Society for the last ten years; has been Vice-President, Dist. Local Board, for the last two years; a Director, Land Mortgage Bank Ltd., Jalgaon; and Common Wealth Insurance Co., Ltd., Poona, and Khandesh Swadeshi Stores; elected to the Bombay Legislative Assembly on Congress ticket in 1937. His benevolent deeds and his practical enthusiasm in every good cause have earned for him the esteem of the public and his community. A mere recital of the long list of charities shows that he has proved himself a worthy son of a worthy father. He is a man of deeds and not of words, and whatever he does, he does in an unobtrusive and silent manner.

Among his charities are: Rs. 20,000 to Sir Harkisandas Narottam Hospital, Bombay, in memory of his wife, Pankuvarbai; Rs. 20,000 to Khandesh Oswal Education Society; Rs. 10,000 to Nursing Association, Jalgaon; Rs. 5,000 to Jain Oswal Education Society, Jalgaon; Rs. 4,000 to Chandvad Nominath Brahmacharyashram; Rs. 2,000 to Badli Gurukul; Rs. 1,100 to Panchkula, Punjab; Rs. 1,000 to Jalgaon Hospital; Rs. 2,000 to Jamner English School; Rs. 2,000 to Singla Panjrapol; and Rs. 5,000 to Bhagirathi Bai Library, Jamner; Jawara (Malwa State) Hospital, Rs. 2,000; Pachora (E. K.) Jain Patashala, Rs. 2,000; Udaipur Vidyabhuwan, Rs. 500.

Address:—Post Jamner, Dist. East Khandesh.



Rajadhyaksha, Ganpat Sakharam,
M.A., (Cantab), Bar-at-Law, I.C.S., J.P., Secre-



tary, Legal Department and Remembrancer of Legal Affairs. Born on 9th September, 1896, he was educated at Elphinstone High School, Elphinstone College, Bombay, and St. Catharine's College, Cambridge. He took First Class in Natural Science Tripos, Cambridge, and was Exhibitioner in St. Catharine's College, Cambridge. He passed the I.C.S. Examination in 1919 in open competitive examination. He was called to the Bar in October, 1920. He returned to India in December, 1920, and was appointed Asst. Collector at Patna in Bihar and Orissa in January, 1921. His services were transferred to the Bombay Presidency in August, 1921, and was appointed Asst. Collector at Jalgaon, East Khandesh, for two and a half years. He became Asst. Judge at Dhulia in 1924. He underwent judicial training in the High Court in July, 1925; and was appointed Asst. Sessions Judge at Satara in October, 1925. He acted as District Judge, Satara, from June, 1926 to December, 1926; and was appointed District Judge, Bijapur, in May, 1927. He then became Deputy Secretary to the Government Legal Department and Secretary, Bombay Legislative Council, in January, 1928. He was placed on Deputation while on leave in England to study Parliamentary procedure in June and July, 1930; and acted as one of the Secretaries to the first Session of the Indian Round Table Conference from October, 1930, to January, 1931. On return from deputations he was placed as Deputy Secretary to the Government Political Department from February, 1930, to April, 1930. He was again made Deputy Secretary to the Government Legal Department and Secretary to the Bombay Legislative Council in April, 1931; and also Deputy Reforms Officer at the same time. He was appointed a Member of the Bombay Franchise Committee in January, 1932, in addition to other duties. In April, 1934, he

was appointed to officiate as Secretary to the Government of Bombay Legal Department and Remembrancer of Legal Affairs. He was District and Sessions Judge, Dharwar, for some time.

Address—Secretariat, Bombay.

Raja, Tribhovandas Jagjivandas,
M.A., F.F.B., Dewan, Porbandar State. Born on 6th November, 1893. Educated at Bahadurkhanji High School, Bahauddin College, Junagad, Wilson College, Bombay, and Government Law School, Bombay. Married Miss Taralaxmi R. Khandodia. Joined the Wilson College, Bombay, as Lecturer in History, 1914-16; Naib Dewan and Sarnayayadhis, Wankaner State, 1917-20; Deputy Revenue Commissioner, Junagadh State, 1920-21; Huzar Personal Assistant and Revenue Minister, Limdi State, 1921-30; appointed Dewan, Lunawada State, 1930; appointed Foreign and Political and Finance Minister, Bikaner, January, 1933; reverted to Lunawada, July, 1933; appointed Dewan Porbandar State, August, 1934. Created Taximil Sardar by H.H. the Maharaja of Porbandar, July, 1936.

Address—Porbandar (Kathiawar).

Rajagopal Mudaliar, Rao Sahib, B.G.,
Secretary, and Treasurer, The Bangalore



Cantonment Permanent Fund Ltd., C. & M. Station, Bangalore. Born in 1887. Educated at Central College, Bangalore City; was Commissioner of the C. and M. Station Municipality for about fifteen years and its Vice-President for six years; member and Treasurer of the Rotary Club, Bangalore; member of the Ex-Committee of the

Friend-in-Need Society and also member of the Executive Committee of the Bangalore Boy Scout Association. Member and President of the Licensed Electrical Contractor's Association, Mysore. Created Rao Sahib in 1935; Silver Jubilee Medal in 1935.

Address—8, Fruit Street, C. & M. Station, Bangalore.

Rajan, P. T., B.A., (Oxon), Bar-at-Law. Belongs to the well-known Ullamapalayam Mudliar family of Madras. Born in 1892, he was educated in Loy's School, Cambridge,

Josias College, Oxford. Took his degree in 1916 with honours in Modern History. Was called to the Bar in 1917 (Inner Temple). Returned to India in 1919 and commenced practice in Madras. Elected to the First, Second, and Third Madras Legislative Councils from Madras; fourth time he was elected to the Legislative Council unopposed. He is a member of the S. I. L. F. and Chairman of the South Indian Peoples' Association. A commissioned officer of the Indian Territorial Force. Minister of Public Works, Government of Madras, in 1927.

Address—"Palayam House," Tallakulam, Madras.

Rajput, Jamnadas M., Landlord, Government Contractor, and Managing Proprietor,



All India Advertising Association of India. Born in November, 1904, educated at Bombay, created Justice of Peace in the year 1935. A keen social worker, has contributed to various Relief Funds. A member of Indian Merchants'

Chamber, also member of various leading sports and social clubs.

Address—231, Hornby Road, Bombay.

Rallan, Sant Ram, B. Com. (Hon. Birmingham); Principal, Hargovindas Lak-



shmieland College of Commerce, Ahmedabad. Born on 21st October, 1894. Educated at Govt. College, Lahore, and University of Birmingham; the first Indian to receive the Honours degree of the University of Birmingham. Married Prem Rallan, and has three children. He was professor of

Sydenham College of Commerce, Bombay, 1924-25; Chief Accountant, Bombay Telephono Co., Ltd., Bombay, 1925-27; Professor Dacca University, 1927-1934.

Address—H. L. College of Commerce, Ahmedabad.

Ramabrahma, Mahadev, B. A., L. T., (And.), Asst. Educational Inspector, Bom-



bay Presidency, Poona, comes of a distinguished Brahmin family of Mysore. Born on 8th December, 1884, he was educated at Maharaja's College, Mysore, and Central College, Bangalore. After having his training at the Teachers' College, Saidapet, Madras, he started life as a teacher in the Training College, Mysore, from June, 1912 to August, 1915, and entered Bombay Educational Department as Lecturer in Nature Study and School Gardening in Training College for men and women, Dharwar, where he served from September 1915 to October, 1923. In August, 1921, he went to England for Scout Training in the Gillwell Park, having been deputed by the Bombay Provincial Boy Scouts' Council, and he was Instructor in charge Scout Master's Training Camp at Lonsdale from January, 1922, to March, 1923. On return from the deputation, joined the Dharwar High School as Asst. Master (1923-27). As Asst. Criminal Tribes Settlement Officer at Poona and Dharwar from November, 1927 to June, 1928 he did good work. He was Asst. District Scout Commissioner in Dharwar during 1926-29. It was in February, 1929, that he was appointed as the Headmaster of the Sardar High School, Belgam, and he held this post continuously till the middle of August, 1936. During these seven years and a half he was the Asst. District Scout Commissioner of Belgam District and was intimately connected with the Scouting activities of the Belgam town and the District. As Head Master and Superintendent of the Sardar High School Hostel, he was generally liked by the students. He was an enthusiastic worker in the cause of Social and Educational Reform and was connected with all institutions at Belgam in one way or another. He was a member of the District Depressed Classes Committee, Belgam.

He was transferred to Poona in August, 1936, when he was appointed as Asst. Educational Inspector, Bombay Presidency. He officiated as the Educational Inspector, Central Division, from 16th November, 1936, to February, 1937, when Mr. W.B. Coriour, D.P.I. of the Bombay Presidency, was away from India on leave.

Address—Asst. Educational Inspector, B. P., Poona.

Ramachandra Iyer, K. S. Secretary, Jupiter General Assurance Co., Ltd.; Secretary,



Indian Insurance Co.'s Association from its inception; Member, Bombay Municipal Corporation; and President, South Indian Co-operative Credit Society. Born on 6th October, 1887. Educated at Victoria College, Palghat. Started life as a clerk in 1909, and became the Secretary of the

Jupiter General Assurance Co. Ltd., in 1921. He has done much to popularize Insurance in India. Has been very closely identified with the commercial life of Bombay. He has toured Europe, in 1923. He is editor "Indian Insurance," a monthly; Joint Secretary, All-India Insurance Conference; Ex-President, Indian Insurance Co.'s Association; Examiner, Govt. Commercial Examination; Member, Board of Examiners Indian Chamber of Commerce; Member, Indian Merchants' Chamber; Member Insurance Society of N. Y. Committee; The Bombay Fire Insurance Association and several other Associations.

Address—Jupiter General Assurance Co., Ltd., Bombay and Chandra Nivas, Malunga, Bombay.

Ramachandra Reddi, The Hon'ble B., B.A., M. J. C., President, Legislative Council, Madras, from 6-11-30 to 31-3-37. Born on 24th November, 1894. He was educated at Pachaiyappa's College, Madras. Passed B. A., in 1919. Became President, District Educational Council for four years, till 1929; was President, District Board, 1929-30; member District Temple Committee; served in Muttur Project Committee and Textile Committees, 1928; elected Member of the Andhra University Senate; served as a member of the Economic Inquiry Committee for East and West Godavari and Krishna Districts as a representa-

tive of the Madras Legislative Council. Elected to 2nd, 3rd and 4th Madras Legislative Councils.

Address—Nellore Dt., Madras Presidency,

Ramadas Pantulu, V., M.A., B.L., Advocate, High Court, Madras. Born in October, 1873. Educated at Madras Christian College, and Law College, Madras. Started practice at Masulipatnam District Court and later on at the Madras High Court; Member of the Madras Bar Council; Member of the Senate and the Academic Council of the Madras University; Examiner for the M.L. Degree Examination; Member of the Faculty of Law and Board of Studies in Law; was President of the Andhra Swarajya Party and was its Vice-President; Member, All-India Congress Committee and the General Council of the Swarajya Party; Vice-President Mahajana Sabha and President of the Madras Hindi Mahasabha; President, All-India Provincial Bank Association, the Madras Provincial Co-operative Association, and the Madras Provincial Co-operative Banks, Ltd. Elected to the Council of State in February, 1925, and again in November, 1929; resigned, 1930; Member, Indian Central Banking Enquiry Committee, Townsend Committee of Co-operation and the General Body of the Imperial Council of Agricultural Research; founded the Madras Provincial Co-operative Insurance Society, Ltd., Madras.

Publications: "A Commentary on the Madras Estates Land Act."

Address—"Farhat-nagh," Mylapore, Madras.

Ramalinga Reddi, C. Retired Inspector-General of Education, Mysore. Born in 1885. Educated at Chittoor High School, and Christian College, Madras, and St. John's College, Cambridge; was exhibitor of St. John's College and received the Wright's Prize; First Class in the Historical Tripos; Secretary and Vice-President, Cambridge Union; proceeded to America for higher studies at the instance of H. H. the Cuckwar of Baroda, 1907; joined the Baroda College as Vice-Principal; resigned and joined the Mysore Educational Service, 1909; Assistant to the Inspector-General of Education and then Professor, Maharaja's College, Mysore; accompanied H. H. the Yuvaraj of Mysore on his tour to Europe; went on special deputation to study educational questions in Canada, Japan, Philippines, Hong-Kong, etc; rejoined Maharaja's College, Mysore, 1913; and became Inspector-General of Education in 1916; resigned in 1920; Vice-Chancellor, Andhra University, 1926, and again re-elected in 1928; resigned in 1930; elected the representative of the Madras University in the first and second Legislative Councils and again in the bye election. Re-elected Vice-Chancellor Andhra University, 1936; Honorary D. Litt,

conferred by the Andhra University, 1937; author of various educational reports and publications.

Addresses—Vice-Chancellor, Andhra University, Waltair; 7, Infantry Road, Bangalore; "Padma Prabhasa" Chittoor, N. Arcot.

Ramanathan, A.V., Bangalore. Born on 7th September, 1888, at Bhavani, Coimbatore.



Educated at Madras Christian College, (B.A., 1st class, in 1907). Entered Mysore Civil Service in 1908. Served as Assistant Commissioner, assistant to Revenue Commissioner; Under-Secretary to Government; Officer in charge of the Efficiency Audit Branch; Special Magistrate, Kolar Gold Field; Deputy Commissioner and District Magistrate, Hassan, Mysore, Kolar and Bangalore Districts; appointed Director of Industries and Commerce, 1933; unofficial advisor, representing the silk industry to the Indian Delegation during the Indo-Japanese Negotiations of 1933. He was Chairman of the Board of Directors of Sri Krishnarajendra Mills, Ltd., Mysore, and of the Mysore Sugar Factory, Ltd., Mandya, in 1934. Appointed Chief Secretary to Government in October, 1935. Is the Chairman of the Mysore Government Iron and Steel Works; Mysore Paper Mills Ltd.; Sri Krishnarajendra Mills, Ltd.; Mysore Government Porcelain Factory and Mysore Government Electric Factory, since 1st August, 1936.

Address—"Ananda," Visvesvarapuram, Bangalore, City.

Ramara o, Rao Saheb U., Medical Practitioner and editor "The Antiseptic," a monthly medical journal, and also editor "Health," Madras. Born at Udipi, South Canara, in 1874. Elected Member and Vice-President of the Madras Medical Council and Honorary Presidency Magistrate; elected to the first, second and third Madras Legislative Councils; Director, United India Life Assurance Co., Ltd.; Director, Karnataka Bank, Madras; President, the Music Academy, Madras; elected Member, Council of State; resigned in 1930; organized Congress Hospital during the Civil Disobedience Movement in 1930; awarded Kaiser-i-Hind Medal, second class; Silver Donat of the Order of St. John of Jerusalem for ambulance work.

Address—"Hawarden" Lander's Gate Road, Madras.

Rama Varma, Prince, M.A., B.Sc. (London), Bar-at-Law, (Tuner Temple). Born at Trippunithura, Cochin State. Educated at the Maharaja's College, Ernakulam; graduated B.A. (Hons.) from the Presidency College, Madras; L.T. from the Teachers' College, Madras; entered the Cochin State Service as Special Palace Officer. Married Srimati V.K. Vilasini Amma, daughter of H.H. the late Maharaja of Cochin. While in England he finished courses of studies in public administration, International Law, etc. He has travelled far and wide and stayed in many of the important capitals of the Continent—Berlin, Paris, Geneva, Naples, etc. Was presented to His Majesty the King Emperor at the levee of February, 1927. On his return he was appointed Secretary to the Diwan of Cochin. Visited England a second time as Adviser to Diwan Bahadur T. Raghaviah, delegate to the Round Table Conference, on behalf of the Madras States.

Address—Ernakulam.

Ramkrishna Reddi, Thamballapalle Nallapa Reddi, B.A., B.L., Ex-M.L.A., Vakil, was born in August, 1890. Married Syamahamma. Educated at Christian College, and Law College, Madras. Vice-President, Taluka Board, Chittoor; Hon. Assistant Registrar of Co-operative Societies, Chittoor; Secretary, District Co-operative Federation, Chittoor; President, Temple Committee, Chittoor; President, Taluka Board, Madanapalle; Member, Legislative Assembly, 1930-34. Secretary, Democratic party, Legislative Assembly, till 1934.

Address—Madanapalle, Madras Presidency.

Ramnarayan Jaju, Landlord and Cotton Merchant and President, Dharangaon Municipality.



pality. Born on 15th January, 1911. Educated at Erandol and Baroda. Married in 1927 with Sitabai, daughter of Shankorlal Ramratan, of Jalgaon. (One son and three daughters). After education joined the family business in 1926. Nominated to Dharangaon Municipality in July, 1936, and elected its President the same year. He is the youngest president of the municipality ever elected. A disciple of Prof. Manikrao, of Baroda.

Address—Dharangaon. District East Khandesh.

Ranadive, Ramachandra Keshav, M.A., Manager, Huzur Political Office, Baroda. Born on 26th January, 1882, he was educated at Baroda High School and Baroda College, Baroda and Wilson College, Bombay. Passed B.A., 1905, M.A., 1911. Married in 1900, Miss Sitabai. Joined the Baroda State Service as Shirastadar, Selection Branch, 1906, and became Superintendent, Huzur Political Office, 1920. Assistant Manager, Huzur Political Office, 1923, and the present appointment since 1929. Corresponding member Indian Historical Records Commission. Accompanied the Minister to Europe in connection with the first and second R.T.C. Worked as special duty officer in connection with work of the R.T.C. and Indian States Inquiry Committee, 1932.

Address—Dandia Bazar Road, Baroda.

Ramzanally, Jamalbai Khansaheb, J.P., Merchant, Landlord, and an expert in



building-works, Bombay. Born in 1892. Educated at Elphinstone High School, Bombay. Married in 1915. (One son and four daughters). His father, Mr. Jamalbai, was a merchant. After completion of his education, he joined his father's business at the age of eighteen. Mr. Ramzanally developed his business and put it on a sound footing within ten years. Took keen interest in the construction of buildings and has become a great expert in erecting buildings after the designs prepared by himself. Created J.P. 1934. Appointed Hon. Magistrate in 1937 and created Khan Saheb in 1937.

Clubs: Islam Club, Khoja Panjibhai Club.

Address—Survey Mansion, Warden Road, Bombay.

Ranga Iyer, C. S., Ex-M.L.A., and late editor, "Independent," Allahabad, and "Independence," Lucknow. Born on 19th September, 1894. Educated at Victoria College, Palghat, Municipal College, Coimbatore, and S. P. C. College, Trichinopoly; was a Member of the Legislative Assembly from 1923.

Publications: "Father India" (Selwyn & Blunt), "India, Peace or War" (Harraps, London) and many other books.

Address—Thouara, Elapulli, via Palghat.

Rane, Bhikaji Devchand, B.A., LL.B.,
Pleader and President, Bhusawal Municipality,
Bhusawal, District



East Khandesh.
Born on 20th June,
1898. Educated at
Fergusson College,
Poona. Passed
Matric in 1920, B.A.
1924, LL.B., 1926.
Commenced practice
at Bhusawal in
October, 1926. In

1927 entered Bhusawal Municipality. Was
Vice President for three years, 1933-1936.
Elected President, Bhusawal Municipality, in
October, 1936.

Address—Bhusawal, G. I. P. Bdy.

**Rana, Rao Bahadur Tribhuvanrai
Dulairai, B.A., LL.B., Advocate Bombay High**



Court, and Ex-Dewan, Junagadh State. Born
in 1870, he was educated at Junagadh High
School and Wilson College, Bombay. Passed
B.A. 1893. Served as a part-time teacher in
Wilson High School, 1892-1896. Passed LL.B.,
1896. Appointed Assistant Darbar Agent at-
tached to the office of Col. Sealy, the Alienation
Settlement Officer, Junagadh State, 1897. A
full Darbar Agent, 1899. Was granted a
hereditary annuity of Rs. 360 by Jato II. II.
Nawabsahib Sir Resul Khanji, C. C. S. I.,
Junagadh and was appointed Sarkari Vakil
(Legal Representative) which post he held for
twenty years. Also worked as a lecturer in
Law at the Bahuddin College, Sadar Adalat

Judge and President of the Municipality.
Appointed Political Secretary, 1920. Appointed
as Dewan, Junagadh State 1921. Retired
from Junagadh State service 1923. Shifted to
Rajkot to practice as a pleader. A nominated
Member, Civil Station Committee, Rajkot, from
1927. A Member of the Jubilee Water Works
Committee; appointed Vice-Chairman of the
Bench of Hon. First Class Magistrates, Rajkot
Civil Station, 1928. Created Rao Sahab in
June, 1931, and Rao Bahadur in January, 1935.

Address—Civil Station, Rajkot Kathiawar.

**Rangachariar, Dewan Bahadur
Tiruvenkata, B.A., B.L., C.I.E. (1925),**

M.L.A. since 1920. Advocate, High Court,
Madras. Born in 1865. Married Ponnammal,
daughter of S. Rajagopala Aiyangar of Sri-
rangam. Educated at S. P. G. College, Trichi-
nopoly, and Law College, Madras. Schoolmaster
for three years; enrolled as Vakil, High Court,
Madras, 1891; Professor, Law College, 1898-1900;
Member, Madras Corporation, since 1908;
Member, Madras Legislative Council, 1916-1919;
Member, Indian Bar Committee; Mercantile
Marine Committee; Escher Committee; Elected
Dy. President, Legislative Assembly; Member,
Indian Colonies Committee on deputation at
London with the Colonial Office; President,
Telegraph Committee, 1921; Member, Frontier
Committee; Chairman, Madras Publicity
Board. Represented India at the opening by H.
R. H. the Duke of York of the Federal Parlia-
ment at Canberra, Australia, 1927; Chairman,
Indian Cinematograph Committee, 1928; Vice-
Chairman, Madras Bar Council; Chairman,
Army Retranchment Committee, 1931; elected
to Assembly for Chengalpott and S. Arcot till
1935. Publications: "A hook on Village Pan-
chayats. Retired from public life owing to
illness, from December, 1932.

Address—Rithurdon House, Vopery, Madras.

Rangaswami Aiyangar, Rao Bahadur

K. V., M.A., Principal, Central Hindu College,
Benares, Hindu University, and University
Professor of Economics. Born 28rd February,
1880; educated at Pachalyappas College,
Madras; married in June, 1899. Appointed
Educational Secretary to the Government of
Travancore, 1907; Principal and Professor of
History and Economics, Maharaja's College of
Arts, Trivandrum; Principal, Government
Training College for Teachers, 1923 to 1933;
Acting Director of Public Instruction in Tra-
vancore, 1928-30; retired after thirty-three
years of service in Travancore State, in Febru-
ary, 1935; joined Benares Hindu University
in July, 1935. In addition to his educational
activities, the following can be mentioned in
his public life: He was Official Member,
Travancore Legislative Council for about

seventeen years between 1913-30; President, Provincial Educational Conference, Madras, 1917; Member of the Senate and other bodies of Madras University for over twenty-four years; Maitra Professor of ancient Indian History and Culture, Benares Hindu University, 1926; special reader, Calcutta University, 1931; Sir William Meyer Professor of Economics, Madras University, 1934.

Addresses—Benares Hindu University, Benares, and Raghavavilasa, Trivandrum, Travancore.

Rangnekar, Hon. Mr. Sajba Shankar, B.A., LL.B., Barrister-at-Law, Puisne Judge, High Court, Bombay. Born on 20th December, 1878. He was appointed Chief Presidency Magistrate in 1924; Acting Judge, High Court, Bombay, 1926, 1927, and 1928; confirmed in April, 1929.

Address—High Court, Bombay.

Rao, Dewan Bahadur Ganpat Sadashivrao, B.A., LL.B., Advocate High Court. Born on 11th May, 1850. Educated at Elphinstone High School and Elphinstone College, Bombay. Married in 1870 with Dhondibai, daughter of Nanabhai Harichand of Bombay. (Three sons and one daughter; sons, B. G. Rao, Ex-Government Pleader, Prof. V. G. Rao of Elphinstone College and M. G. Rao, Hon. Magistrate at Bandra). Born of poor parents he was brought up from childhood by his maternal uncle, Pandurang Balibhadra Kirtikar, one of the leading pleaders of the Appellate side of the High Court; passed Matric 1867, B.A., 1873; appointed Junior Fellow, Elphinstone College, for proficiency in Latin; took M.A. degree, 1876; appointed first Assistant Master in Dhulia High School, 1876. Within a few days after joining service at Dhulia, he had, owing to illness, to leave the school and come to Bombay. Studied Law and passed LL.B., 1879. Appointed Head Master, Robert Money Institution, 1879-82. Joined legal profession in January, 1882. His maternal uncle, P. B. Kirtikar, transferred his legal work to him and he came in contact with some of the leading pleaders and barristers of the day, Rameshchandra Mandlik, Rameshchandra Vasudoo Jagannath Kirtikar, Mr. Latham, Advocate-General, Mr. Inverarity, McPherson, Branson, and others. Appointed as Assistant Reporter of Bombay Law Reports, 1886-1900. Appointed Professor of Hindu Law, Government Law School, 1900. Principal, Government Law School, 1903-1906. During his professional career, he enjoyed the high opinion of Sir Raymond West, Puisne Judge and Chief Justice Sir Charles Sergeant, Sir Charles Farron, Chief Justice Sir Lawrence Jenkins, Chief Justice Sir Basil Scott, Sir Norman McLeod, Sir Amberson Martin,

and the present Chief Justice, Sir John Beaumont. Appointed Government Pleader in April, 1910, and was raised to the Bench as Acting Judge in August of the same year. Acted till December, 1910. Re-appointed as Judge, 1911. Again appointed as LL. C. Judge for seven months in 1912. By that time he had completed his sixtieth year and was ineligible for further appointment. During his professional career, he was engaged in several important cases both in Bombay and the mofussil. Was first engaged by H. H. Rao of Cutch in his controversy with Thakore of Morvi, 1896, which lasted for two years, and also in Nawab of Baroda's Case, Baba Maharaj Case, Chinchwad Devasthan Case, Pandharapur and Dakore Temples Cases. Had a considerable practice at Ahmedabad and his clients were Thakores, Talukdars and Millowners. He had a lucrative and prosperous career at the bar and retired at the age of eighty, in 1932, when the Appellate Bar of the Bombay High Court celebrated the Diamond Jubilee of his practice. The secret of his success, according to Dewan Bahadur Rao, was due to "Divine favour, industry, honesty and a high sense of duty."

Address—317, Kalbudevi Road, Bombay.

Rao, Vinayak Ganpat, B.A., (Bomb); B.A., LL.B., (Canton); Barrister-at-Law; Officer



D'Academic, J.P., Professor of French, Elphinstone College, Bombay, is son of Dewan Bahadur G. S. Rao, Ex-Judge, Bombay High Court. Born on 24th September, 1888, he was educated at Elphinstone High School and College, Bombay, St. John's College, Cambridge, and Grenoble University, France. He was Hon. Professor of French at the Elphinstone College, Bombay, from 1914-1917, and also Hon. Professor of French at the Wilson College, Bombay, from 1914-17 and 1921-23. He was appointed Professor of Law at the Govern-

ment Law College, Bombay (1923-24). He was also Assistant Law Reporter, Indian Law Reports, Bombay series, for some time, and has joined the Educational Service. He has been appointed Professor of French, Elphinstone College, Bombay, from June, 1924. He was Chairman of the Schools Committee, Bombay Municipality, in 1932. His various public activities include:—Nominated Member of Bombay Corporation, Member of the Standing Committee; District Commissioner, Municipal Boy Scouts' Association; Fellow of the Bombay University; Second Lieutenant in the University Training Corps; and one of the founders of the Safety First Association. He takes keen interest in various other educational and social activities in the city of Bombay and suburbs. A man of parts, he is a popular figure in the student world of Bombay, and takes much interest in the uplift of "Harijans." He is a trustee of Mahalaxmi and Karamsey temples in Bombay. He has married Miss Bhannumathi R. Kothare, daughter of Mr. R. N. Kothare, Solicitor.

Address—347, Kalbadavi Road, Bombay.

Rao, Vijayendra Kasturi Ranga

Varadaraja, Senior Lecturer in Economics, Andhra University, Waltair; M.A. (Bombay); B.A. Hons. (Cantab). Ph.D. (Cantab), 1936. Born July 7th, 1908; educated at Wilson College, Bombay, and University School of Economics, Bombay; Gonville and Caius Colleges, Cambridge; married Srimati Pramila Bai, daughter of Mr. D. R. Balaji Row, June 18th, 1931. First Class in Inter-Arts, B.A. Hons. and M.A. of Bombay University; also first Class in B.A. Hons. of Cambridge University; Adam Smith Prizeman, Cambridge University; Sir Thomas Gresham Scholar, Caius College, Cambridge; Gerton Student in Social Sciences, Great Britain; Dadabhai Naoroji Prizeman, India; Wordsworth Scholar, Corden Medallist, etc.; Bombay Madan Memorial Lecturer on Indian Currency, 1931; Statistical Assistant to the Bombay Banking Enquiry; Assistant Professor, Karnatak College, Dharwar, 1934-35. Publication: "Taxation of Income in India."

Recreations and Hobbies: Writing; Tennis.

Address—Andhra University, Waltair, South India.

Rathod, H. J., Bankers, Kolhapur. Born on 16th February, 1909. Educated at



Harthar Vidyalaya, Kolhapur. Married in 1926 with Kasturbai, daughter of Danaji Rupaji of Mudhol. (One son and one daughter.) After completion of education, he joined his family business under the name and style of "Jethraj Hindumal," well-known bankers of Kolhapur. A leading banker, Mr. Hindumal is a member of the Shroff Association and of the Managing Committee of Jain Conference, held at Bombay in 1933. Started Jethraj Pustak Bhandar, and is Secretary of Santinath Jain Maudir in Kolhapur.

Address—Kolhapur.

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Raste, Mrs. M. A.—Shrimant Saubhagyawati Girjabaisaheb is the eldest daughter of late Shri Trimbakrao Hariharrao alias Abasaheb Patwardhan, Chief of Kurundwad (Junior), and belongs to the illustrious Patwardhan family whose members held Jahagirs



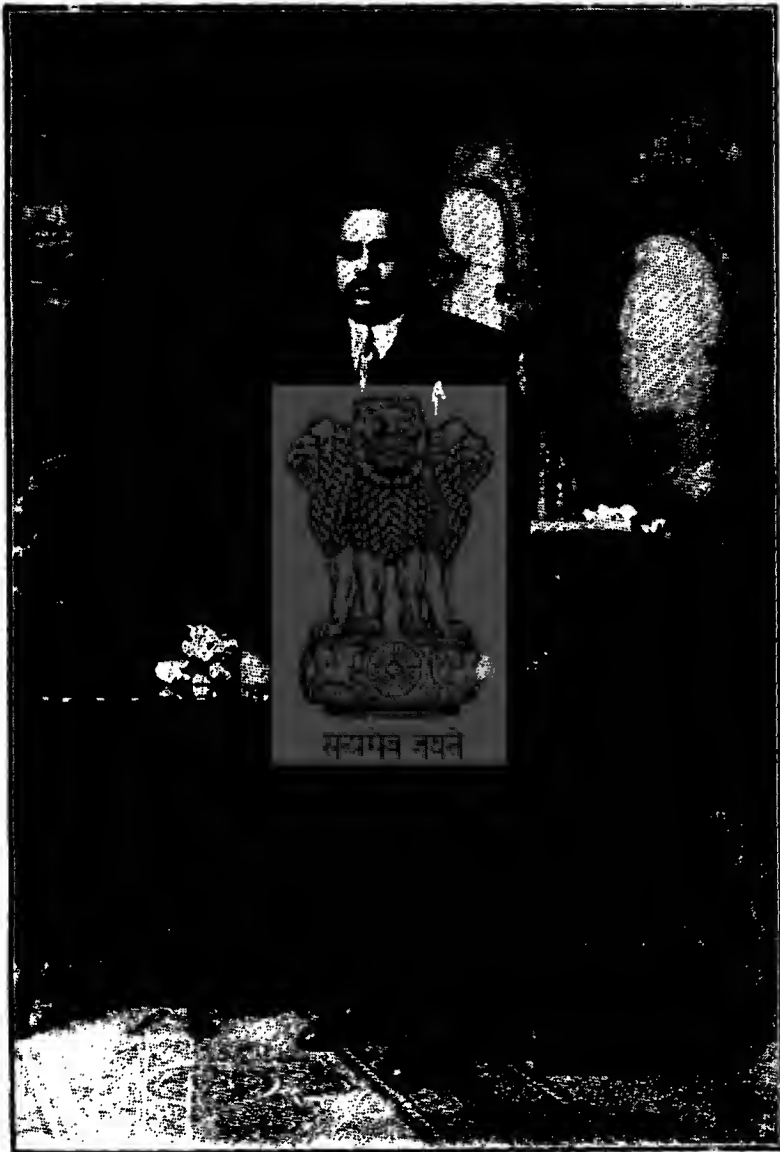
for military service under the Peshwas. Born on the 5th October, 1900, she spent her early life at Kurundwad where she received her education under private tutors at home, with the strictest discipline of the olden type. The education thus received has made her a perfect woman in cultural aspect and a good housewife in daily life—very rare cases in aristocratic families. In 1913 she was married with Sardar Shrimant M.A. Raste, first class Sardar of the Deccan. She has two sons and two daughters. The oldest daughter, S. S. Shashikala, Baisaheb, is married, to the present Chief Sahob of Bavda, in 1933, and her younger daughter is in the first year of Arts in the Wadia College.

Mrs. Raste spends much of her leisure hours in reading current literature and is acquainted with all the latest events. She takes much interest in the cause of female education and gives her quota for such institutions. She is connected with the

activities of Seva Sadan and the Indian Women's University. She is a member of the All-India Women's Council in Poona. As an exemplary type of refined Maharashtra womanhood, she is a dutiful wife to her husband and a loving mother of her children. She is a good hand at chess and takes keen interest in horticulture.

Address—Raste's Wada, Rastag Peth, Poona 2.

Raste, Sardar Madhavrao Anandrao, First Class Sardar of the Deccan, comes of a family with a good deal of ancient greatness behind it. As regards his family history and the achievements of his forefathers in the history of the Maharashtra, one could write volumes.



We will give only a summary in these pages. The founder of the family was the famous Raste, one of the Chief Sardars of the Maharatta confederacy during the time of the Peshwas. "Rastes" were originally bankers in the halcyon days of the Bijapur Kingdom to which place they migrated from Welonashar in Ratnagiri District and they were known as "Gokhales." They came and settled down in Satara during the days of Shahu Chatrapati Maharaj, and

the name "Raste" was an honorific title bestowed on them by the Maharata Raj in recognition of their uprightness and honesty in their business dealings. One of the ancestors of the Sardar was a Cavalry Commander and had shown great valour, and another was deputed on Ambassadorial work to Tippu on behalf of the Peshwas. They had also formed marital relations with the Peshwas. The mother of Madhavrao Peshwa, (Gopikabai, belonged to the Raste family. The Raste family have built a number of temples at Wai and have also endowed them. A good portion of the family income goes for the Devasthanams and other religious and charitable institutions.

Shrimant Madhavrao Raste, the present Sardar, was born on 15th February 1896 and is just in the prime of his life. He is a personality to be counted with in Western India. By birth he has an aristocratic position in Society. He has hereditary wealth at his disposal to maintain and keep up his position in life, and he has also that innate knowledge of men and things (and this comes only out of natural commonsense) which enables him to make use of his wealth in a discriminate way. The education he has received in the Sardar School, Kolhapur, has stood him in good stead in that he has secured an all-round knowledge. He is a good hand at chess, has a great liking for farming, and has a good and practical knowledge of poultry and gardening. He has also a fair knowledge of photography. With such a varied and useful knowledge, with the other fortunes of life always smiling on him and with a nobility of temperament coming out of the blue blood running in him, it is no wonder that Sardar Shrimant Madhavrao hates all the hotchpotch of modern life and believes in silent and useful social and philanthropic work. To mention an instance of his direct method of dealing with difficult situations, there is his decision to eliminate the human element from the Nasik Car Procession. That is the only way when Untouchables and Caste Hindus keep on fighting over their rights and this decision shows the characteristic temperament of the Sardar—and it has an intelligent humour about it. He has done a good deal of social work by way of alleviating the sufferings of humanity and his talented wife, Mrs. Raste, also takes an active and deep interest in women's reforms and activities. Thus Shrimant Madhavrao Anandrao is particular in living up to the glorious traditions of his forefathers.

Address—Raste's Wada, Rastas Peth,
Poona 2.

Reid, Robert Neil, M. A. (Oxon), C. S. I. (1934), C. I. E. (1930); Kaiser-i-Hind Gold Medal, (1924); Member of Executive Council, Bengal, since 1934. Born on 15th

July, 1883. Married Amy Helen Disney, 1909. Educated at Malvern and Brasenose Colleges, Oxford; I.C.S. 1906; arrived in India, 1907. Appointed Assistant Magistrate, Bengal; Under-Secretary, 1911-14; I. A. R. O., 1916-19; Magistrate and Collector, 1920-27; Secretary, Agricultural and Industries Department, 1927-1928; Commissioner, Rajshahi Division, 1930; Offg. Chief Secretary, 1930-31; Member of Executive Council, Bengal, from January, 1934.

Addresses—Writer's Buildings, Calcutta;
The Warren, Thorpe Ness, Suffolk.

Remedios, Monsignor James Dos, B.A., J. P., Deau, Vicariate of Bombay (1929); Chaplain, St. Teresa's Chapel and Principal, St. Teresa's High School, Bombay. Born on 9th August, 1875. Educated at St. Xavier's College and at the Papal Seminary, Kandy, Ceylon. Appointed Principal in 1904, and created J.P. in 1918.

Address—St. Teresa's Chapel, Girgaum, Bombay.

Riklin, Rev. Max, S. J., Principal, St. Vincent's High School, Poona. Born on 23rd March, 1875; he received his education in Switzerland and was ordained in 1908. He came to India in 1901 and joined the staff of St. Mary's High School, Bombay. He was Principal, St. Xavier's High School, Bombay, from 1915-23, and Administrator and Vicar-General for the Diocese of Poona from 1923-27.

Address—2004, St. Vincent Street, Poona.

Rizvi, The Hon. Syed Wakil Ahmad, B. A., LL. B., C.B.E. (1934). Born in November, 1885, he was educated at Government College, Jubbulpore, M. C. O., Allahabad, and Morris College, Nagpur. Started practice at Raipur as a High Court Pleader and rose to the top; a staunch advocate of Hindu Moslem Unity; a nationalist in politics; entered Legislative Council, 1927; elected President, Legislative Council, 1931-37; elected to the C. P. Legislative Assembly in 1937.

Address—Raipur, C.P.

Robertson, Maj.-Gen. Donald (Elphinston), C. B. (1932); D. S. O. (1920); 11th King Edward's Own Lancers (5th Probyn's Horse); Commanding Waziristan District since 1934. Born in 1879; son of late Lieutenant-Col. Sir Donald Robertson, K.C. S.I. Married in 1909 to Evelyn Catharine, daughter of Sir J.O. Miller, and has three sons and two daughters. Served European War,

1814-20; A.A.G. Northern Command, India, 1924-28; Commanded 9th Infantry Brigade, 1928; Barailly Brigade, 1931-32; A.D.C. to the King, 1932-34; officiating Officer Commanding, Presidency and Assam Districts, April-Nov., 1932; Director of Personal Services, Army Headquarters, India, 1933-34; Maj.-Gen., 1933. Club: United Service.

Roche Victoria, J.L.P., Managing Partner of Messrs. F. X. Pereira & Sons, the Agents of



The Scindia Steam Navigation Co., Ltd., in Tuticorin; Chairman Municipal Council, Tuticorin, 1926-29 and 1931-37. Member Tuticorin Port Trust; Member Madras Legislative Assembly. A prominent member of the Bharatha Community, son of late Mr. J.M.B. Roche Victoria; chairman of the Tuticorin Municipality for over sixteen years. Born 26th September, 1894. Educated St. Joseph's College, Trichinopoly; St. Alloysius' College, Mangalore; Davar's College of Commerce, Bombay. Married in 1919 to Mary Roche-Victoria, daughter of the late Mr. F. X. Pereira-President Tuticorin Ladies Association. Member Dist. Educational Council; President, Tuticorin Co-operative Bank and Building Society. Export Member of the Madras Legislative Council in 1924, for Tuticorin Port Trust Bill. European Tour in 1925 to gain business experience; a recipient of King George V's Silver Jubilee Medal, 1935.

One of the organizers of the Indian Chamber of Commerce, Tuticorin, and its representative

at the Federation of the Chambers of Commerce. Founder and Principal of St. Joseph's Institute for Home Industries and Rural Reconstructional Centre at Mangalagiri. President of Gymkhana Club, etc.

Address—Tuticorin.

Roche, His Lordship Rt. Rev. Francis Tiburtius, S.J., D.D., Bishop of Tuticorin.



Born on 14th April, 1879. Educated at St. Joseph's College, Trichinopoly and St. Benedict's College, Colombo. Parish Priest, Holy Redemptors' Church, Trichinopoly, from 1911-1923. The first Bishop of Tuticorin from 1923.

■ Address—Tuticorin.

Roughton, The Hon. Noel James, B.A., (Oxon 1908), C.I.E., (1932); I.C.S., Member of Council, Govt. of Central Provinces. Born on 25th December, 1885. Married Muriel Edith Boas. Educated at Winchester and New College, Oxford. Joined I.C.S. 1909; Central Provinces Commission; under-Secretary, 1918; Dy. Commissioner, 1919; Provincial Superintendent of Census Operations, 1920; Director of Industries and Registrar, Co-operative Credit Societies, 1923; Dy. Secretary, Government of India, Department of Commerce, 1925; Finance Secretary, C. P. Government, 1928; Commissioner 1933; Chief Secretary, 1933; Temporary member of Council, Revenue and Finance, 1934.

Address—Nagpur, Central Provinces.

Rokde, Shrimati Janabai, Justice of the Peace, Kaiser-i-Hind Medalist, and King George V Silver Jubilee Medalist, Bombay, was born in 1886 of a respectable Maratha family which has its homestead at Nargude in Poona District. Her father, late Mr. Madhavrao Rokde, J.P., devoted all his life to the promotion of education among the masses by setting up a school at Mandvi, Bombay.

As Shrimati Janabai had received her early education under the care of her father and imbibed from him the spirit of self-sacrifice, she resolved to devote all her earnings as a trained nurse and midwife to the maintenance of her father's school which had been kept going by her brother and sister after their father's demise.

Shrimati Janabai handed over this school to the Bombay Municipality in 1922 along with the money which she had collected for this purpose, on condition that it should be conducted free after her father's name in a new and separate building. The Diamond Jubilee of this school was befittingly celebrated at her instance and with the enthusiastic help of the old pupils and general public in 1927, under the presidency of Sir Leslie Wilson, the then Governor of Bombay. Contributions from past pupils and friends of the school amounted to Rs. 789-8-9. Even the poor persons who owed their primary education to the school readily contributed their humble mites, for they were all inspired by the grateful memory of the good that it had been to them. Mrs. Janabai thought it desirable to publish a small biography of her dear and great father for free distribution on the Jubilee Day and got the late Mr. K. A. Keluskar, one of the oldest friends of her father and a well-wisher of the school, to write a brief sketch of Madhavrao Rokde's life, which was published, and more than 1200 copies were distributed on the Jubilee Day. She also got Silver Medals struck with an inscription in honour of the Jubilee to be distributed among the pupils. They bear a beautiful impression of Dharmajirao Rokde, for the photo of the founder of the institution was never taken. These medals were distributed to all the boys in the school together with the sweatbands and the lifeskeetch of the founder of the institution. Mr. Janabai has agreed to

pay monthly charges of the metro and the lights taken at the staircase, the library room, and the rooms in which a night school belonging to the Social Service League meets.

Shrimati Janabai opened in 1924 a free Maternity home for women, after her late sister Ahalyabai, and has been conducting it very efficiently for the last thirteen years at a great self-sacrifice. She set up in 1925 a Free Reading Room and Library in the name of her late brother, Mr. Dharmajirao. This institution has been doing very useful work for the last twelve years, and has been receiving financial support mainly from Mrs. Janabai Rokde.

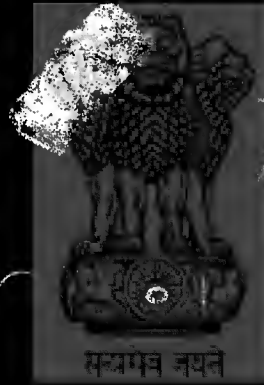
Shrimati Janabai Rokde, has been devoting her precious time, energy and money not only to the above charitable institution, but has ever been ready to help other institutions, associations, and movements set on foot to ameliorate the condition of the masses. As a great and good social worker and a true friend of the poor, her beneficent services have been duly appreciated by the public and Government alike. On her appointment as Justice of the Peace, prominent citizens of Bombay presented to her a congratulatory address in which a glowing tribute was paid to "her admirable self-sacrifice in the services of the poor and ignorant masses." She was also awarded the Kaiser-i-Hind Medal and King George V Silver Jubilee Medal in further recognition of her selfless public services in the year 1925.

Shrimati Janabai Rokde is on the Advisory Board of the Cama and Albless Hospitals. On the Advisory Board of J. J. Hospital; on the Executive Committee of Ahalyabai Free Maternity Home; and she is the Vice-Chairman of Maratha Aikeshhyu Sabha; Chairman of Koluskar Smarak Fund Committee; Chairman of Indian Nurses' Social Club; and Chairman of Dharmajirao Rokde Free Library and has been connected with numerous other institutions both charitable and social in the executive capacity.

Address—Koliwada, Mandvi, Bombay No. 9.

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Shrimati Janabai Rokde, J.P., Bombay.

Rupchand Motiram, (Rao Saheb).
Landlord, Merchant and Banker, Jalgaon,



District East Khandesh. Born in 1879. Educated at Jalgaon Dhulia, and Fergusson College, Poona. Married in 1896 with Miss Narmada, daughter of Nanyandas Panyadas of Dhulia. (Three sons and one daughter). Belongs to the Maheswari Marwadi caste. After studying law for some time, he entered business. Entered

Jalgaon Municipality, 1906; and served as Chairman, Vice-Chairman and President for several years. Also worked as Vice-President East Khandesh District Local Board and was its first non-official President for five years. Took a leading part in starting the East Khandesh Education Society in 1916 and opened the New English School (with fifty boys in the beginning) which, at present, is a full-fledged High School with six hundred boys. Has been the President, East Khandesh Education Society since its inception. Elected to the Bombay Legislative Council, 1921. A Bench Magistrate and Vice-President Co-operative Institute for several years; Created Raosaheb, 1910. Organized an Industrial and Agricultural Show, 1910. Was elected a Director of the Bhagirath Spinning and Weaving Mill when the question of winding up the mill-concern was under consideration; tried hard and organized a scheme and got it passed through the Bombay High Court and saved the situation; was also one of the first batch of Directors of Pratap Mill at Amalner. Organized the Merchants' class at Jalgaon, started the Grain and Cloth Merchants' Association.

Was President of the Grain Merchants' Association for several years; President of the All-India Maheswari Conference at Dhamangan in Berar; started People's Co-operative Bank at Jalgaon in May, 1934, of which he is the President.

Address—Jalgaon, District East Khandesh.

Rowland, James Walter. Born on 20th April, 1890. He joined the Service as an Assistant Superintendent of Police in 1909 and was posted to various places in that capacity till 1914. He became Assistant Consul, Army Department, Bombay, from October, 1914 to April 1915. He was appointed to the Indian Army Reserve of Officers in 1915 and was

Second Lieutenant, Infantry Branch; military duty from 1915-19. After the war he was posted to Nasik as Assistant Superintendent of Police, and served in Ahmednagar and Sukkur in the same capacity. In 1922 he was deputed temporarily as Superintendent of Police in connection with the operations against the Miana and Baluch gang of Dacoits. From 1922 to 1933 he was Superintendent of Police at Sukkur, Karachi, Broach, Satara, Poona, and Belgaum. He has been Deputy Commissioner of Police, Bombay, for nearly one year.

Address—Bombay.

Roy, Sir Asok Kumar, Kt. (1937), M.A., B.L., Advocate General, Calcutta, Bengal, since 1934. Educated at Doveton College, Presidency College, and Ripon College, Calcutta. Called to the Bar, (Middle Temple) in 1912 and was first class honours man at the final Bar examination. In 1920, he was appointed standing Counsel in Bengal, and acted twice as Judge of the Calcutta High Court. Address: Calcutta.

Royan, Dr. M., M.D., Zongnis of Vienna University. Born in November, 1884, at Ban-



galore. After completing his High School education joined the Royapuram Medical School and took L.M.P. in 1910. Took his M.D. degree with distinction in the Philotechnique University, Brussels, in 1930. Married in May, 1927, to the only daughter of the late

Mr. Diego Menezes of Bangalore. Was the first to introduce Diathermy and Ultra-Violet Ray treatment in the Mysore State, and has done some research work in Leukoderma till 1933. Founder of the Ultra-Violet Ray Institute, Bangalore. Was for several years nominated by the Govt. to the City Municipality and again renominated in January 1937, and is Chairman of the Health Committee; a nominated Member of the Mysore University Medical School Council for 7 years, Dr. Royan is a nominated member of the Mysore State Leprosy Relief Committee; Life-Member of the American Medical Association, Vienna; Member, Mysore Medical Association; Member, District Scout Council; Sub-Committee Member, Indian Red Cross Society, Mysore Branch; Executive Committee Member, Civic and Social Progress Association. Is the leader of the Indian Catholic Community in the City of Bangalore.

Address—Residence: "Rosemont," Albert Victor Road, Chamaraajpet, Bangalore City.

Rowlands, William Shaw, B.A. (Oxon.) Hon. Med. and Lit. Hum., Principal Robertson College, Jubbulpore. Born on 1st March, 1888. Educated at Beaumaris, Islandoverly College and C. C. C., Oxon. Married Gladys Irene, Scotland. Joined Robertson College as Professor of Philosophy, 1912-26; Head of the Department of Philosophy, Nagpur University, since 1924; Second Lieutenant, I. A. R. O., attached to the First Sixth Jat Light Infantry, 1918-19.

Publications: "A Guide to General English" (with N. R. Navlekar); Commentaries on Newman's "Idea of a University" and Walker's "Selected Short Stories," "Problems in Logic" (with Dr. Jivala Prasad).

Address—Robertson College, Jubbulpore.

Sachdev, Dr. Amrit Singh, M. B. B. S. (Punjab) 1923; D.P.H. (London) 1926; D.T.M.



(Liverpool) 1926; Medical Officer of Health, Factories, Punjab. Born 1st April, 1899. Educated at Simla, Lahore, Amritsar, Calcutta, London, and Liverpool; had a brilliant career throughout. Married 10th May, 1922, Shrimati Khem Kaur, who accompanied him

on a Continental tour in 1934. Has two sons and three daughters. Was Medical Officer of

Health, Mandi Hydro-Electric projects Jogindarnagar, 1927-29; Punjab Epidemiological Bureau, 1929-30; Municipal Medical Officer of Health, Dalhousie Hill station, April, 1930 to October, 1930; District Medical Officer of Health, Lyallpore, 1930-34; District Medical Officer of Health, Amritsar, 1935-36; the only delegate of Punjab Government at the first Indian Population Conference, held at Lucknow in February, 1936.

Address—Civil Secretariat, Lahore.

Sadgopal, M. Sc. (Tech), 1931; Chief Chemist and Managing Director the Hindustan Aromatics Co., Benares. Eldest son of late Syt. Diwanchand of Jullundur City. Mr. Sadgopal was born on 26th August, 1908. He received his education from the University of Punjab and from the Benares Hindu University; stood first in Intermediate and awarded special prize in chemistry; stood first in B.Sc. and awarded Raja Vijaychand prize and purse; stood first in M. Sc. (Tech) and awarded the Chancellor's Gold Medal.

Chemist Modi Oil and Soap factory, Patiala, in 1932; University Research Scholar at B. H. U. from 1933-35; Chief Chemist and managing director, the Hindustan Aromatics Co., Benares, since 1935. He was the secretary Aryan Young Men's Association, 1925-27; Secretary, Arya Samaj Benares Hindu University, 1930; Secretary, Fine Arts Exhibition B.H.U. 1930; President, B. H. U. Swatantra Borders Union, 1930-31. Organiser of the Students Self-Help Circle B.H.U., and Physical Instruction Classes; Secretary, the Society of Chemical Industries, Benares. Awarded Government of India's Industrial Research Prize for his essay on the Aromatic resources of India, 1936. Originator of the famous G. S. lines for testing adulteration in butter fats; has published a large number of research papers and books on oil, soap, and perfumes.

Address—The Hindustan Aromatics Co., P.O. Lanka, Benares.

Sadiq, Khwaja Ahmad Ghulam, B.A. (Ox.); Executive Officer, Municipal Committee, Amritsar. Born on 12th November, 1902. Educated at M.A.O. High School, Amritsar, Senior Cambridge Preparatory School, Dehra Dun, and Non-Collegiate Association, Oxford. Has two sons and two daughters. Joined the Bar and practised at Amritsar and then shifted to Lahore; on the retirement of his father, Khan Bahadur Khwaja Mohammad Ghulam Sadiq, who was public prosecutor, he returned to his native place and practised there till he joined the present appointment. He is a member of Southern Punjab Cricket Association and took part

in almost every social activity. During the Great War, he gave 200 recruits and contributed to War loan.

Address—Woodlands, The Mall, Amritsar.

Saha, Meghnad, D. Sc., F.R.S., F.A.S.B., Head of Physics Dept., Allahabad University. Born in 1893 at Sorakali in Dacca Dist. Educated at Dacca and Presidency College, Calcutta. Lecturer in Physics and Applied Mathematics, Calcutta University, 1916; Pritchard Roychand Scholar, 1918; D. Sc. in 1918; worked at the Imperial College of Science, London, 1921-22, and in Berlin; Khaira Prof. of Physics, Calcutta University, 1921-23; Prof. of Physics, Allahabad University, 1923; Life Member of Astronomical Society of France; Fellow of Royal Society of London (1927); Indian Representative at Volta Centenary Comm., 1927; Fellow, Asiatic Society of Bengal, 1930; founded U. P. Academy of Sciences and elected First President, 1931; Dean of Science Faculty, Allahabad University, 1931-35. Member, Quinquennial Reviewing Committee, Indian Institute of Science, Bangalore, 1930; Member of Governing Body, Indian Research Fund Association 1930-33; Member of Council, Indian Institute of Science, 1931-34; President, Indian Science Congress, 1934; Organizing Secretary for founding a National Academy of Sciences for India which later developed into the National Institute of Science, India. Elected Fellow and First Foreign Secretary thereof; President of the National Institute of Science, 1936; President of the Indian Physical Society, 1935; Carnegie Travelling Scholar, 1936. Director, Sitapur Sugar Works, Ltd., Bihar. Publications: "On the Fundamental Law of Electrical Action deduced from the Theory of Relativity," 1918; "Theory of Thermal Ionisation and Physical Theory of Stellar Spectra," 1921-22; "Explanation of Complex Spectra of Elements," 1927; author of a pamphlet, "On the Need of a Hydraulic Research Laboratory in Bengal," and of numerous scientific papers in English, Continental, American, and Indian journals; founder of a School of Physical Research at Allahabad. Author of the following books: 1. "Theory of Relativity" (1921) (with S. N. Bose) 2. "Frontiers on Heat" (1931) (with B. N. Srivastava) 3. "Treatise on Modern Physics" (1935) (with N. K. Saha) 4. "Junior Text Book of Heat" (with B. N. Srivastava); Founder-Editor of the popular scientific journal "Science and Culture."

Address—7 Boli Road, Allahabad.

Saharia, Rai Bahadur Rameswar, M.L.C. is one of the leading business men and



tea planters, being the sole proprietor of the firm of Messrs. Hanutram Ramprotop, Balimara and Satyanarain Tea Estates, General Merchant, and Banker. His native village is Kaladora in Jaipur State, Rajputana. His grandfather, late Hanutram Saharia came to Dibrugarh (Assam) 100 years

ago and established this business. He is a keen and shrewd business man and he is the President of Marwari Chamber of Commerce, Assam. He has donated a large sum to build a Girls' Hostel for Lady Kean's Girls' College in Shillong after his late reverend mother's name, Sreemati Chand Sahariani, and is also running a Middle School in his native village, an eloquent proof of his educational interest and philanthropy.

Address—Dibrugarh, Assam.

Sahibzada, Ghulam Mohiuddin, Khan Bahadur, is the brother of His Highness,



The Prince of Arcot. Born on 13th August, 1890. Educated at Government Madrasai-Azam. Khan Bahadur, 1897; State Guest Delhi Darbar 1911; Darbar Medal 1911; Vice-President South India Muslim League. Political Stipendiary, Sheriff of Madras, 1935-36. Had the honour of reading

proclamations at the Government House of Ex-King Edward VIII and of His Imperial Majesty King George VI in 1936.

Address—"Amir Mahal", Royapettah, Madras.

Saher, Dadiba Nowrojee, L. M. & S., J.P., Medical Practitioner and Hon. Presidency Magistrate and a trustee of the Parsi Panchayats, Bombay. Born in 1868. Educated at Elphinstone High School and Grant Medical College, Bombay. Married

with Hirabai, daughter of Framji Rustumjee Cama of Bombay. The Saher family is one of the ancient Parsee families who have settled down in Bombay for more than 200 years and have on their grounds the Saher Fire Temple on Warden Road, which was built by Hormusjee Daulabkoy Saher about eighty years ago. Dr. D.N. Saher passed Matric in 1888; L.M. & S., 1893; commenced practice in Bombay from 1893; has been Secretary Zoroastrian Buildings Society and Building Fund and B.D. Petit Parsee General Hospital; a trustee of Byramjee Nowrojee Gamadia Parsee Humarshala at Tardeo and of Bannaji and Dadyseth Atash-Behran and of various charitable institutions; was also a delegate to the Parsee Matrimonial Court.

Address—Saher Building, Warden Road, Bombay.

Sakhare, Maharudrappa Reevappa, M.A., T.D. (Cantab); Principal, G. A. High



School, Belgaum. Born on 27th October, 1891. Educated at Rajaram High School and Rajaram College, Kolhapur; Deccan College, Poona, University College, Southampton, and Bristol University. Passed Matric in 1909; B.A. (Hons.) 1914; M.A. 1916; T.D., 1934. Married first in 1914 and second time in

1919 with Miss Parvatibai, daughter of Shivappa Kolgori of Hubli and has three sons. Principal G. A. High School since Nov. 1916. Fellow of the Bombay University, 1925-29. Started the K.L.M. Society, Belgaum, in 1916 in collaboration with the other life members of the Society. Started the Belgaum College scheme in 1927 and successfully sponsored it in the University. The present College at Belgaum can be said to be the direct result of his efforts. Erected the College building. Was the General Secretary of the Society for five years; Chairman, Reception Committee of the first All-India Non-Brahmin Conference, Belgaum, in 1924; Chairman, Reception Committee, fourth Bombay Presidency Secondary Teachers' Conference, Dharwar in 1927.

Address—Talakhwadi, Belgaum.

Saklatvala, Sorabji Dorabji, M.L.A., B.A., J.P., Director, Tata Sons, Ltd. Born in March, 1879. Married Meherbai, daughter of late Major Divocha, I.M.S. Educated at St. Xavier's College. He was Chairman, Bombay

Millowners' Association, 1924. Vice-President, Indian Central Cotton Committee, 1929-30 and 1930-31; elected Member, Bombay Legislative Council, representing Millowners' Association, Bombay (Ang. 1934). Elected to the Bombay Legislative Assembly in 1937. Publications: "History of Millowners' Association, Bombay."

Address—Bombay House, Fort, Bombay.

Salahuddin, Khan Bahadur Mohamed, comes of a very respectable historical family.



He was born in the year 1875 and was educated at Ahmednagar. He entered public life in the year 1902 as an elected Councillor of Ahmednagar Municipality. But at Ahmednagar the field of activities appeared to be somewhat limited and hence Government appointed him Hon. Magistrate at Poona in the year 1911 in which capacity he worked till the year 1928 when he was appointed the President of the Bench, with first class powers.

He is the only person who has been repeatedly nominated as a member of the Poona City Municipality since the year 1915. This in itself is a sufficient index of the confidence which Khan Bahadur enjoys in Government Circles. Government was also pleased to nominate him on the Poona District Local Board for nine years. There he worked as Vice-President of the District Local Board from 1928 to 1930. He also acted as the Vice-Chairman of the Poona District School Board for four and half years.

He enjoys the confidence of his community on account of personal merit and services rendered to his community. He was elected by the Deccan Moslem Institute as its first Vice-President. He also holds charge as President of the Anjuman-i-Faizul Islam. His election, therefore, to the First Reformed Legislative Council in 1920, where he did much useful work, did not surprise any one. At that

time the movement of Non-Co-operation was in full swing but Khan Bahadur M. Salahuddin was adamant in his principles and refused to resign his seat in Council in the interest of constructive work. His other public activities are:—President of the Tabootwala Association; Member of the Indian Red Cross Society; Member of the Agri-Horticultural Society of Western India; Vice-President, District Local Board, Poona; Vice-President of the Sardars and Dumaldars Association; Member of the Managing Board of the Depressed Class Mission; Member of the After-Care Society; Visitor of the Central Mental Diseases Hospital; Managing Mutwalli Jamma Masjid; Visitor Reformatory School; Member of the Society for the Protection of Children, Western India; Member of the Nursing Association, Sassoon Hospital, and also many other Associations.

Sir George Lloyd and Sir Leslie Wilson, Ex-Governors of Bombay know him personally and they had a very high regard for him. Under his leadership the reputation of the Mohomedan community waited on the then Governor H. H. Sir Frederick Sykes and presented their address to His Excellency.

Khan Bahadur M. Salahuddin is equally popular with other communities also and has been elected to important positions. He is the Treasurer of the King Edward Memorial Hospital, member of Veterinary Hospital, and member of Provincial Boy-Scouts. Thus it will be seen that he occupies a very important position both from the public and the Government point of view in the civic life of Poona. He was made Khan Bahadur in 1932 in recognition of his valuable public services.

Address—85, Wellesley Road, Poona.

Satarawalla, Darasha Pirojshah, General Merchant and Dealer for Chevrolet



Cars and Hon. Magistrate, Satara. Born on 15th April, 1898. Educated at Satara High School. Married on 16th September, 1923, with Miss Sharabai, daughter of Jamsheerji Framjee Katrak of Bombay (one daughter). They are the oldest Parsee family who came to Satara and settled down

there. After completion of education, Mr. Darasha joined business in 1921. In 1928 elected to the Municipality and has been a Member since then; nominated to

Suburban Municipality since 1931; a member of the Managing Committee of Suburban Municipality and of the City School Board; in 1914 joined the I. D. P. during the Great War and was its member till 1920; takes a keen interest in the village uplift movement; presented an ambulance bus to the Health Association, Satara, when Lady Brabourne opened the Maternity Home in 1935.

Address—Rutton Villa, Satara.

Salter, Malcolm Gurney, B.A., (Oxon.) 1910; M.A., 1918, I.E.S., Principal, Daly College, Indore. Born on 10th May, 1887; educated at Cheltenham College and Hertford College, Oxford; Master at Winchester College, 1911; in Indian Educational Service since 1918; Great War Lieut. (T. Capt.), 12th Pongal Cavalry; Mesopotamia 1917-19; Assistant Master at Aitchison College, Lahore, 1920-23.

Address—Daly College, Indore, Central India.

Samiullakhan, Mohmad, B.A., I.L.B., High Court Pleader and President, Nagpur



Municipality. Born in 1889, he was educated at U. F. C. High School, Nagpur and M. A. O. College, Aligarh. Married on 17th April, 1917, with Miss Insunnila Begum, daughter of Abdul Jalil of Nagpur. (Five sons and one daughter). Passed Matric 1907; B.A. 1911 (Aligarh); LL.B. 1914. Com-

monced practice at Nagpur 1915. A member, Nagpur Municipality for sixteen years; Vice-President for six years, 1921-28; elected President of the Municipality since 1932; re-elected in 1935; joined Non-co-operation Movement 1921-23; elected to the Legislative Assembly as a Swarajya Party Member from C.P. Mohamedan Constituency, 1924. Member, Executive Committee, Anjuman High School from 1915; Secretary, Prov. Khilafat Committee, C. P., 1920-24; Secretary, Anjuman High School, Nagpur, for some time and its General Secretary since 1932-33; one of the Secretaries of the Silver Wedding Fund at its start; was member, All-India Congress Committee and the Central Khilafat Committee, from 1921-23; whip of the Swaraj Party in the Legislative Assembly, 1925; Hon. Secretary, District Bar Association, Nagpur, 1927-32; a member, Railway Finance Committee 1925-

26; President, Railway Mail Service Association, Nagpur branch, 1926; Vice-President, Government Press Employees' Union, 1929-30.

Address—Nagpur.

Sanjana, Manchershah Behramji
M.A., LL. B., Advocate High Court, Surat



Born on 2nd September, 1891. Educated at Surat Sarvajani High School and Elphinstone College, Bombay; passed Matric, 1908; B. A., 1912; M. A., 1918; university prizeman for proficiency in Avasta-Pehlvi language; LL. B., 1916; joined Surat Bar 1916; elected to Municipality, 1921; Vice-President Municipality 1925-1927; elected President of the Municipality 1931, and since then has been thrice re-elected President. Member, managing Committee of the Surat District Bar Association; Member, Managing Committee of the Surat District Law Library.

Address—Nanpura, Surat.

Sanjeevan Rao Deshmukh, Deshmukh and Pleader, Narainkorh, Hyderabad (Deccan),



is the son of Lakshman Rao Deshmukh. Born in 1897, he was educated at Hyderabad (Deccan). Married in 1917 with Lakshmi Bai. His estate was under the control of Paigha. He took up the case into his own hands and got it released; besides that he worked for the cause of others whose estates were under the con-

trol of Paigha Government and he was successful in getting them released. He made

rural upliftment; constructed roads, opened a primary school, and did many other works of public utility. He is a great philanthropist and has aided many schools and other institutions.

Address—Post, Sanjeevan Rao Peth, Taluq Narainkorh, Hyderabad (Deccan).

Sasnur, Sangappa Basvantrao, B. A., LL. B., Pleader and Vice-President, District Local Board, Bijapur. Born in 1905, he was educated at Basveshwar High School, Bagalkot and Deccan College, Poona. Married in 1925, with Miss Lingamma, daughter of Hanumonda Patil of Gudur. Passed Matric, 1925. B.A., 1929. LL. B., 1931. Commenced practice at Bagalkot, 1932. Elected to the Bagalkot Municipality and District Local Board, 1932. Was Chairman of the Managing Committee of Bagalkot Municipality, May, 1932 to May 1934. Elected Vice-President, District Local Board, 1923. Contributes articles to many papers and magazines. He has written an essay, "Critical Study of Modern Kannada Poetry," which secured a prize for its author. He takes great interest in all social and political activities in and around Bagalkot.

Address—Bagalkot, District Bijapur.

Satardekar, Dr. Vitthal Shivram
Prabhhu, Private Medical Practitioner

(Bio-chemic and Ayurvedic), Nipani, Dist. Belgaum. Born in 1892, educated at Murnunga and Dr. Lopat Prabhuram's Ayurvedic College, Bombay. Married in 1932 to Miss Tarabai, daughter of Keshavrao Naik Desai of Pedne, (Gua). After education in Ayurvedic College, he prac-



ticed medicine in Bombay and Gugarat. After a couple of years, he came to his native place at Satarde and practised there for nine years. Since 1929, he has been practising at Nipani. He has earned a reputation for curing leprosy patients, and is responsible for introducing patent medicines, especially for chronic venereal diseases. He has also cured a few cases of leprosy patients in their almost hopeless condition.

Address—Nipani, Dist. Belgaum.

Sathashivam Tiruvilingam, M. B. E., J.P., U.P.M. (P); Chairman, Prisons' Visiting Committee, Colombo. Born on 15th December, 1890. Educated at Wesley College, Colombo; Passed Senior local Cambridge. Married 25th November, 1912, Ambikai, and has one son. Visitor general hospital since 1933; Chairman, Prisons' Visiting Committee since 1936; Visitor, Welikade, Romand and Mahara Prisons from 1932-1935; Vice-President, Tamil Union, C. & A. C.; Wesley College, Old Boys' Union; Natts. C. & A.C.; Hon. Secretary, Maternity Waiting Home; Director, Manipay Hindu College. A proprietary planter, he is much interested in social service work and sports; a well-known cricketer in his time, played for the Tamils for nearly twenty-five years; now prominent in golfing circles. Contributed sums to Wesley College Library Funds, Flood Relief Funds etc. Founder of the Maternity Waiting Home and Manipay Hindu College.

Address—Suarna, Campbell Place, Colombo, Ceylon.

S a t h e, Jagannath Luxman, I. C. S., Finance Secretary to the U. P. Government,



comes of a well known family of the Deccan and is the first Indian to be Secretary to the Board of Revenue, Excise Commissioner, and Finance Secretary. Born on 20th April, 1883, he was educated at Kathiawad High School, Rajkot, Gujarat College, Ahmedabad, Bahauddin College, Junagadh, and St. John's College, Cambridge. He passed the B. A. Examination of the Bombay University in first division in 1904, and was appointed Fellow of Bahauddin College at Junagadh in 1905. He left for England the same year and while at Cambridge studying for the I.C.S., he passed the Science Tripos examination with Physics, Chemistry, and Geology, in first class in 1907, and was awarded the College Hockins Prize in the same year. After passing the open Competitive examination in 1908, he joined

service as Asst. Collector at Aligarh. After being in charge of some Sub-Divisions, he was posted to Ballia as Collector during the 1920-1923, non-cooperation days. He was made Secretary, Board of Revenue, U. P., from 1923-24; Excise Commissioner 1927-31, and Director of Industries, 1931-32. Before he was appointed as Finance Secretary on 7th April, 1933, he was on special duty in the Government of India from July to November, 1932. He is now Commissioner of Benares.

Address—Commissioner's House, Benares.

Sathaye, Keshav Damodar, B. A., LL. B., Government Pleader and Public Prosecutor,



Satara. Born 31st August, 1886. Educated at Wilson College, Bombay, and Govt. Law School, Bombay. Married on 24th December, 1909, with Miss Warutai, daughter of K. H. Kelkar, Advocate, Bombay. (One son and two daughters). Passed Matric in 1905, B. A., 1909, LL. B., 1911. Was a

Daxina Fellow, in Wilson College, Bombay. Enrolled as a pleader in the High Court. Commenced practice at Satara in 1913. Acted as assistant Public Prosecutor for several years. Appointed Government Pleader and Public Prosecutor, Satara, in June 1935.

Address—Palace Road, Satara City.

Sathe, Shankar Hari, B. A., LL. B., M.J.A., Pleader, Satara. Born in June, 1889,



at Mahad. Educated at Mahad Municipal School and Fergusson College, Poona. Married in 1908 with Laxmibai, daughter of Panduranga Dharap of Mahad (has five sons and six daughters). Passed Matric in 1906; B.A., 1909; LL.B., (first class) in 1911; obtained Arnold Scholarship in

Hindu Law. Commenced practice at Satara in June 1912 as an attache to late R. P. Karandikar, well-known Advocate in Western

India. Mr. Satho was a member, Satara Municipality, 1932-35; is a Director of Swadeshi Vyapari Mandali Ltd. and of Satara Electric Co., Ltd.; was a Director of Western India Life Insurance Co., Ltd., Satara. Elected to the Bombay Legislative Assembly on Congress ticket in February, 1937.

Address—Shanivar Peth, Satara City.

Sathe, Ramchandra Trimbak,
Electrical and Mechanical Engineer and



Technical S.T.C., and Superintendent, Victoria Jubilee Municipal Technical School and Workshops, Poona City. Born in 1894, at Miraj, where his father, Trimbak Narayan Sathe was Municipal Officer. He received his education at Miraj State High School and College of Engineering, Poona. He married in 1919, Miss Sitabai, daughter of Jog, a well-known landlord of Jayagad. He joined Tata's Electrical Works, Bombay, 1920-21, and later on in the same year was posted to the present appointment. A Technical School Teacher as he is, he combines in himself the electrician, with experiences from ordinary wiring to the complicated and responsible electrical arrangements on a hospital ship; the careful technician knowing the management and working of a light-house; and the practical engineer with varied and detailed experiences as regards the manufacture of municipal requirement including motorbody building. Under his guidance, the Municipal Technical School is developing. He is a Member of the Mechanical Engineers' Association (India) and Secretary of the same (Poona Branch).

Address—875, Shukarwar Peth, Poona City.

Satyamutri, S., B.A., B.L., M.L.A., Advocate, Madras. Born on 19th August, 1887, he was educated at Raja's College, Pudukottah, Madras Christian College, and the Madras Law College. Has been an active politician and a Congressman for the last twenty-four years; visited Great Britain and Ireland in 1919 as a Member of the Congress Deputation, and again in 1925 on behalf of Swarajya Party; travelled throughout India and Ceylon on Congress work and delivered political lectures in almost every important village in the Madras Presidency; member, Madras Bar Council; member of the Senate representing the registered graduates of the Madras University; a member of the Syndicate and Convener of the University Library Committee; a member of the Academic Council and of the Faculty and Board of Studies in Law; President of the Faculty of Fine Arts; member of the Board of Studies in Indian Music; a member of the General University Inspection Commission, 1928; a member of the Senate, Academic Council, the Syndicate, and the Board of Selection of the Annamalai University, Chidambaram; a Member of the National Liberal Club, London; Vice-President of the Madras Presidency Postmen's Union and Member All-India Congress Committee; Municipal Councillor for the Triplicane Division; elected and re-elected in 1926, 1929 and 1932; member, Standing Committee Taxation and Finance; Vice-President, Madras Corporation Official Association; Chairman, Broadcasting Committee; President Triplicane Divisional Civic Association; President, Madras District Congress Committee; Vice-President, Tamil Nadu Provincial Congress Committee; Chairman, Reception Committee All-India Swadeshi Exhibition, Madras, 1931; gave evidence before the Racial Distinction Committee on behalf of the Madras Vakils Association, 1922; and the Taxation Inquiry Committee and the Indian Sandhurst Committee; presided over the Tamil Nadu Provincial Conference, Madras, and the Bengal Provincial Students Conference, 1931; elected to the second and third Madras Legislative Council by the University Constituency; was Deputy Leader of the Congress Party in the Council; resigned seat in the Legislative Council in accordance with Congress Mandate; took leading part in Civil Disobedience Movement and was arrested and imprisoned in January and March, 1931; arrested and convicted again in January, 1932, for eighteen months under the Ordinance; President, Madras Swarajya Party and a founder member of the All-India Swarajya Party, 1934; elected to the Indian Legislative Assembly as Congress Candidate for the Madras City in December, 1934; secretary, Congress Party in the Assembly; president, Tamil Nadu Provincial Congress Committee.

Address—Car Street, Triplicane, Madras.



The late Mr. Vithal Sayana, Bombay.

Sayana, Dewan Bahadur, Narayan Vithal, Government Contractor, Bombay, is the only son of the late Mr. Vithal Sayana, the well-known building contractor of Western India. Born on 2nd January, 1902. Educated at Elphinstone High School, and Fort and Proprietary High School, Bombay. Married on 26th December, 1926, with Laxmibai of Hyderabad, related to late Rao Bahadur Yellapa Balaram, Government Contractor of Bombay.

His father, late Mr. Vithal Sayana, was born in 1866 of very poor, humble parents in a Telugu family, and had to start to earn his bread from his fifteenth year. By sheer industry and intelligence his father rapidly thrived as a trustworthy and able contractor, and there are numerous public and private works which testify to his ability as one of the best builders. The works constructed by him for the Government and for public bodies are:—The Prince of Wales Museum, the General Post Office Building in Bombay, Sir Cowasjee Jehangir Hall and the Science Institute, the Bombay Small Causes Court, Colaba Military Quarters and Hospital, the Butcher Island Officers' Quarters and Battery Station, many buildings of the Bombay Municipality and the large Drainage Scheme, Messrs Tata and Sons Khapoli Power House, and nearer home, the Kulva bridge at Thana.

On his death, his son, Dewan Bahadur Narayan Vithal Sayana, with the consent of his mother, Gangubai, fulfilled the wish of his father by donating a complete civil hospital at Thana, which was opened by Lord Brabourne. His original offer of a donation of a lakh of rupees has been exceeded to over and above two and a half lakhs, for besides the magnificent modern structure which now houses the Vithal Sayana Hospital, Dewan Bahadur Sayana has also contributed towards the construction of nurses' quarters, servants' annex, mortuary, dharmashala, isolation block, dhobi ghat and compound wall. The hospital is built on modern lines and well equipped. A marble bust of late Mr. Vithal Sayana, opened by H. E. the Governor, occupies a prominent place in the entrance hall of the hospital.

A young man of great promise, Narayan Vithal Sayana was created Dewan Bahadur in 1937, a fitting recognition by Government of his munificent gift of Vithal Sayana Hospital to the public of Thana and the district.

Opening the statue of Mr. Vithal Sayana on 17th November 1933, at Thana, the Governor said:—

“Mr. Narayan Vithal Sayana, Ladies and Gentlemen:

“I thank you very much for having extended to me this invitation to perform the ceremony of unveiling the statue of your father, the late Mr. Vithal Sayana. Though I had not the pleasure of knowing



Mrs. Narayan Vithal Sayana.



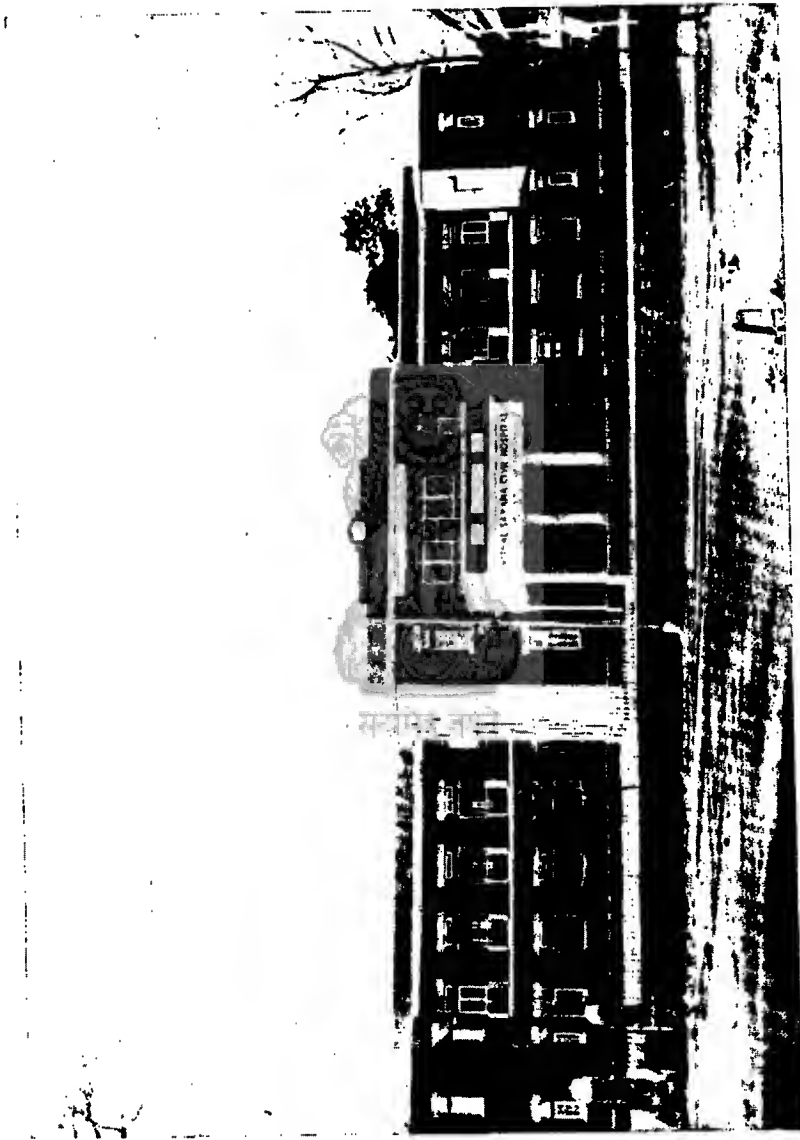
Dewan Bahadur, Narayan Vithal Sayana, Bombay.

him personally, I have heard much of his excellent work as Public Works Contractor. I am very interested, for instance, to find that he was connected with the construction of such important buildings as the Prince of Wales Museum and the Royal Institute of Science, which I think every one must regard as architectural features of Bombay City. I know that Mr. Vithal Sayana's reputation as a reliable and competent contractor stood very high with the Public Works Department of the Government of Bombay, and I am interested to hear to-day that his professional ability was equalled by his munificence in the cause of Charity.

"I am especially glad to hear that he had promised to make a donation towards the cost of rebuilding the Civil Hospital of Thana, and I congratulate you, Sir, on the filial devotion with which you have determined to carry out his wishes in this respect. Your promise to contribute a lakh of rupees reflects the greatest credit upon your sense of duty in this respect, and I am sure also there could not be a worthier cause on which a charitable contribution could be expended. The rebuilding of the Civil Hospital in Thana has long been a very urgent need, and the substantial expense involved has, I am afraid, rendered it impossible for the Municipality to cope with this responsibility unaided in view of their other considerable obligations. Neither, in view of the present state of our Provincial finances, could a grant from Government be expected, and in these circumstances it is a matter for universal rejoicing that you, Sir, have come to the rescue. I understand that the actual payment of the promised sum of one lakh of rupees must depend on the conclusion of certain litigation in the High Court. I hope that will soon be disposed of and that the money for this very urgent work can shortly be made available.

"Your father, Sir, has already many memorials of a lasting nature in view of his connection with so many outstanding buildings; but if the benefit conferred on the poor and suffering is taken into consideration, I am sure the association of his name with the rebuilding of the Civil Hospital in Thana will rank as equal to any of his other memorials in importance. Once more, therefore, I congratulate you on your devotion to your father's memory and on behalf of the Government of Bombay and of the public of Thana I thank you very much for the munificent donation which you have promised, and I have now much pleasure in unveiling the statue of Mr. Vithal Sayana, your father."

Address—Vithal Sayana Building, Lohar Chawl, Bombay, or
Lower Colaba, Bombay.



Vithal Sayana Hospital, Thana.

Schofield, Alfred, B.Sc. (Econ.); His Majesty's Trade Commissioner, Calcutta. Born in 1889. Married Gladys Elcanor, daughter of A. M. Hawkes, Burton-on-Trent. Educated at Manchester School of Commerce, and University of London. In business in Manchester, 1909-12; Lecturer in Economics, London County Council, 1912-14; served with British Expeditionary Force, 1915-18; Lecturer in Economics, etc., to Bankers' Institute, 1919-20; appointed to Inland Revenue Dept., London, 1921-23 and Dept. of Overseas Trade, 1923-30. Publications: "Routine of Commerce" and "Commercial Practice."

Address—Bongal Club, Calcutta.

Scobell, Major-General Sanford John Palaret, C.B. (1935), C.M.C. (1919); Commanding Bombay District since 1935. Born on 26th September, 1879. Educated at Winchester, Sandhurst. Married in 1910 to Cecily Maudo, daughter of the late G. C. Hopkinson. Joined 1st Bn. Norfolk Regiment in India, 1899; employed on embarkation duties on the outbreak of European War, and became Brigade Major 35th Infantry Brigade on the formation of the new Armies, G.S.O. 2 at Corps Headquarters and G. S. O. 1, 49th; G. S. O. 1 Mission to Baltic States, 1919; 28th Division in Turkey, 1920-23; Commander, 2nd Battalion the Norfolk Regiment, 1926-28; A. A. G. War Office, 1928-30; Commander Senior Officers' School, Bologna, 1930-32; Brigade Commander, India, 1932-34.

Address—Headquarters, Bombay.

Scott, John Gordon Cameron, M.A. (Cantab.), Medieval and Modern Languages Tripos (1911); Principal, Prince of Wales' Royal Indian Military College, Dohra Dun. Born on 14th March, 1888. Married to Audrey, youngest daughter of Colonel J. Scully. Educated at Marlborough College, and Pembroke College, Cambridge. Appointed to the Chief's College Branch of the Indian Educational Service in 1912; Principal, Prince of Wales' Royal Indian Military College, 1921.

Address—Prince of Wales' R. I. M. College, Dohra Dun, U. P.

Seethapathi Rao, Sreepathi Rao Bahadur, B.A., B.L., Vizagapatnam. Born in January, 1874 at Parvatipur. Was educated at Maharaja's College, Vizianagaram (B.A. in 1894), and Law College, Madras (B.L., 1899). Married and has one son and five daughters. Set up practice in the local Bar in 1921 as Advocate. Was Dewan of Jeypore Estate in 1918; Agency Govt. Pleader and Public Prosecutor, 1921-35; Member, Senate, Andhra University, Waltair, 1932-35. Won the Silver

Jubilee Medal and Durbar Medal. Founded a Gold Medal in the said University, styled "Sripathi Medal", and J. B. Brown's Gold Medal in Mrs. A. V. N. College, Vizagapatnam. Was President, Taluk Board, Parvatipuram, and Member District Board, Vizagapatnam. Municipal Councillor, Vizagapatnam. Member, Century Club, Vizagapatnam. Created Rao Sahib in 1916 and Rao Bahadur in 1935. Took active part in local bodies.

Address—Mahranipet, Vizagapatnam.

Sen, Jitendra Mohan, B.Sc. (Cal), M.Ed. (Londs), Dip. Ed. (Oxford), Teachers' Diploma,



(London) P. R. G. S.; Fellow National Institute of Sciences of India; Bengal Senior Educational Service. Born 25th April, 1892. Educated at Presidency College, Calcutta, Universities of London, Oxford and Leeds. Married 14th June, 1924, Shrinati Sudha Sen, eldest daughter of Doctor Satyendra Nath Sen.

Head master Keshub Academy (1916-19); Professor of Psychology, David Hare Training College, Calcutta, 1923-26; District Inspector of Schools, 1926-27; additional inspector of schools, Presidency Division, 1927-31; Additional Assistant Director of Public Instruction; Special Officer for Primary Education, and held other special posts, 1931-34; Inspector of Schools, Presidency Division, 1935; Assistant Director of Public Instruction, Bengal, 1936; Principal, David Hare Training College, since 1937. He was member Bengal Legislative Council, 1929-30; member of the Education Committee, Corporation of Calcutta, 1924-1933 and again from 1935; member of the International Committee on illiteracy of the World Association for Adult Education since 1931; member of the visiting board of the house of detention for juvenile offenders since 1927, and inspector of reformatory and industrial schools, under Bengal Children's Act since 1928; member, Bengal Board of Film Censors, 1926-1937; President, Psychological Section of the Indian Science Congress, 1936. Publications: "History of Elementary Education in India," 1933; "The League of Nations" (a handbook for teachers) 1926; "Manaswitar Map or Measurements of Intelligence" (a treatise in Bengali) 1924; "Primary Education Acts in India—A Study," 1925; and numerous papers on educational, psychological and sociological subjects.

Address—85-b, Landsdown Road, Calcutta.

Sen, Hamendra Kumar, M. A. (Cal.)
1911; P.R.S. (Cal. 1911); B.Sc. (Lond. 1915);



D.L.C. (Lond. 1914);
Director Indian Tac
Research Institute,
Ranchi. Born on
23rd December, 1888.
Educated at Calcutta,
London and Berlin;
First class in M.A.,
Morat Gold Medalist;
B.Sc. in Organic Chem-
istry, etc. Married
Miss K. P. Sen, daugh-
ter of Mr. N. C. Sen,
Bar-at-law, Rangoon,
in 1927; on her death
remarried Miss Fritz

Emich, daughter of Hofrat Prof. Dr. Emich,
Graz, Austria, in 1932. Has one son by the
first wife. Appointed Chemist, Tata Iron &
Steel Co., 1916; Chief Chemist and Works
Manager at Jamal Bros. & Co., and the Ran-
goon Chemical and Pharmaceutical Works,
Ltd., from 1916 to 1920. Professor and head
of the Department of Applied Chemistry,
Calcutta University, 1920 to 1936; Director
Indian Tac Research Institute, since 1936.
He was President, Chemical Section of the
Indian Science Congress, 1927; President, the
Institution of Chemistry, (India); Vice-Presi-
dent, Secretary, Treasurer, of the Indian
Chemical Society; President, All-Bengal Pro-
fessors' and University Teachers' Conference,
1935.

Address—Nambum, Ranchi.

Sen, Dr. Prosanto Kumar, M.A., (Cal.);
M.A., LL.D., (Cant.); Barrister-at-law, son of



Rev Bhai Prasanno
Goonar Sen, Mission-
ary of the Brahma
Samaj of India and
Srenatesee Rajluksh-
moo Sen. Born in 1874
he was educated at
Duff College and
Presidency College,
Calcutta University,
and St. John's Col-
lege, Cambridge.
Foundation scholar
and Newcome Prize-
man, St. John's Col-

lege, Cambridge. Called to the Bar, 1903.
Married Srimati Sushama, daughter of Mr.
P. N. Bose of the Geological survey of India
in 1904. Practised as Barrister in the High
Court of Calcutta till 1916. Tagore Professor
of Law, 1916, in the University of Calcutta.
Practised as a Barrister at Patna from 1916;
member of the Patna University in the Legis-
lative Council of Bihar and Orissa, 1920-28;

thrice officiated as Judge of the Patna High
Court, June, 1930 to June, 1935; was Prime
Minister and Chief Justice, Mayurbhanj State
in the Eastern State Agency. During Dr.
Sen's term of office the Maharaja of Mayur-
bhanj inaugurated many improvements such
as the establishment of the Departments of
Industries, and Development, Agriculture, Co-
operative Societies, Industrial Training, the
Industrial Institute, the re-organization of the
High Court and the Bar, etc. He gave
evidence on behalf of the Chamber of Indian
Princes before the Joint Parliamentary Com-
mittee on Indian Constitutional Reforms.
Member of the Indian States "Minister Com-
mittee;" connected with various educational
institutions and movements and Fellow of the
Patna University for some years. Author of
"The Law of Monopolies in British India,"
"From Punishment to Prevention," and other
works. Acknowledged authority and ardent
worker in the cause of prison reforms. Clubs:—
National Liberal Club, London; Calcutta
Club, Calcutta; New Patna Club, Patna.

Address—Bayloy Road, Patna.

Sen, Mrs. Sushama (Mrs. P.K. Sen),

daughter of Mr. P. N. Bose of the Geological
Survey of India. Married to Mr. P. K. Sen in
1904. She has been associated with various
women's movements. She was Chairwoman
of the special Committee for framing the
scheme of the Lady Irwin Home Science Col-
lege, Delhi. At different times she filled the
offices of Chairman, Treasurer, and Vice-
President of the All-India Women's Conference
at Patna in 1929. It may be remembered that
in connection with the constitutional reforms
she gave evidence before the Joint Parliamen-
tary Committee on Indian Women's Franchise.

Address—Bayloy Road, Patna.

Seth, Raja, Bisheshwar Dayal, Rai
Bahadur, B.Sc., M.L.C., F.C.S. (London);



M.R.A.S., (London);
Talukdar of Muizud-
dinpur. Educated
at the Canning Col-
lege, Lucknow.
Member of the
Board of High
School and Inter-
mediate Education,
U.P.; member of the
Court of Lucknow
University; Presi-
dent of the Board of
Trustees of Seth Jai
Dayal High School,
Biswan; member of
the managing body

of Golvin Taluqdars' School, Lucknow; Trustee
of Raja Raghubar Dayal High School, Sita-

pur; member of the Board of Agriculture, U.P.; member of U.P. Cattle-breeding Committee; member of U.P. Agricultural Research Committee; member of the Court of Wards Advisory Committee, Sitapur; member of the Executive Committee of British Indian Association of Oudh; member of the Local Provincial Legislative Council as one of the representatives of British Indian Association of Oudh; member of U.P. Finance Committee, 1928-29; member of U.P. Simon Committee; delegate to the Indian Round Table Conference in London; Hon. Special Magistrate; President of the All-Indian Kshatriya Conference, Lahore. Gave evidence before the Indian Taxation Enquiry Committee in 1925.

Address—Kotra, Biswan, District Sitapur, Oudh.

Sethna, Cawas Burjorji, O.B.E., (1936). J. P., an Honorary Magistrate of the town of



Bombay; Director, All-India Radio, Bombay. Born on 19th May, 1894. Educated at St. Xavier's High School and College, Bombay. Married on 25th November, 1922, to Miss Dina, daughter of Shamsul-ul-na Sarda Dr. Dastur Kaikobad Dastur Nosherwan, late High Priest of Parsis of the

Malwa and the Deccan. His father, late Burjorjee C. Sethna, was a partner of Messrs. Gursatjee Bomanjee & Co., of Bombay and of Cawasjee Pallonjee & Co., of China and Japan. At the age of twenty Mr. Cawas, (the subject of this sketch) went to Shanghai to join his family business; travelled widely in the far East; returned to India in 1920. After the death of his father in 1927 he joined the firm of Indian State and Eastern Agency, Ltd., as an Assistant Manager and served there for two years 1928-30; appointed to the present post by the Government of India on 5th May, 1930. He is one of the Commissioners of the Bombay Boy Scouts Local Association, President of the "Dufferin" Old Cadets' Association, Honorary Treasurer, Bombay Presidency Adult Education Association, and Bombay Presidency Olympic Association; a Director of the Bombay Rotary Club, and one of the foundation-members of the Bombay Presidency Amateur Boxing Federation; Honorary Secretary, Boxing, Zoroastrian Physical Culture and Health League; a Member of Managing Committee, Western India Football

Association and other sporting and charitable organizations. He is popularly known as "C.B."

Address—Bombay.

Severios, The Most Rev. Mar Joseph, Metropolitan of Niranam, Travancore. Born in 1069 M.E. in Valakuzhi family at Mallappally, Tiruvalla. Began English education in the local C.M.S. English School, and M.D. Seminary at Kottayam; proceeded to Calcutta for the college course and passed B.A. from the Serampore College. While there he was a tennis champion and represented the college in many a tournament. Ordained Deacon in 1083 M.E. by the late Joseph Mar Dionysius, the then Metropolitan of Malankara.

After the college course, sent as a missionary to Brahmanavar in South Kanara and was the Head Master of the C.H. English School under the auspices of the Mission for three years; returned to Tiruvalla and took up work in the M.C.M. High School; was also the Warden of the Hostel attached to the School for ten years; ordained priest in 1104 by the late Gervase Mar Dionysius, the then Metropolitan of Malankara in the church of S.S. Peter and Paul at Mallappally, and appointed vicar of that church; for three years worked as the vicar and made many improvements.

At the Malankara Syrian Christian Association held in 1106, presided over by the late Metropolitan of Malankara, he was elected Bishop; was professed Roman by His Holiness the Catholics in the Syrian Seminary Chapel, at Kottayam, in 1107, and was appointed Manager of the Syrian Seminary and the endowment of the Church. On Ascension day in 1108, consecrated Episcopa for the Arch-Diocese of Niranam by H.H. the Catholics, assisted by the Metropolitan of Malankara, the late Gervase Mar Dionysius and Bishops of the Dioceses of Kottayam and Thumpamon, in the Bethany Church; and as Metropolitan, in 1109; appointed administrator during His Holiness' visit to Jerusalem.

Now resides in the Pannamala Seminary at Mannar, the Headquarters of the Diocese of Niranam. There are sixty-one churches under him in the Diocese. Niranam St. Mary's Church is the Metropolitan Church in the diocese, and is the most ancient church in India as it is believed to be one of the seven churches founded by the apostle, St. Thomas, himself.

Address—Pannamala Seminary, Tiruvalla P. O., Travancore.

Shah, Lt. Col. Bager Zainulabiedin,
M. R. C. S. (Eng.); L. R. C. P. (Lond.); I. M. S.;



Superintendent and Civil Surgeon, Mahabaleshwar. Born on 5th April, 1886. Educated at St. Vincent's High School, Poona; Deccan College, Poona, and St. Bartholomew's Hospital, London. Married in 1916 with his cousin. Served in the Military Department; Civil Surgeon, Ahmednagar, 1922;

Civil Surgeon, Karwar, Belgaum, 1923-29; Poona and Bombay, 1931-32.

Address—Mahabaleshwar.

Shah, Devichand Shrichand Porwal
(Attarwalla), dealer in cutlery and por-



celains, Kolhapur. Born on 7th August, 1906. He was educated at Sardars High School, Belgaum. Married in 1923 with Miss Anilhaslani, daughter of Prayagchand Shelaji of Tagatgarh in Rajputana. He comes of a well-known Jain Swetarbar family at Padarli, a village in Rajputana. His father, Shrichand, who was a well-known merchant, had two

shops at Bangalore. After the death of his father, Mr. Devichand was brought up by his uncle, Narsarji Ratnaji, a well-known merchant of Belgaum. After completion of education, he joined his uncle's business at Belgaum and during the period of eight years, he acquired sound knowledge and started his own shop at Kolhapur. He, by his industry and honesty, extended his business with a branch of his shop on Wilson Road at Kolhapur. He is very sympathetic to the poor and has helped several educational institutions. He intends to open at his native place, Padarli, Shri Adinath Jain Vidyalaya (a free primary education school).

Address—Kolhapur.

Shah, Sankalchand Govardhandas,
B.A., F.L.B. (1918); Senior Partner, Sankal-



chand G. Shah & Co., Yarn and Sugar Merchants, Bombay. Born on 22nd March, 1895. Was educated at Ahmedabad and Bombay. After graduation he worked as a candidate in an Export-Import Firm, and after taking full experience in every branch of trade, started his own business in 1920. His various

activities; Vice-President, Sugar Merchants' Association, Bombay; Member of the Committee of Indian Merchants' Chamber, since 1928; recently elected on the Bombay Port Trust from the Indian Merchants' Chamber; Member, Bombay Shroff Association Committee; Hon. Secretary, Indian Industries Association, Bombay; Hon. Secretary, The Bombay Brass, Copper and Yarn, Native Merchants' Association. Has visited Japan, Java, Malaya, China, Burma and various eastern countries in 1935 to study business.

Address—Hannuman Building, Tambakanta, Bombay.

Shah, Shantilal Vadilal, Doctor of Naturopathy and Radio Engineer (Germany); Proprietor, Saba Radio Co., Bombay. Born on 1st December, 1901. Educated at Elphinstone High School, Bombay. Married on 26th April, 1927, with Miss Adelaide, daughter of Giuseppe Janfranchi of Turin (Italy). (One son). His father, late Vadilal Motilal Shah, was a Jain philosopher of great repute, a keen social reformer, and the author of "Political Gita", and one of the greatest Shakhshars in Gujarati. He founded the "United Jain Student's Home in Bombay."

Mr. S. V. Shah, who is the proprietor of the Indo-German Trading Co., sole distributors of the well-known Saba Radios for British India, went to Germany in 1922 and stayed there for twelve years, and speaks German very well. While in India he started some import and export business from Germany, and specialised himself in machinery and electrical goods. In 1924 when radio was commercialised in Germany and a broadcasting station was opened in Hamburg, Mr. Shah entered the radio manufacturing trade. He studied radio there, and passed successfully the German Government Examination in radio. Mr. Shah was offered the exclusive distribution for the whole of Germany by the largest American radio factory, the Crosley Radio Corporation. He experimented during his stay in Germany on a lot of radio patents and manufactured radiograms, radio cushions for invalids, radio lamp-speakers, self-contained radio easy-chair, etc., and did very good business in Germany. In 1933 Mr. Shah returned to India with the sole agency of Saba Radios, and is doing very good business. He has introduced many reforms in the Indian radio trade such as nett prices, guarantee for free replacements etc., and he founded and organised the first Radio Exhibition in India at Bombay in January, 1935, which was a great public event. His quiet, courteous and thoughtful manner is worthy of a young man with a great future and has extended the circle of his enthusiastic appreciators. Possessor of the good comradeship of his capable wife, Mrs. Adelaide Shah, in his business.

Address—29, New Queens Road, Bombay.

Shah, Mrs. Adelaide Shantilal,
Doctor in Naturopathy (Germany). Born on



15th April, 1908, at West Cliffe. Educated at Turin (Italy) and Germany. Married on 26th April 1927 to Mr. Shantilal V. Shah at Hamburg in Germany (one son). An Italian, she married an Indian and stayed in the joint Hindu family of her husband for more than two years, which is the rarest

of its kind in international marriages. She has, by adopting the ideal of a Hindu wife, deepened her popularity with every passing year.

Address—29, New Queens Road, Bombay.

Shah, Dr. Shival Sobhagyachand,

L. C. P. S. (Cal.), M. B. (Hono.) Cal., 1927. Physician (venereal, and skin specialist), Bombay. Born on 1st April, 1902; educated at Rajkot and Calcutta; married on 12th December, 1922, to Gulab, daughter of Nagji-bhai S. Mehta. (One son and one daughter). Is the Chief partner of Kusumgar Homoeo-Electric Hospital on Kalbadevi Road, Bombay.

Address—Maniar Building, 1st floor, Pydhoni, Bombay, 3.

Shah, Dr. Sakarlal Virjlal, B.Sc., Ph.D.,
Professor of Chemistry, Rajaram College



Kolhapur, is a young man of brilliant attainments. He comes from a high class landlord family in Baroda State. Born on 12th January, 1902, he had his education at Baroda, Berlin, and Göttingen. He married in 1930 Miss Urmilagawri, daughter of Mr. Chhotalal Gholabhai Gandhi of Ankleshwar. He joined the Rajaram College, Kolhapur, in 1927 as Professor of Chemistry when the Kolhapur Government opened the Science Department in that College and senior Professor in 1928. During the absence of Dr. Balkrishna in 1933, he was given the officiating charge of the principalship. He is a Fellow of the Chemical Societies of London, and Berlin, and of the Indian Chemical Society. In addition to his educational activities, he is a member on the Advisory Board of the O'Brien Technical Institute and also a nominated director of the Kolhapur Wood Distillation Co., Ltd.

Address—Shahupuri, Kolhapur.

Shah, Somabhai Motilal, B.A., LL.B.,
Pleader and President Nadiad Municipality.



Born on 29th, June 1931, he was educated at Nadiad High School and Gujarat College, Ahmedabad. Married in 1908 with Dahiluxmi, daughter of Ranchhodhbhai J. Shah of Nadiad. Passed Matric 1908, B.A., 1912, LL.B., 1915; commenced practice at Nadiad, March, 1916; elected to Nadiad Municipality 1925. Since then he was chairman of various committees. Elected President 1931. Chairman of the Managing Committee, 1931. Re-elected President in 1932, and again in 1933.

Address—Nadiad, Kaira District.

Shahab-Ud-Din, The Hon'ble Khan Bahadur, Sir Chaudhri, Kt. (1930), B.A., LL.B., Advocate High Court, and Speaker, Punjab Legislative Assembly. Founder and Proprietor, "India Cases" and "Criminal Law Journal." Educated at Government College and Law College, Lahore. Started Criminal Law Journal of India in 1904 and Indian Cases in 1909; was first elected member, Lahore Municipal Committee in 1913; member, Legislative Assembly for three years; President, Municipal Committee, Lahore, for four years; and elected President, Punjab Legislative Council; re-elected President Punjab Legislative Council in January 1927; elected member Punjab Legislative Council; re-elected President Lahore Municipal Committee, 1924. Publications: "The Criminal Law Journal of India," "Indian Cases," and two "Punjabi Poems."

Address—"A Muntaz", 3, Durand Road, Lahore.

Sheikh Ali Baakza, Khan Bahadur, J.P., Surat, is the descendant of an ancient



and religious Mohammadan family of Arabia, Hadramauth, whose forefathers settled in Surat about 500 years ago. Khan Bahadur Baakza, who was Secretary in India to H. II, the Sultan of Makala from 1914 to 1936, is at present Political Minister. He is President of the Anjuman-i-Islam, Surat; President, Surat Islam Yateemkhana Society, Vice-President, Mohammadan Union, Surat. He has been nominated by the Government on the Committee of Management of Surat Municipality for many years and was elected by the latter body as its representative on the Surat District Local Board. Was also elected Municipal Councillor, Surat Municipality, for nearly six years. He was a member of the Governing Body of the Sind Relief Committee; chairman, Surat Muslim Hostel Society; President, Surat Islam Cricket Club and one of the founders of the Cricket Club of India. His name is associated with all important political, social, and charitable movements and he enjoys the confidence of both the public and the Government. Proceeded to London with H. II, Sultan Makala in April, 1937, as Secretary, to attend the Coronation of His Majesty the King-Emperor.

Address—Nawab Building, 327, Hornby Road, Fort, Bombay.

Shaikh, Lt.-Col. Abdul Hamid, M.B.,
Ch. B. (Edinburgh) 1914; Deputy Director-



General, Indian Medical Services. Born on 5th February, 1890. Married on 29th August, 1935, to Constance Dorcas Sampson, daughter of Dr. W. Brady Sampson of Moyne House, County Clare, Ireland. Served in the great European war with expeditionary force A in France, 1914 to 1918; Egypt, Palestine, Syria, and Turkey, 1918 to 1920; North-West Frontier, 1921 to 1923 and again from 1924 to 1926; Defence Force Shanghai, (China) 1927; Jail Department, United Provinces, 1928 to 1936; appointed to the present post from 15th January, 1937.

Address—Imperial Secretariat, New Delhi.

Sham Lal Lala, B. A., M. L. A., Advocate. Born on 12th August, 1883, he was educated at Rohtak High School and D. A. V. College, Lahore. Started life as a pleader at Rohtak in 1905 and later on became the leader of the Bar at Rohtak. Married in 1895 Shrimati Babi Nagini Bobo. Founded Rohtak District Congress Committee in 1917 and took part in the Agitation against the Rowlat Act in 1919. Joined Non-Cooperation Movement and suspended practice for one year in 1921. President, Rohtak District Congress Committee; member, All-India Congress Committee; Vice-President, P. P. C. C.; suspended practice in 1930 and joined Sabaramati Ashram. Joined Civil Disobedience Movement in March, 1930, and was imprisoned for

sedition, nine months. After release he was a Senior Council in the second Lahore Conspiracy case and also argued the Delhi Conspiracy case in the High Court.

Address—Rohak, Punjab.

Shamraj Bahadur, Raja Rajwant,
Member, H. E. H. the Nizam's Executive



Council (Public Works Department), Hyderabad, Deccan. He is a descendant of an old Maratha family ranking next to the family of Maharaja Sir Kishan Pershad Bahadur, and his ancestors held high posts in the Court of the Moghul Emperors. The oldest son of Raja Laxman Raj Bahadur, Raja Shamraj, was born in 1898 and received his education at Nizam's College. A highly cultured man with sufficient administrative capacities, he is the first Hindu member in the Executive Council. The title of Rajwant was conferred upon him by H. E. H. the Nizam in 1930.

Address—Hyderabad, (Deccan).

Shantidas Askuran, The Honourable Mr., Member of Council of State. He is a leading businessman and co-partner of Messrs. Gill & Co., founded by his father, sixty years ago. He has been director of several industrial concerns. One of the directors and promoters of Jupiter Insurance Co., Ltd., and Sindh Steam Navigation

Co., Ltd., Bombay. He is chairman of the Jupiter Insurance Co. Ltd., and President, All-India Jain Association. He is a keen sportsman and is much interested in races and racing.

Address—Wilderness Road, Malabar Hill, Bombay.

Shantagiri, Kallangoda Nilakantgowda, B. A., LL. B., Pleader, Gadag, District



Dharwar. Born on 27th August, 1900. Educated at Victoria High School, and Karnataka College, Dharwar, and Law College, Poona. Married in 1900 to Miss Neela Gangani daughter of Channabasappa Madagali of Mugali District, Raichur. (One son and three daughters). Passed Matric in 1921;

B. A., 1925; LL. B., 1927; started practice in September, 1927; twice elected a member Gadag Municipal Borough, since 1931; elected member, District Local Board in 1933. Chairman of the Standing Committee, Municipal Borough, 1935, and Chairman Sanitary Committee in 1934.

Address—Gadag, District Dharwar.

Shareef, Mohamed Yusuf. was born in 1890. He was educated at the Hislop College, Nagpur, and proceeded in 1910 to England, where he was called to the Bar in 1913. He also took the B.A. and LL.B. degrees of Cambridge University. Set up practice in 1917 and has practised in the Nagpur High Court since its inauguration. He has all along been connected with educational and other movements in Nagpur. He entered the C. P. Council in 1930, and was appointed Minister in 1933 and remained in office until March, 1934. He established a Provincial League branch and a Parliamentary Board. A rival board was also formed, but neither received recognition from the All-India League. Elected to the C. P. Legislative Assembly in 1937.

Address—Nagpur, C. P.

Sharma, Pandit Pearey Lal, M. L. A., Pleader, Meerut, U. P. He was an elected President of Delhi Provincial Congress Committee and earned considerable reputation as a capable organizer. Elected to the U. P. Legislative Assembly as a Congress candidate in 1937.

Address—Lucknow, U. P.

Shaw, Frederic John Freshwater, D.Sc., (Lond.), A.R.C.S., F.L.S.; Director, Imperial Institute of Agricultural Research. Born on 16th December, 1885; married Catherine Caffory; educated at St. Olave's School and Royal College of Science, London; joined the Indian Agricultural Service as Supernumerary Mycologist in 1910; Government Mycologist, Coimbatore, 1913; Second Imperial Mycologist, 1915; Imperial Economic Botanist and Joint Director, Pusa Institute, 1928-34; Director, Imperial Institute of Agricultural Research, 1934. Publications: Numerous papers on plant pathology and plant genetics.

Address—Delhi.

Sheehy, J.F., I.C.S., Chief Commissioner of Income-tax for India since 1937. After serving as Assistant Commissioner in Burma for some time, he was appointed Secretary, Development Commission, Rangoon, in 1922. In 1924 he became Deputy Secretary to Government and in 1926 he was made Assistant Commissioner of Income-tax, Burma. He officiated as Commissioner in 1928 and was confirmed in that appointment in 1930.

Address—Simla or New Delhi.

Sheikh, Gulam-Rasul Ahmedmiya, B.Sc., M.B.B.S., Medical Practitioner; Cor-



porator; Medical Officer, Jacob Haji Psa Free Fracture Institute for all communities and Cusoo Sulaiman Charitable dispensary, Bombay, 1932-37. Born on 18th March, 1903, at Broach. Educated at Union High School, Broach, Aligarh University, St. Xavier's College, and Grant

Medical College, Bombay. Married on 7th June, 1934, Miss Ayesha Begum, daughter of Syed Ali of Broach. Passed Matric 1920; B.Sc. 1924; M.B.B.S. 1927, (took first class in Surgery). House-Surgeon, J. J. Hospital 1928-29. Was awarded the Sir Chrimbhoy foreign Scholarship but could not take advantage of the opportunity owing to the deaths of his father and brother. Served as a tutor in Materia Medica, Grant Medical College, Bombay, 1930-32. Founded and organized the "Crescent Free Emergency Hospital" during the communal riots of 1932 on Memonwada Road, which was open to all communities. At his suggestion, the Jacob Haji Psa Hos-

pital was started. Was appointed Chief Medical officer for both the above hospitals since 1932. Founded and organized the Muslim Ambulance Society in 1932 which by his efforts was later joined to the St. John Ambulance in 1933. Has been the Divisional Surgeon of the Muslim Division of St. John Ambulance Brigade. Was President, Young Menion's Youth League for two years; also the Medical Advisor to Jamiat Shabbinnal Muslimin, Bombay. Took a medical mission (of the Ambulance Corps) to Nasik during the Kalam Temple Satyagraha for entry of Untouchables into the temple in 1931. Elected to the Bombay Corporation from "B" ward in 1935; re-elected in 1936. In recognition of his public services during the 1932 communal riots of Bombay, a public address was given to him by various and numerous Muslim associations and prominent citizens of Bombay in 1933. He was the first Mohamadan to get an address of this kind.

Address—59, Kambekar Street, Bombay, No. 3.

Shendurkar, Krishnaji Hanamant, B.A., L.L.B., pleader, Kolhapur. Born on 8th



September, 1905. He was educated at Private English High School, Rajaram College, Kolhapur, and Law College, Poona. Married in 1922 with Durgabai, daughter of Bhamrao Potnis, retired Member of Kolhapur and has one son and two daughters. He passed Matric in 1921; B.A., in 1924; L.L.B., 1931. The family belongs

to Shendur, in Bolgaum District, and his father who was a Kulkarni of the village, was held in great esteem by the villagers. They hold big land-estates at Shendur. A well-known landlord of Shendur, Mr. K. H. Shendurkar has started a cloth shop at Kolhapur under the name and style of Pratibha Stores. A physical culturist and a successful business man, Mr. Shendurkar has obtained several prizes for his proficiency in physical exercises, Indian and foreign.

Address—Pratibha Stores, Mahadwar, Kolhapur.

Shillidy, George Alexander, C. I. E. (1931), King's Police Medal (1922); Inspector (General of Police, Bombay Presidency, is a man of great ability and determination with a splendid record of thirty years in the Police Department. Born on 7th March, 1886, he was educated at Campbell College, Belfast, Ireland. Married Mabel Catharina, daughter of Robert Steven, J. P., Barnhill, Dundee. Joined Indian Police in 1906 and was appointed Assistant Superintendent of Police. In 1916 he was promoted as District Superintendent of Police and in that capacity he served in different districts of the Presidency and became Deputy Inspector-General of Police in 1932.

Address—Poona.

Shinde, General Nana Sahab Ganpatrao, General Officer Commanding,



Baroda Army. Born in 1876, he was educated at Baroda College. He joined service as Attache in 1st Cavalry, 1895; Lieutenant, 1st Cavalry, 1897; 1st Infantry, 1901; A.D.C. to His Highness the Maharaja Sahab, 1898-1904; Captain Commanding, 2nd Infantry, 1908; Major Commanding, 1st Cavalry 1910;

2nd Lancers, 1913; 3rd Cavalry, 1915; Senior A.D.C., to His Highness, 1917; Colonel Commanding the Cavalry and Artillery Brigade, 1917; in command of Dacoity Operations in Mohsana District, 1922. General Officer Commanding Baroda Army, 1923; Awarded Raj Ratan Gold Medal, 1927. Appointed a Member of the Dacoity Committee 1921; appointed a member of Police Efficiency Inquiry Committee, 1929 and 1932.

Publications:—(1) Official publications: "Baroda Army Regulations," Vol. I and II (Marathi). "Baroda Army Discipline Act" (English). "Baroda Army Discipline Act Rules" (English). (2) Private publications: "Outposts and Advanced and Rear Guards for Cavalry and Infantry" (Hind). "Discipline" (Marathi). "Military History of India" (Marathi). "Famous Battles of the Marathas" (Marathi). "Suvichar-Ratnamala" (Marathi).

Address—Baroda.

Shinde, Govind Babjirao. L.C.P.S., (Hon.); L.M. (Hon.); Endocrinologist and Oto-Rhino-Laryngologist (Vienna); Ex-Asst. Surgeon, Kolhapur. Born on 10th August 1901,



he was educated at Rajaram High School, Kolhapur; B.J. Medical School, Poona; Rotunda Hospital, Dublin; School for Children's Diseases, London; and University Clinics, Vienna.

Passed L.C.P.S., 1925; L.M., 1932; and Vienna University Diploma, 1933. After passing L.C.P.S., joined Kolhapur Medical Dept. as a Sub-Asst. Surgeon and worked for six years on surgical side; went to Europe for higher studies in 1932; on return was raised to the position of Asst. Surgeon; served as personal physician to the Yuvraj Maharaj of Dewas (Sr.) and for some years on the personal staff of H. H. The Chhatrapati Maharaja of Kolhapur.

Now he is conducting the Swastha Nursing Home of his own and is Hon. Ear, Nose and Throat Surgeon to the Siddha Clinic, Kolhapur. He is President of the All-India Medical Licentiate's Association, Branch Kolhapur, and is a medical officer for Boy Scout Association. The enthusiasm and sincerity in his work has brought him help and encouragement from the people of Kolhapur for his studies in Europe. He is one of the leading practitioners and is known for his surgical skill. He is in-

terested in Endocrinology and hopes to publish a small book on the same for the interest of laymen and practitioners.

Address—Kolhapur.

Shinde, Narhar Gopal. M.A., L.L.B., Superintendent, Victoria Maratha Boarding,



Kolhapur. Born in 1905 at Rajapur in Rahimgiri district. Educated at Rajapur High School, and Elphinstone College, Bombay. Married in 1930 to Miss Vatsalabai Achrekar (one son and two daughters). Passed Matric in 1921 and was awarded the Jyotsnabai Shankarshob Scholarship for

proficiency in Sanskrit. Passed B.A., (first class honours in Sanskrit and English), M.A., 1928; L.L.B., in 1931. In 1928, he was appointed a tutor to the minor Chief of Nagal (Senior) and later as Professor of English and Sanskrit in Rajaram College. A Nominated Member and chairman of Kolhapur Municipality Managing Committee for several years.

Address—Victoria Maratha Boarding, Kolhapur.

Shinde, Vithal Ramji. B.A., President of the All-India Untouchability League and



Founder and Trustee of the Depressed Classes Mission Society of India. Born on 23rd April, 1875, he was educated at Fergusson College, Poona, and Manchester College, Oxford. Early in life he worked as a Missionary of the Bombay Prarthana Samaj and the Sadharana Brahmo Samaj, Calcutta, and has been General Secretary of the All-India Anti-

Untouchability League and the Depressed Classes Mission Society of India from 1905 to 1922.

Address—Ahalyashram, 806, Nana Peth, Poona City.

Shirol, Leshappa Veerappa, B.A., J.L.B. Advocate, Gadag, District Dharwar. Born on



9th March, 1903. Educated at Government High School, Dharwar, Deccan and Law Colleges, Poona. Married in 1926 to Miss Voorbal, daughter of Sankargonda Patil of Anagowadi, Dist., Bijapur. (Three sons and one daughter). Passed Matric in 1921; B.A., 1925; Ll.B., 1927; started

practice at Gadag in September, 1927. Three elected Member, District Local Board, Dharwar since 1928; Vice-President D.L.B., for two years; twice elected Member, Gadag Betigori Municipal Borough from 1931; Chairman, District School Board, Dharwar, since December, 1934; A Director, Karnatak Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd., for two years; member, Silver Jubilee Committee.

Address—Gadag, District Dharwar.

Shirname, Dr. Tukaram Gopal. B. Ag. (Bom) 1925, Ph. D. (Wales) 1932, F. S.



S. (Lond.) 1931, F. R. Econ. S. (Lond.) 1932; Marketing Officer, Government of India, Delhi. Born on 12th Nov., 1899. Educated at Poona, Wales, and London. Stood first in B. Ag. and sent on study leave by the Govt. of Bombay, to England for advanced studies, 1930-32. Married in

December 1919 to Shantabai. (One daughter and three sons). Demonstrator and Lecturer in Agricultural Economics, Agricultural College, Poona, 1925-30. On study leave in England, 1930-32. Attached to work with Indian Trade Commissioner, London, 1932. Professor of Agri., Economics, Agricultural College, Poona, from Oct., 1932. On deputation to the Govt. of India as Marketing Officer from Feb. 1935. Travelled widely in Europe

and all provinces and states in India, Burma and Baluchistan studying agricultural conditions; Correspondent for India, International Conference of Agricultural Economists (1932-34); Secretary, Bombay Fruit and Vegetable Marketing Committee, 1934. Chairman, Shri Shivaji Maratha Society, 1934-35. Secretary, Deccan Maratha Education Association, Poona, 1927-31. A Member, Executive and Rural Uplift Committees, Deccan Agricultural Association, Poona, 1934-35. Contributed to the funds of Shri Shivaji Maratha Society, Poona, and Deccan Maratha Education Association, Poona.

Address—New Delhi.

Shirras, George Findlay, M.A., (Aber.), Hony. F.S.S., F.R.S., Principal, Gnjorat Col-



lege, Ahmedabad. Born in Aberdeen on 16th July 1885, he was educated at Robert Gordon's College, Aberdeen, and the University of Aberdeen (University Prizeman in Economics). Married in 1911, Amy Zara, eldest daughter of late George McWatters of Madras Civil Service. Joined Indian Educational Service and became Professor in Dacca College in 1909. His brilliant official career in the Educational Department covers a wide field. He was on special duty under Government of India, Finance Department, 1910-13. Member, Government of India prices Inquiry Committee. On special duty in the office of the D. P. I. Bengal, 1913-14. Reader in Currency and Finance in Calcutta University, 1914. Member, Government of Bengal Statistics Committee, and of Board of Agriculture, India, 1918. On deputation Imperial Statistical Conference, London, on behalf of the Government of India, 1919-20. On special duty in India Office in connection with the League of Nations work, March 1920; attached to the International Labour Office and Economic and Financial Section, League of Nations, Geneva, 1924, and Ministry of Labour, Indus-

trial Court and Home Office, London, Labour Departments, Washington, Boston, and New York, 1925. Hon. Fellow, Royal Statistical Society, 1920. Major, 4th Gordon Highlanders, (1920 dispatches). T. A. Reserve Regimental list, 1921. Director, Labour Office, Government of Bombay, 1921-25. Director of Statistics with the Government of India and Member of the Bombay Legislative Council. He is a Fellow of the Bombay and Calcutta Universities and took up the present appointment in June, 1926. He is an author of great repute and the following are some of his publications:—"Some Aspects of Indian Commerce and Industry," "Indian Finance and Currency," third impression, 1924. "Some Effects of the War on Gold and Silver," 1929. "The Science of Public Finance," (Macmillan third edition). "Taxable Capacity and the Burden of Taxation and Public Debt," 1925. "The Future of Gold and Indian Currency Reform," etc. (Economic Journal). "Poverty and Kindred Economic Problems in India," (Calcutta Government of India Central Publication Branch, 1922). "Gold and French Monetary Policy," "Articles on Finance and Indian Trade," etc.

Address—(Injorat College, Ahmedabad.

Shitut, Krishnarao Ramrao, B.A., District Deputy Collector, Bijapur. Born on 12th



July, 1888. Educated at Wilson College, Bombay. After graduation in 1911, he served as

an English teacher for Matriculation class at the Poona Native Institution. He, by his amiable temperament and command of the English language, has endeared himself to his students. Entered Government Service as a Probationary Mamlatdar in August, 1912. Appointed an officiating Mamlatdar in 1918. Promoted first grade Mamlatdar in 1929 and to the Selection Grade in 1931.

In the pro-British administration, his ancestors were holding high Civil and Military positions as Subhas since the reign of Madhavrao Peshwa, I. During the British administration, since his grandfather, for three generations, the office of Mamlat has been held till now as such by his family. An interesting episode in the life of Mr. K. R. Shitut is told that, when he at the age of eleven was presented by his father to the King Thibau, Ex-King of Burma, whom he was in exile at Rattungiri, the king was very much impressed by the smartness of the young Shitut and he appointed the boy as his private Secretary for one year. This boy Dewan then left the service of the King as he wanted to complete his education. As a self-made man Mr. Shitut did mango business and earned money on literary pursuits in his college days. His social activities in the Wilson College attracted the attention of late Rev. Dr. Mackichan, the principal of the College. He was a great favourite student of Dr. Mackichan, Dr. Scott, and John Mackenzie. As a Mamlatdar, his services, especially in connection with the village uplift have been recognized by Government of Bombay in the Annual Report of the Department of Agriculture of 1923-24. The Commissioners of Southern Division and the Directors and Ministers of Agriculture have spoken very highly of him as a capable officer who is destined to achieve a great success in the near future. Organized an Agricultural Show at Roha in 1928. In co-operation with the Agricultural Department he has been doing very useful work for the villagers since 1920 by starting the Taluka Development Associations at Chiplun, Dargad, Rajapur, Roha, Mahad, Pon, and is pushing on uplift work in Chikodi. Started Health Exhibitions at Dargad, Chikodi and Mahad. With method in his work coupled with great energy, from the age of five Mr. Shitut has cultivated a nice habit of writing his daily diary, which diaries in numbers, wrapped in rumals, adorn his shelf. Acted as Offg. District Deputy Collector, N.D. Bolgaum in 1937.

Address—Bijapur.

Shivdasani, Hassamal Baharmal, B.A. (Bom.), (Cantab), I.C.S., Deputy Municipal Commissioner (Improvements), Bombay Municipality, Bombay, since October, 1938. Born in 1891, he was educated at the Navalrai Hiranand Academy, Hyderabad, Sind, and El-

phinstone College, Bombay, passing First Class first in B.A., in 1910. He is the recipient of many prizes and was awarded the Government of India Scholarship tenable for three years for study in England. He joined St. John's College, Cambridge, where he became a Foundation Scholar and passed the Mathematical Tripos, Parts I and II in First Class and became a Wrangler in 1913. He passed the open Competitive I. C. S. Examination in August, 1914 and passed the Bar Final Examination in December, 1914, and then came out to India as I. C. S. Officer in November, 1915, and served at Ahmedabad for one year and in Surat for five and a half years. He was in special charge of Bardoli Taluka at the time of the Civil Disobedience Campaign in 1922, and he resigned from the I.C.S. in April 1922, as a protest against the arrest of Mr. Gandhi. Afterwards he joined the Industrial Bank of Western India Ltd., as General Manager from May, 1922, and was elected to the Bombay Legislative Council in November 1923, from the Surat District. He was appointed Official Liquidator of certain Cotton Mills in liquidation in January, 1925 and was also manager of the Gordhan Spinning and Manufacturing Co., Ltd., from October, 1926. In December, 1930, he was appointed as Chief Officer, City Improvement Trust, Bombay, which office he held till the amalgamation of the Trust with the Bombay Municipality on 1st October, 1933.

Address—Bombay Municipality, Bombay.

Shiveshwarkar, Dr. Ramchandra Vishnu, B.A., M.B.B.S., D.T.M., D.P.H.,



Assistant Director of Public Health, Southern Registration, Belgam. Born on 5th June, 1887. Educated at Bombay, Cambridge, and Liverpool. Passed B.A., 1906. M.B.B.S., 1912; proceeded to England and after a post-graduate course at Cambridge, took the degrees of D.T.M.,

D.P.H.; returned to India in 1916; served as Health Officer at Trichinopoly for two years; Health Officer, Surat Municipality, for one and a half years; appointed Deputy Sanitary Commissioner, Ahmedabad; acted as Assistant Director of Public Health, Sind, and Poona. Also held appointments of House Surgeon at Homoeopathic Hospital at Birmingham and at Birmingham Dispensary. Acted as Director of

Public Health, Bombay Presidency in 1933. Awarded Kaiser-i-Hind Medal (silver) in June, 1935, and the Silver Jubilee Medal.

Address—17, Fort, Belgam.

Shivraj, Singh (Kanwar). (Colonel),

B. A., N. S. E., B. H. S., Member Executive Council, Baroda State. Born in 1877 at Nahan (Simore State), and is closely related to the ruling family of Simore; educated at the Forman Christian College, Lahore; entered Baroda State service (Military), 1904, and worked as A.D.C. to His Highness the Maharaja Sahib; travelled in Europe for general education, 1906; passed the Military Examination N. S. E., (Cavalry), 1907; confirmed and appointed permanent A. D. C. to H. H. with the rank of a Captain, 1908; accompanied H. H. on his trip to China and Japan, 1910; appointed Military Secretary and Brigade-Major, 1910; accompanied His Highness to Europe in 1911, and was present at the Coronation of H. M. King George V.; received the Coronation medal; transferred to the Revenue Department in 1912 as Naib Suba; Chief Officer, Baroda City Municipality; passed the Revenue examination B.H.S., 1913; accompanied His Highness to Europe as a Chief of the Staff, 1914; appointed companion to Princes Jayasinhrao and Shivajirao Gaekwars, 1915; accompanied H. H. to Kashmir as Chief Officer in 1916; worked as Naib Suba 1917-1919; appointed Assistant Resident Okhamandal pending final orders of the Government of India re: rendition of Okhamandal, 1920. After rendition appointed Commissioner of Okhamandal and Commandant of the Okha Battalion with the rank of Colonel 1920-25; appointed guardian to the Yuvaraj of Baroda, Prince Pratapsinh Raja Gaekwar, 1925-29; awarded the Rajya-ratna gold medal 1926; Suba, Baroda Pant, 1929; Sar Suba, 1930; acted as Survey and Settlement Superintendent, 1930; confirmed as Sar Suba, 1931; appointed Naib Dewan, 1932; awarded the decorations of Arunaditya Mandal in 1932.

Address—Baroda.

Shringarpure, Bhagwant Hari, B. A.
 LL.B., Government Pleader and Public Prose-



utor, Thana. Born in July, 1874. Educated at B. J. High School, Thana, Elphinstone College, and Government Law School, Bombay. Married in 1901, with Janakilal, daughter of Raosaheb B. L. Jaywant of Bombay. Started practice as a pleader, 1903. Councillor of Thana Municipality 1908, and continuously served in this capacity for nineteen years; was for many years Chairman of the Managing Committee, Sanitary Committee, and Schools Committee; nominated as a Member of the Municipality, 1932; President, Municipality from July, 1933. Visitor, Mental Hospital, Nawapada, Thana; Was Secretary, C. K. Prabhu Education Society, Thana, and now member of the Managing Committee of C. K. Prabhu Educational Society, and President, C. K. Co-operative Credit Bank, Dadar.

Address—Gandevi Road, Thana, G.L.P. Rly.

Shroff, K. R. P. The President of the Native Share and Stock Brokers' Association of Bombay and the senior partner in the old established firm of Messrs. K. P. Shroff & Sons, one of the best known and leading Share, Stock, Finance and Exchange Brokers of Bombay. Born in Bombay on the 28th July, 1878, he was educated at the Bharda New High School. He was one of the first batch of students for commercial education to pass out of the Byramjee Jeejeebhoy College of Commerce with distinction in commercial arithmetic, accountancy, and machinery of business examinations, of the London Chamber of Commerce in 1902. He has published works on arithmetic and higher algebra and is an expert in mathematics. He began his career at the age of twenty-two as a teacher and conducted classes for matriculation and previous examinations in mathematics and science. In 1903, he joined the Stock Exchange business, which was

founded by his father in 1890, and brought it to a flourishing position with his brother. He has been a director of the Stock Exchange, Bombay, since 1920 and its trustee since 1924. He was Honorary Secretary and Treasurer in 1921 and 1922. In 1923, he was elected as the President—an office which he is still holding with marked ability and success. He is working hard and loyally in the best interest of the Exchange and investing public. He was nominated a Justice of the Peace in 1927. He has also been Vice-President of the Bombay Shareholders' Association since its formation in 1929; and a Vice-Chairman of the Zoroastrian Co-operative Credit Bank, Limited, and a Director of the Union Bank of India, Ltd., and also of the Bombay Central Co-operative Land Mortgage Bank, Limited. He was one of the recipients of the Silver Jubilee Medal on the occasion of His Majesty's Silver Jubilee.

Address—Stock Exchange, Apollo Street, Bombay.

Shroff, Raosaheb Chunilal Motilal, B.A. Dewan Partalgarh State. Born on 22nd



November, 1871, he was educated at Surat, Bombay, Nadind, Ahmedabad, and Bhavnagar. Passed Matric 1887, B.A., 1891. He started life as a teacher in Wadhwan High School, 1892; and served for fifteen years. He was then appointed Educational Supt. Dhrangadhra State, 1907; Head Master of Alfred High School, Rajkot, and the Educational Inspector, Rajkot State; appointed Chief Karbhari, Rajkot State, 1921; accompanied the late Thakoresahob of Rajkot to England in 1924, and had the honour of being presented to H. M. the King-Empress on the occasion of a levee at St. James' Palace. Appointed as Dewan, Rajkot State; retired from State service, 1931. The Western India States Agency conferred upon him the powers of a

Boneh Magistrate (first class) in Rajkot Civil Station. Created Raosahab 1931. Appointed Dewan, Parbatgarh State, Rajputana, on 20th March, 1934.

Address—Civil Station, Rajkot, Kathiawar.

Shukla, Pandit Ravi Shankar, was born in 1877. He graduated from the Hislop College, Nagpur, in 1899; and started life as a teacher in the same college. Then he joined the Hitkarni School, Jubbulpore, and was afterwards head-master of the Khairagarh School; later, was tutor to the Chiefs of Bastar, Kavardha and Khairagarh. He graduated in law in 1900, and started practice at Raipur. He was a Swarajist member of the C. P. Council from 1923 to 1926; was a member of the Raipur Municipal Committee and President of the Raipur Co-Operative Bank and District Council; acted as "dictator" of Mahakoshal during the Civil Disobedience Movement and was jailed twice; elected to the C. P. Legislative Assembly in 1937.

Address—Raipur, C. P.

Shuttleworth, Graham Dennison, Senior Partner, Croft and Forbes, Exchange Brokers, Bombay. Born on 17th June, 1889. Educated at St. Lawrence College, Ramsgate, and Royal Military College, Sandhurst. Married Margaret Ellen Anderson, on 15th March, 1917. Commissioned as 2nd Lieut. to 2nd Bn. York and Lancaster Regiment, 1909; resigned in 1914 on joining Messrs. Croft and Forbes, Exchange Brokers, Bombay; enlisted in Lahore Signal Company as Corporal Despatch Rider and proceeded to France in August, 1914, with 1st Indian Expeditionary Force; granted King's Commission as Captain in Middlesex Regiment, January, 1915; demobilised, 1919, and rejoined Croft and Forbes.

Address—"Waverley," Wilderness Road, Malabar Hill, Bombay.

Sibaiya, Lakshmanathirthakatte, M. Sc. (1933); A. Inst. P. (1932); F. R. A. S. (1934); F. A. S. C. (1935); is the Assistant Professor of Physics, Central College, Bangalore, since 1929. He was born on 29th March, 1905. Educated at Central College, Bangalore. Engaged since 1929 at Central College Physics Laboratory in research on "Hyperfine structure of spectral lines in relation to the isotopic constitution of elements, e. g. platinum, iridium, etc."

Address—Central College, Bangalore.

Siddiqi, Muhammad Zubayr (Maulvi Fazil), M. A., B. L. (Patna); Ph. D. (Cam-



bridge); Sir Asutosh Professor of Islamic Culture, Calcutta University. Born in November, 1896. Educated at Madras-i-Aliya, Rampur State (Arabic and Islamic studies); Oriental College, Lahore, B. N. College, Patna, and King's College, Cambridge. Married in 1929 to Amina

Khatoun and has one son and one daughter. He was appointed head of the departments of Arabic, Lucknow University, from Feb. 1926 to Sept. 1929; Sir Asutosh Professor of Islamic Culture, Calcutta University, from September, 1929. He is a member of the Senate and Syndicate, Calcutta University.

Address—Post Graduate Department, Calcutta University, Calcutta.

Siddiqi, M. A. H., B.Sc., (1923); N.B.B.S. (1928); D.L.O. (R.C.S. Eng.) 1930; M.A. (Toronto)



1936; M.S. 1930; F.R.C.S. (Eng.) 1932; University Professor of Anatomy, King George Medical College, Lucknow. Born on 12th July, 1902. Educated at Caning College, Lucknow, K. G. Medical College, Lucknow; St. Bartholomew's Hospital and College, London; Hos-

pital Medical College and University of Toronto (Canada). Has been abroad three times for post-graduate study and research. He was House Surgeon of King George Hospital, Lucknow, from 1928-29; Demonstrator of Anatomy K. G. Medical College, Lucknow, 1929-30; Professor of Anatomy since 1932. He was awarded the Vincent Massey Fellowship by H. R. the Viceroy for 1935-36; spent one year in Canada and America and completed around-the-world tour via Japan, China, and Straits, etc.; President of the Athletic Association, K. G. Medical College, since 1932; Secretary of the Old Boys' Association since 1932; Warden of the College Hostel from 1933; Fellow of the National Academy of Sciences, 1936.

Address—King George M. C., Lucknow, U.P.

Singh, Gaya Prasad, B. A., B. L., Ex-M.L.A., Munzaffarpur, Behar. Educated in



Munzaffarpur, Patna, and Calcutta. Was a Sub-Deputy Magistrate, but resigned; began practice as a lawyer. An elected Member of the Munzaffarpur Municipality for many years; Member of the Excise Advisory Committee; Member of the Managing Committee of the Local Sudder Hos-

pital; Founder and Hon. Secretary of the Town Hall Library for many years. An elected member of the Indian Legislative Assembly since 1924; Member of the Standing Finance Committee; Member of the Empire Parliamentary Association; foundation member of the Aero Club of India and Burma. Presided over the 13th Session of the All-India Postal and R. M. S., Behar and Orissa Provincial Conference in Munzaffarpur, 1933; over the Burma Provincial Kshatriya Navayuvak Sangh in Rangoon, 1933; over the eighth Annual Session of the Punjab Provincial Depressed Classes Conference in Amritsar, 1933; over the opening ceremony of the All-India Arts and Crafts Exhibition in Delhi, 1933; over the twelfth session of the U.P. Provincial Postal and R.M.S. Conference in Benares, 1934; is author of the Khaddar (name Protection) Act, passed by the Indian Legislative Assembly; author of "Pictorial Kashmir." A sound nationalist.

Address—Munzaffarpur (Behar).

Singh, The Hon. Raja Sir Rampal, K. C. L. E. (1916); Member, Council of State. Born on 7th August, 1867. Married niece of Thakur Jagamohan Singh. Educated at Rao Bareilly High School, and M. A. O. College, Aligarh. Elected President, British Indian Association of Oudh in 1921 and was re-elected in 1924; was Fellow of Allahabad University until 1900, and is Secretary of Kshatriya College, Lucknow; Member of the Executive Council of the Lucknow University and of the Court of the Hindu University of Benares; Director of Allahabad Bank; elected President, British Indian Association, Oudh, 1931; and was Chairman of the Hindu Religious and Charitable Endowments Committee appointed by U. P. Government. Publications: Pamphlets entitled "Talugdars and the British Indian Association," and "Talugdars and the Amendment of Oudh Rent Law."

Address—Kurri Sudauli Raj, District Rae Bareilly, Oudh.

Sinha, Anugrah Narayan, M. A., B. L., M. L. A., Zemindar. Born on 3rd July, 1889. Educated at Patna and Calcutta. Joined the High Court, Patna, as Vakil; appeared in the famous "Burma Case" of the Dumaon Raj as Junior to Mr. C. R. Das, Mr. Shrinivasa Ayengar, and the late Sir Ashutosh Mookerji; joined Non-Co-operation Movement, 1921; at present Chairman of Gaya District Board and Member, Legislative Assembly; Chairman, Reception Committee of the All-India Un-touchable Conference held at Patna in 1926.

Publications: Translated History of Ancient Magadha from Bengali into Hindi.

Address—Villa Palawan, P. O. Aurangabad, District Gaya (Bihar and Orissa).

Sinha, Kumar Ganganand, M.A. (1921), M.L.A. (1924-1930); Elected M.L.C. (Bihar)



in 1937 from Darbhanga General Constituency; Hon. Research Scholar of the Calcutta University (1922-23); Proprietor, Srinagar Raj. Born on 24th September, 1898. Educated at Monghyr Zilla School (1907-10); Purua Zilla School, Presidency College, Calcutta; Government Sanskrit College, Calcutta;

and Post Graduate Department, Calcutta University. Elected to the Royal Asiatic Society of Great Britain and Ireland in 1921; Asiatic Society of Bengal in 1922; Bihar and Orissa Research Society in 1924; and to the Fellowship of the Royal Society for the encouragement of arts, manufacture and commerce, etc., in 1928; a Commissioner of the Purua Municipality and a member of the Purua District Board (1924-27); President of the Social and Religious Department of the Maithil Sammelana; one of the founders of the Nationalist Party in the Legislative Assembly; joined the Swarajya Party in the Assembly (1925); elected a Secretary of the Congress Party in the Assembly (1928); a member of the Road Development Committee and its touring and drafting Sub-Committee, 1927-28; Life-Member of the Empire Parliamentary Association; President of the Purua District Congress Committee (1925-1929); President of the Bihar Provincial Hindu Sabha (1925-35); and again from 1936; member of the Executive Committee of the All-India Hindu Sabha, 1926-1928; President of the Bihar Provincial Kavi Sammelana (1926); President of the Bihar Provincial Board of the Hindustani Savadai (1929);

visited Europe 1930-31; was in England during the first Round Table Conference; is with the Hon. the Maharajadhiraja of Darbhanga since August, 1932. Publications: "The Place of Videha in the Ancient and the Medieval India" (read in the second Oriental Conference); "A Note on the Jangala Desa"; and "Discovery of Bengali Dramas in Nepal"; "On Some Maithili Dramas of the Seventeenth and Eighteenth Centuries" (published in the "Journal of the Asiatic Society of Bengal"); "Is Dhamat Religion Buddhism?" (read in the Third Oriental Conference, Madras, 1924); "The Bihar Earthquake and the Darbhanga Raj" (1936); joint editor of the typical selections from Maithili proposed to be published by the Calcutta University; an editor of the "Barhut Inscriptions" published by the Calcutta University in 1926.

Address—"Srinagar Darbar," P. O. Srinagar, District Purnea, (Bihar), or Darbhanga (Bihar).

Sinha, The Hon'ble Raja Bhupendra Narayan Bahadur of Nashipur, M. I. C.; The title of Raja Bahadur is hereditary in the family. Born on 15th November, 1888. He was educated at Calcutta. A graduate of the Calcutta University, he read up to M. A. and Law Standard. Married in 1905, Rani Prom Kumari, and after her demise, Rani Surya Kumari in 1920, and has one son and one daughter. Minister to the Government of Bengal, 1928-29; President of the British Indian Association; Trustee of the Indian Museum, Calcutta; a member of the local Advisory Committee, E. B. Rly.; a member of the Royal Statutory Commission, 1928; a leader of the landholder's group of the old Bengal Council from 1926-37; the Deputy leader and President of the Progressive party in the Upper House; the President of the Art School of Calcutta; of Ballygunge Girls' School; Vice-President of the All-India Cow Conference and of the Deaf and Dumb School, Calcutta; Director of Aryasthan Insurance Co., Ltd.; of Kathraj, Jharia Coal; of North-West Coal and of Neptune Assurance Co.; President of Bratachari movement.

Address—Nashipur, Rajabati (Murshidabad) Bengal.

Sinha, The Hon'ble Kumar Nripendra Narayan of Nashipur, M. C. S., Member, Council of State and Landholder. Born on 3rd October 1894. He was educated at Presidency College, Calcutta. Married in 1911 Kumar Rani Radha Kumari; elected to the Council of State in 1929; re-elected in 1931; Chairman of the Murshidabad Municipality on two terms (1925 to 1930); Chairman

of the Local Board of Murshidabad; Honorary Magistrate at Lalbagh for a period of six years; member of the District Board of Murshidabad (1928 to 1932); member of the Select Committee on the Reserved Bank; Director of the Upper Doah Sugar Mills at Samli, U. P., since 1930.

Address—54, Gariahat Road, Ballygunge, Calcutta.

Sirdar, Madiwaleshwar Shivshankar, B. A., (Oxon.), Bar-at-Law and Judge, Akalkot



High Court, Sholapur. Born on 31st January, 1894. Educated at the Sirdar's High School, Belgawan, Deccan College, Poona, Brinsford College, Oxford, and Lincoln's Inn. Married in 1916 with Miss Panchaksharibai, daughter of Cholaappa Boramuni of Sholapur. Passed Matric 1914, B. A., 1919; proceeded to England 1920; B. A., (Oxon), 1923; called to the Bar 1924; enrolled in Bombay High Court 1925; commenced practice at Sholapur from 1925; an elected Member, Sholapur Municipality, 1928-1931; has been Secretary, Sholapur Bar Library since 1928; President of the Shrinat Veersahiv Mahajana Sabha, Sholapur, since 1929; Treasurer, Village Improvement Committee, Sholapur; President Karnatak Unification Association; has been Chairman of the National Liberal Federation, Sholapur Branch, for the last three years; Chairman, Sholapur Education Society; member of the Council of Management of Karnatak Historical Research; a member of the Council of Vijayanagar Six Hundred Anniversary celebrations; chairman of the Empire Welfare League; and Secretary of the Hindu Law Research and Reform Association, at Sholapur; appointed Judge of the High Court, Akalkot State, June, 1931; President, Veersahiv Mitvardhak Sabha, Sholapur; and Chairman, Educational Committee of Provincial Harijan Sevak Sangh; Chairman,

Art and Home Handicraft Exhibition Committee, Sholapur, 1933 and 1936; member, Bihar Relief Fund Committee, Sholapur; member, Council of Lingayat Rajkiya Sabha, Dharwar 1933; member, Quetta Relief Committee, Sholapur City; member of the Managing Committee of the Maternity and Child Welfare Association, Sholapur; member of the Managing Committee of Dufferin Hospital, Sholapur; member of the Advisory Board of Saraswati Mandir Sholapur; President of the Hindu Anath Mahilashram, (Rasna House) Sholapur; contributor to "Times of India," "Bombay Chronicle" and other numerous English and vernacular journals.

Address—Phaltan Galli, Sholapur.

Skemp Hon'ble. Mr. Justice. Frank Whittingham, M.A., Manc., B.A., Hist. Honours (1900); Indian Civil Service. Puisne Judge, Lahore High Court. Born on 13th December, 1880. Married Dorothy Frazer. Educated at University of Manchester; Peterhouse, Cambridge. Joined I.C.S., (Punjab Commission) 1904; Officiating D. C., 1910-13; Sessions Judge, 1918-27; Additional Judge, Lahore High Court, 1927; Puisne Judge, 1933.

Publications: Multani Stories.

Address—24, Racecourse Road, Lahore.

Skrine, Clarmond Percival, O.B.E. 1935, Agent to the Governor-General, Madras State, since 1930. Born in London in 1888; son of late Francis Henry Skrine. Educated at Winchester and New College, Oxford. Married in 1920 to Doris Forbes, daughter of James Whitelaw of Nungate, North Berwick. Entered I.C.S. in 1912; Consul, Kerman, 1918-19; Consul-General in Chinese Turkestan, 1922-24; Consul in Seistan and Kaim, 1927-1929; Political Agent, Khat and Chagai, Baluchistan, 1932-35; Revenue and Judicial Commissioner, Baluchistan, 1935-1936; awarded Gill Memorial by Royal Geographical Society, 1928. Publications: "Chinese Central Asia," 1926; Papers on Central Asia and Persia in the Geographical and Central Asian Journals. Recreations: Shooting, fishing, mountaineering, photography.

Club: Bath, Alpine.

Address—c/o, Foreign and Political Department, Delhi, India.

Sloan, Tennant, M.A., C.S.I. (1936); C.I.E. (1930); Settlement Commissioner, U.P. Born on 9th November, 1844. Married Gladys Hope, daughter of R. Hope Robertson, Glasgow. Educated at Glasgow Academy, Glasgow University, and Christ Church, Oxford. Joined Indian Civil Service, 1909; served as Assistant

Magistrate and Collector; Assistant Settlement Officer; Under-Secretary to Government; Magistrate and Collector; Deputy Secretary and Secretary to Government in United Provinces and also as Under-Secretary Deputy Secretary and Joint Secretary in Home Department of Government of India.

Address—Delhi and Simla.

Small, Gerald Agnew, Director of Public Instruction, Assam and Member, Assam



Legislative Council. Born on 31st Aug. 1886, he was educated at Bristol Grammar School, Watson's College, Edinburgh, and Trinity College, Dublin. Joined the Indian Educational Service and was appointed Inspector of Schools on 21st April, 1911; I.A.R.O., 5th April, 1916 to 25th May, 1920; Inspector of Schools

from 26th May, 1920 to 12th June, 1928. Officiated as Director of Public Instruction on 18th June, 1928, and became permanent on 1st October, 1931. He is the Provincial Commissioner, Boy Scouts' Association. Recreations: Racing, Golf, Billiards, Bridge and Theatricals.

Address—"Falls View," Shillong, Assam.

Smith, Walter Robert George, C.I.E., Bar-at-Law, Commissioner of Police, Bombay. Born on the 5th November, 1887. Educated at Grove Park School, Wrexham and Gray's Inn. Married Ellen, daughter of the late John Cochrane. Joined the Police Service in December, 1908, as Assistant Superintendent; Superintendent of Police, March, 1921; Deputy Commissioner of Police, Bombay, 1932; Offg. Deputy Inspector-General of Police, March, 1932; Commissioner of Police, Bombay 1933; awarded King's Police Medal 1933.

Address—Head Police Office, Bombay.

Smyth, John William, C.S.I., C.I.E. (1932); M.A. Cantab.; L.C.S.; Commissioner of Central Division, Bombay Presidency. Born on 13th May 1880 at London; son of late F. H. Smyth. Married in 1936, to Muriel, daughter of late John Cathie, Carshalton, and widow of Eric Bussell, Ceylon. Educated at Clare College, Cambridge. Joined Indian Civil Service, 1904; Deputy Commissioner, Upper Sind Frontier, 1911-12 and 1916-20; Assistant Commissioner

in Sind, 1912-16; Member of Council of State, 1926; Revenue Secretary to the Government of Bombay, 1926-30; Chief Commissioner Andaman and Nicobar Islands, 1931-35. Clubs: East India United Service, Byculla, Bombay.

Address—Queen's Gardens, Poona.

Solomon, Jacob Ezekiel, J. M. and S.
Kaiser-i-Hind; Private Medical Practitioner, Ahmedabad.



Born on 8th September, 1884, at Poona. Educated at Poona and St. Xavier's High School. St. Xavier's College and Grant Medical College, Bombay; married on 30th December, 1913, to Miss Sarah, granddaughter of Mr. Joseph Ezekiel, J. L., Fellow of the Bombay University and an Examiner in Hebrew. Mrs. Solomon is a Member of the Women's Council and has regularly looked after the creches with Miss Anna for some years and attended the other welfare activities of the Council. She now inspects the Red Cross Welfare Centre at intervals. After passing L. M. & S., 1911, Dr. Solomon served as Assistant Surgeon on Cholera Duty at Lonavla and at Haveli Taluka; Medical Officer and Jail Superintendent, Nara Jail (Hyderabad Sind) and Teacher, B. J. Medical School, Hyderabad, Sind; House Surgeon, Basra Civil Hospital, 1915-16, and Acting Civil Surgeon, and Superintendent of Jail and Health Officer, Basra, 1916; transferred to Ahmedabad as Police Surgeon and Teacher, B. J. Medical School, Ahmedabad, 1917-1919; resigned Government Service, 1920; started private practice at Ahmedabad; a nominated Member of Ahmedabad District Local Board and of Ahmedabad Municipality for several years. He was a chairman, Sanitary Committee, twice, and was chairman of two special committees of the Municipalities, viz., Panch Privy Committee and Air and Space Committee. He is the Hon. Divisional Secretary, Bombay Presidency Baby and Health Week Association for Gujarat; Secretary, Sanitary Association, Ahmedabad, which was revived by him, 1919; organized a Sanitary Museum at Ahmedabad, 1928; is one of the prominent members to organize Welfare Centre at Ahmedabad, the first of its kind in the whole of British Gujarat; has been organizing magic lantern lectures on Health and Child Welfare and Cinema shows in Ahmedabad City and District as well as in the mills for several years; started "Sanitary Rounds"

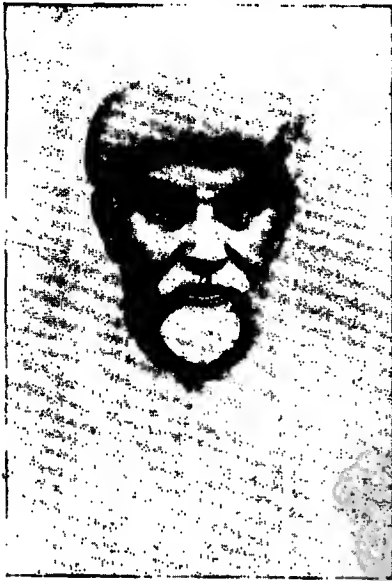
of the City with a view to inspect health conditions of various localities. He is a pioneer in this kind of work in the Presidency. The Social Service League of Bombay has subsequently followed suit. An inquiry was made in 1923 by the Sanitary Association as regards the housing conditions of manual labourers of Ahmedabad and Col. Tuko, Dr. Tankaria and Dr. Solomon supervised the work. He and Col. Sir B. H. Namavatty jointly submitted a memorandum to the Royal Commission on Labour on behalf of the Sanitary Association in connection with health questions pertaining to labour at Ahmedabad. He takes a prominent part in organising Baby Shows and Health Exhibitions organized by the Sanitary Associations and the District Village uplift Committees and Municipalities in Gujarat. Member of the Red Cross Executive Committee, Ahmedabad District branch; Member Executive Committee S. P. C. A., Ahmedabad; Treasurer, Released Prisoners' Aid Society; President Theosophical Society, Ahmedabad; and President Ahmedabad Medical Society 1934 and 1935. He is very keen on having a permanent building for the Sanitary Museum which along with his activities for health and welfare has evoked praise from Sir Leslie Wilson, Lt.-Col. A. Y. Dabholkar, Director of Public Health and others, and is recognized by some as a missionary worker in Health and Sanitation. Dr. and Mrs. Solomon are the founders of the Co-Freemasonry movement in Ahmedabad. He is one of the Probation Officers of the Child Protection Society. He was one of the few non-officials in Ahmedabad to receive the Silver Jubilee Medal in 1935.

He was a follower of Dr. Annie Besant and is a firm believer in India's connection with British for future development of both. He was the local Secretary of the National Convention for Home Rule and attended its meetings at Allahabad, Delhi, etc., when the basis of the Common-Wealth of India Bill was discussed and approved by the Convention. His views on the problem of minor communities were published by Dr. Besant as convention-pamphlet and he believes that a lasting Hindu-Muslim Unity would be brought about if a League were started to work out the ideas given therein. He was the first to deliver a lecture against Non-Cooperation Movement in 1923 at Ahmedabad, the subject being, "Non-Cooperation, its Growth, Function and Decay."

Dr. Jacob Solomon has charm in speech and manners and has extended the circle of his enthusiastic appreciators with every passing year since he resigned Government Service in 1920.

Address—Beth-El, Manipur, Ahmedabad, Gujarat. Telephone No. 2989.

Sonavala, Haji Alarakhia Rahimtula, J.P., Bombay. He hailed from the Khoja



Shiah Ismaili Agakhani Community of Cutch. After completing his education, young Alarakhia joined his father's gold refining business. In a short time he earned the reputation of being an uncanny examiner of the precious metal. His name was a by-word in the Bombay Gold Market as an expert tester of gold. His was the first fully equipped Gold Refinery in Bombay. Mr. Alarakhia earned both fame and name. He amassed wealth, only to give it away in charities extending to over thirteen lakhs. In 1921 he established the first Cosmopolitan Educational Trust of five lakhs. Soon after that he created another Trust, "The Alarakhia Rahimtula Sonawala Charity Fund, No. 2," of eight lakhs. Among the objects of this trust, are the maintenance and support of students, hospitals, relief in earthquakes, fires, famines, etc., and gifts to poor girls at weddings, and protection of animals. In the best interest of his catholic charities, Mr. Alarakhia deemed fit to renounce his allegiance to the Agakhan in 1928 and embraced the Sunni Mahomedan faith. He retired from business to lead a simple and quiet life, leaving the business to his two sons, Messrs. Vallimohamed and Gulamhusain, who are two trustees carrying out the behests of their father.

Address—Bachooalli Building Dongri Bombay 9.

Sonavala, Gulamhusain A., Founder and Managing Director of the 'Bombay Labor-



atory Ltd., comes of a family that has been doing business in precious metals for well nigh a century and a half. He was born in August, 1901, and was educated in Bombay. In 1919, he joined his father's business in gold and other precious metals. He set up and conducts a Gold Refinery on the modern scientific lines, and being gifted naturally with technical skill, mastered the art of refining gold and became an expert in testing precious metals. With an inborn aptitude for metallurgy and skill for organization and capacity for work, he set up an up-to-date Metallurgical Laboratory,—The Bombay Laboratory Ltd.,—equipped with the latest apparatus, machinery, and furnaces for assaying, melting, refining, and manufacturing alloys of metals including gold, silver, platinum, etc. He is a partner of Vallimohamed Gulamhusain Sonavala & Co., one of the oldest bullion establishments in Bombay.

Mr. Sonavala takes a keen and active interest in matters of public welfare. He was Secretary of "The Cutch State Subjects Conference," 1928-34. He is a founder of the Public Weighing Scale Scheme (Dharma Kanta) for Precious Metal, approved by the High Court of Bombay; Member, The Rotary Club; Trustee, Allarakhia Rahimtula Sonavala Cosmopolitan Charity Funds. During the Non-Cooperation movement, 1930, he established and conducted fourteen temporary hospital centres in Gujerat, and has spared himself no efforts for social amelioration and uplift. Address—Bombay.

Soman, Ramchandra Ganesh, M.L.C.,
District Pleader, Satara. Born 24th Novem.



ber, 1876. Educated at Satara High School. Married in 1899 to Miss Sitabai, daughter of late Raghunath Vinayak Patwardhan. (Four sons and two daughters). Passed School Final, 1892. District Pleader's Examination, 1900. Served as a teacher in New English School, Satara, 1894-1900; also served in the Judicial Department as Section Writer at Islampur Court, 1900; commenced practice at Satara from October, 1900; was editor of "Prakash," a local weekly formerly known as "Prakash," for eighteen years, 1906-1924. A disciple of late Mr. B.G. Tilak, he took a leading part in the Home Rule League Movement. Was Secretary of the Satara District Conference, which was affiliated to the Indian National Congress in 1922; was Secretary of the Bombay Presidency Provincial Conference which was held at Satara in 1914 under the Presidency of Mr. D. V. Bolvi of Belgium when an attempt was made to end the feud between the Liberals and the Extremists; was Chairman, Reception Committee, Bombay Provincial Conference held at Satara, 1925; elected to the Bombay Legislative Council from Satara District, 1923, as a Member of the Swaraj Party, having topped the poll; served on the Land Revenue Committee appointed by the Government of Bombay; was Vice-President, Maharashtra Provincial Congress Committee and a Member of the All-India Congress Committee for some time. In 1930 convicted for three months under the Criminal Law Amendment Act but was acquitted by the High Court; was a detainee at Yeravda Jail under ordinance for two months; was one of the Promoters and Directors of the Western India Life Assurance Company, Satara; has been President, Local Native General Library; elected to the Bombay Legislative Council in the bye-election from Satara District as a Congress Candidate in August, 1934.

Address—Satara.

Sorley, Herbert Tower, M.A. (Aber.), I.C.S.,
Secretary-Government of Bombay. Educated at Aberdeen Grammar School, Aberdeen University, and Christ Church, Oxford. Joined I.C.S. on 9th November, 1915 and was posted as Asstt. Collector, Hyderabad (Sind). After serving as Collector and District Magistrate in several Districts in the Presidency, he held the appointment of Dy. Commissioner U. S. Frontier for some time in 1927-28. Was Collector of Salt Revenue, Bombay, 1929-32, when his services were placed at the disposal of the Government of India for appointment as Superintendent of Census Operations, B. P. He was a nominated member of the Legislative Assembly in 1930 and 1932. He was Collector and District Magistrate, Sukkur, and Political Agent, Khairpur, and later on Collector of Bombay. As Superintendent of Census Operations, B. P., wrote the Bombay Census Reports, 1931, for Bombay Presidency and Sind, the cities of the Bombay Presidency, and the Western India States Agency. Wrote also "The Marine Fisheries of the Bombay Presidency," for the Bombay Government in 1932.

Address—Ridge Road, Malabar Hill, Bombay.

Souter, Charles Alexander, K. C. I. E.,
1936; C. S. I. 1933; I. C. S.; Member, Board of Revenue, Madras. Born on 18th June, 1877. Married Charlotte Dorothy Jesson. Educated at Caius College, Cambridge. Arrived in India, 1901, and served in Madras as Asstt. Collr. and Magistrate; Assistant Secretary to Government, 1906; Under-Secretary, Revenue Department, 1909; Sub-Collector and Joint Magistrate, 1910; Offg. Commissioner, Coorg, 1916; Commissioner, Coorg, 1918-23; Collector and District Magistrate, 1924; Offg. Secretary to Government Public Works Department, 1928; third Member, Board of Revenue, 1930; first Member, 1931.

Address—Taylor's Gardens, Adyar, Madras.

Spackman, Lieut.-Col. William Collis,
I. M. S., M. R. C. S., I. R. O. P., M. B. B. S. (London), F. R. C. S., (Ed.), M.C.O.G., (Eng.) F. C. P. S., Professor of Midwifery and Gynaecology, Grant Medical College, Bombay. Born on 23rd September, 1889; educated at Trent College, and St. Bartholomew's Hospital, London; married Audrey Helen Eden Smith; War Service, 1914-19, Mesopotamia and Turkey (prisoner of war 1916-18); wounded; twice mentioned in despatches. Frontier Medal, 1923. Transferred to Civil Employ, 1924, Bombay Presidency.

Publications: Numerous articles on professional subjects in various journals.

Addresses—Rocky Hill, Malabar Hill, Bombay; Ruston Building, Churchgate Street, Bombay.

Spargo, Hon. Mr. Justice, F. W., I.C.S.; Judge Bangalore High Court. Joined I.C.S. in 1912 and served as Asst. Commissioner. He was on military service from 1917 to 1919 and was appointed District and Sessions Judge in 1923.

Address: High Court, Bangalore.

Sprawson, Cuthbert Allan, Major General I.M.S., M.D. (Fond.) B.S., F.R.C.P., D. Litt., C.I.E. (1919); A.H.P. (1933); Officer of Order of St. John of Jerusalem (1930); Director-General, Indian Medical Service, from 1st November, 1931; President, Medical Council of India. Born on 1st March, 1877. Educated at King's College, London, and King's College, Hospital. Indian Medical Service, 1900; Professor of Medicine, Lucknow, 1913-29; Consulting Physician, Mesopotamian Expeditionary Force, 1917-20; Inspector-General, Civil Hospitals, U. P., 1929-30; Surgeon-General with the Government of Madras for some time. Publications: "A Guide to the Use of Tuberculin," (joint author) 1914; "Tuberculosis in Indians"; "Moore's Family Medicine," 8th and 9th editions.

Address—New Delhi.

Srinivasa Iyengar, K. R., M. A., Dewan Bahadur, Rajasabha Bhoo-dhana; retired first Member of Council, Bangalore. Born on 18th July, 1871. Educated at Kumbakonam College. Joined Mysore Service in 1892 as Probationary Asst. Commissioner; Deputy Commissioner, 1907; Inspector General of Police, 1917; Revenue Commissioner, 1918; Officiating Second Member of Council, 1919; Revenue Commissioner, 1920-23; Ex-Officio Muzari Commissioner, 1922; Second Member of Council, 1923; First Member of Council, 1925. Retired 1926 President, Mysore Silk Association and Mysore Provincial Co-operative Land Mortgage Bank.

Address—Channarayana, Bangalore City.

Srinivasa Iyengar, S., Advocate, Madras. Born on 11th September, 1874. Educated at Madura and Presidency College, Madras. Married a daughter of late Sir V. Bhashyam Iyengar. Member of Madras Senate, 1912-16; President, Vakils' Association of Madras; President, Madras Social Reform Association, 1916-20; Fellow of the Madras University; Member, All-India Congress Committee; resigned his title of C. I. E. and his seat in the Legislative Council in 1921, as a protest against the arrest of Congress leaders; Member, Indian Legislative Assembly; Advocate-General, Madras, 1916-20; President, Indian National Congress, 1926-27.

Publications: "Law and Law Reform," (1909); "Swaraj Constitution for India," 1927.

Address—Mylapore, Madras.

Srinivasa Pai, Ammembal, B.A., B.L., one of the leading advocates in Mangalore



(now retired from the profession) is the son of the late Diwan Bahadur A. Venkatarama Pai, District and Sessions Judge and adopted son of his father's eldest brother, Mr. A. Narayana Pai. Born in 1872, he was educated at St. Aloysius' College, Mangalore, and Presidency College, Madras. Passed B.A. in 1894; and B.L. in 1900; practised for three years in the Madras High Court and afterwards in Mangalore. He was Honorary Secretary of the Presidency College Literary Society and of the Madras University Union in the early nineties; Honorary Secretary of the Goud Saraswati Brahmin Parishad, 1909-10; President, Bar Association, Mangalore; President, Cosmopolitan Club, Mangalore; Member of the District Temple Committee; Vice-President, Iswaraiah and Mahila Sovashram; President, District Secondary Education Board and Manager of the Kanara High School, Mangalore, for twenty-five years. He married in 1896, and has four children; the oldest son, Mr. A. Vittal Pai, I.C.S., is the Agent in Ceylon to the Government of India; all the other sons and daughters are well settled in life.

Mr. Srinivasa Pai has been since 1918 the President of the Canara Bank Ltd., Mangalore, a flourishing and well conducted Bank of the West Malabar Coast. It is one of the constituent Banks of the Reserve Bank of India. The History of the Canara Bank Ltd., is a record of well directed indigenous effort. The founder of the Bank was the late Ammembal

Subraya Pai, whose name was a household word in the District of South Canara for his high and selfless character.

At the time the Canara Bank was started in Mangalore in 1906 the only other bank business in that important port and trading centre was the late Bank of Madras which naturally took advantage of the monopoly of banking business that it had in that locality. Commencing with a capital of Rs. 54,000 and deposits of Rs. 20,000 in 1906, the Canara Bank has now paid up capital of Rs. 3,30,000, reserves amounting to Rs. 4,50,000, while total resources amount to about a crore.

During the second decade of its existence, branches of the bank were opened at various places in the district while later branches were opened at important trade centres of the West Coast, like Cochin, Alleppey, Calicut, and Bombay. Branches were also opened at centres in the Mysore Province and at Hubli in British Karnatak.

Two main principles may be said to have largely contributed to the success of the bank; first, the principle of "Festina Lento" (hasten slowly); secondly, the self-sacrificing spirit shown by the staff, inspired by the example of the founder.

Address—"Hill House," Kasaragod, S. Kanara.

Stable, Lieut.-Col. Hugh Huntington, K.G.O., Central Indian Horse; Military Secretary to H. E. Lord Linlithgow, Viceroy and Governor-General of India, since 1936. Born in 1896; son of late Alfred Henry Stable, M.A. Educated at Malvern College. Married in 1923, Cyrille Helen Dorothy. First Commission 2/4 Dorset Regiment in 1914; served Palestine, 1917-18 (dispatches) Capt. Central India Horse, 1919; Major, 1933; Bt. Lt. Col., 1935; Staff College, Camberley, 1929; Army Head quarters, India, 1932; Staff Officer to Major General, Cavalry; Assistant Military Secretary (personal) to Commander-in-Chief, 1933-1936. Club: Army and Navy.

Address—Viceroy's Camp, India.

Steen, Lt. Col. Hunter Carmichael, Pensioner, Indian Army, since 1923. Born on



10th August, 1872. Educated at Belfast, Northern Ireland. Recruiting Officer, Poona, from March, 1908 to March, 1912; and again from September, 1919 to November, 1923. Served in the Great War in Mesopotamia. He takes great interest in the social and moral development of the depressed

classes and is a contributor to the Kondhwa Leper Asylum, the Salvation Army, League of Mercy, the Society for the Protection of the Children, The Indian Soldiers' Board, etc.

Address—21, Bombay Road, Kirkee, Poona.

Stephens, Ian Melville, C.I.E., Director of Public Information, Government of India.



Born February, 1903. Was educated at Winchester (1916-21) and King's College, Cambridge (1921-26). Took First Class Honours in the Natural Sciences Tripos, 1924, and in the Historical Tripos, 1925. Was Exhibitioner, King's College, 1922; Senior Foundation Scholar, 1924; R. J. Smith Research Student, 1925; Supervisor in History, 1925-26; Private Secretary to Sir Ernest Clark, K.C.B., 1926-28, and to Sir Ernest Debonham, Bar, 1928-30. Was appointed Deputy Director of Public Information with the Government of India in March, 1930. Acted as Publicity Officer to the Indian Franchise Committee, 1932. Was appointed Director of Public Information in

August of that year, after having officiated in the post for a short period. (Got the title of C.I.E., in January, 1935, and was awarded the Silver Jubilee Medal in May, 1935).

Address—Home Department, Government of India, Simla and New Delhi.

Stokes, The Hon'ble Sir Hopetoun Gabriel, K.C.I.E., (1934) C.S.I., C.I.E., B.A., I.C.S. Educated at Clifton Oriol College, Oxford. Entered I.C.S. in 1896. Became Under and Deputy Secretary, Government of India Home Department, 1903-06 and 1905-11; Deputy Secretary, Financial Department of India, 1911-13; Finance Member, Imperial Delhi Committee, 1913-14; Private Secretary to Governor of Madras, 1915; Political Agent, Banganapalle, Madras; Secretary I. & M. Departments, Madras Government; Secretary, Punjab Disorders Committee presided over by Lord Hunter, 1919; First Member, Board of Revenue, Madras; Chief Secretary to Government, 1919, and Member, Executive Council from 1930-37.

Address—The Grange, Adayar, Madras.

Strettell, Chauncy Batho Dashwood, Major-General. Born in 1881, he was educated



at Wellington College and Sandhurst. The following is his active career in the Army:—Commission I.L. Indian Army, January 20th, 1900; 13th Rajputs, 1901; Waziristan Blockade, 1901-02. Medal, 23rd Cavalry I. F. F. 1902; A.D.C., to G.O.C., 4th Quetta Division, 1919; Assistant Commandant, Burma Military Police, 1911-14; Nami Hka and Itkamti long Expeditions, 1912-13, as Assistant Commanding and Intelligence Officer; Commanded at successful affair at Buza, 1912; received letters of appreciation from the Government of India and Burma; awarded King's Police Medal; Great War; raised Service Squadron 6th Inniskilling Dragoons, (86th Ulster Division) 1914-15;

rejoined 23rd Cavalry in Mesopotamia, February, 1916; Commandant Wing of Regiment at successful affair at Hussainiyeh, August, 1917; Brigade Major, 7th Moorat Cavalry Brigade, December, 1917-19; present at various actions including Battle of Sharqat and the occupation of Mosul; mentioned in dispatches three times, promoted Brevet Lt.-Col.; Victory and G.C. Medals; D.A.Q.M.G., 1-6-19; G.S.O. 2, 1-12-19; Brigade Major, 10th Cavalry Brigade and Northern Palestine, E. E. F., October, 1920-22; Col., 3-6-1923; Commandant P.A.V.O. Cavalry, E.F. April, 1924; Offg. A. Q. M. G., Baluchistan District, February, 1918; A.A.G. Northern Command, July, 1928; Commander, 3rd Moorat Cavalry Brigade, July, 1929. Brigadier, General Staff, Southern Command, April, 1932; C.B., 1935; Deputy Quarter Master General, July, 1935; Deputy Adjutant General (Designate) January, 1936.

Address—Army Headquarters, India.

Stow, Vincent Aubrey Steward, M.A. (Oxon); C.I.E., V.D., Principal, Mayo



College, Ajmer. Born on 27th July, 1883. Married Mario Elinor Morier (1912). Educated at Winchester College, and Exeter College, Oxford. Literae Humaniores, 1906, Asst. Master, Marlborough College, 1906; appointed to Chiefs' Colleges cadre; I. K. S., 1907; Asst. Master,

Daly College, Indore, 1907; Principal, Rajkumar College, Raipur, 1912; I.A.R.O., Active Service, M. F. F., 1918; attached to Civil Administration, Iraq, 1919; Principal, Rajkumar College, Raipur, 1915; Principal, Mayo College, Ajmer, July, 1931. Publications:—"Educational Works."

Address—Mayo College, Ajmer, Rajputana.

Subbaroyan, Dr., P. M.A., LL.B., LL.D., M.L.C., and Zemiudar of Kumaranangalam. Born on September, 1889, he was educated at Newington, Madras Christian College, and Wadham College, Oxford; Barrister-at-Law of the Inner Temple, B.C.L., M.A. (Oxford), LL.D., Trinity College (Dublin), LL.B., University of London. Elected to the 1st, 2nd and 3rd Legislative Councils; was Council Secretary to the Minister of Development, 1921-22, and Chief Minister for Education and Local Self-Government in 1927. Clubs: Cosmopol-

tan, Indian Gymkhana, Marleybone Cricket Club and National Liberal, (London).

Address—"Fairlawn," Commander-in-Chief's Road, Egmore, Madras.

Subbaiah, Rao Sahib Vepakomma Guruvankata, B. E., M. I. E., Estate



Engineer, Vizianagaram, Vizagapatnam Dist. Born on 28th November, 1894, at Chittoor. He was educated at Chittoor, Pachayappa's College, Madras, and Madras Engineering College. Married in 1912 to Srimathi V. Adilakshamma. Joined the Madras Public Works Dept. and Local Fund

and subsequently was appointed as an Engineer at Andhra University, Waltair, from 1932-36; Estate Engineer since 1936. Conferred the title of Rao Sahib in 1934 for the good work done in the Andhra University. He is an elected member, Institute of Engineers, India, since 1935.

Address—Estate Engineer, Vizianagaram, Vizagapatnam.

Subedar Manu, B.A., (Bombay), Dakshina Fellow of the Elphinstone College, Bombay, B.Sc., (Hon.) London; First Class honours in Public Finance, Banking and Currency, Barrister-at-Law, Gray's Inn, 1922; Director, Peninsular Locomotive Co., Ltd.; Managing Director, Aemo-Bala Trading Co., Ltd. He was educated at New High School, Bombay, and stood first in Matric from the School. He joined Elphinstone College, Bombay, and was James Taylor Scholar and Prizeman. He went to England and joined London School of Economics, London University, South Kensington and Gray's Inn. He was, after his return to India in 1914, appointed, Lecturer in Economics, Bombay University. Later he took up the post of Professor in Economics at Calcutta University. He was also examiner for M.A., Bombay and Calcutta. He was Secretary of Sholapur Spinning and Weaving Mills Co., Ltd., (1917) and Morarji Goculdas Spinning and Weaving Mills Co., Ltd. He was Managing Director, Western India Small Industries Corporation Ltd., (1919) and Partner, Lalji Nararji & Co., Managing Agents of Jupiter General Insurance Co., Ltd. He was appointed Representative of Indian Merchants' Chamber on the Bombay Port Trust and sent to England by the

Government of India to give evidence on behalf of the Indian Commercial Community before the Babington-Smith Committee. Later he acted as Managing Agent of the Pioneer Rubber Co., (1920), Director of the Peninsular Locomotive Co., Ltd., (1924) and was Representative of the Indian Merchants' Chamber on the Advisory Board of the Development Department. He wrote a separate dissenting report on Back Bay Reclamation and also on Housing Scheme. He was also Representative of the Indian Merchants' Chamber on the Bombay Improvement Trust Committee and was appointed Member of the Indian Central Banking Enquiry Committee. He acted as an official Advisor in various matters and technical matters to the states of Mysore, Junagadh, Jodhpur and Cutch. He was nominated by Government of Bombay to the Municipal Corporation in 1930. He wrote separate Minority Report on the Indian Central Banking Enquiry Committee, 1931. He was Vice-President, Indian Merchants' Chamber in 1931 and again in 1934.

Address—Kodak House, Hornby Road, Fort, Bombay.

Subnis, Rao Bahadur Sir Ragunathrao V., Kt., 1925, B.A., C.I.E.,

Fellow of the Royal Society of Arts, Asiatic Society, Bombay Branch; President of the Nakha Panchayat (Dist. Local Board), Kolhapur, and Chairman of the Board of Directors of the Bank of Kolhapur Ltd., Kolhapur, and of the Kolhapur Sugar Mills, Ltd. Born on 1st April, 1857, he was educated at the Rajaram-High School, Kolhapur and Elphinstone College, Bombay. Started life in the Educational Department of the Bombay Government and held offices of Huzar Chitnis and Chief Revenue Officer, Kolhapur. He was Diwan of Kolhapur State for over a quarter of a century from 1898 to 1925. After retiring in 1926 he was appointed Hon. Judge of the Supreme Court of Judicature, Kolhapur, in 1931. He is liked both by the Ruler and the people and his advice is sought for even today in important matters by the present Maharaja to whom his loyal attachment is well-known.

Address—Shalupuri, Kolhapur.

Sudhalkar, Sakharan A m r u t, B.A., LL.B., High Court Judge, Baroda. Born on 30th April, 1891. Educated at Kadi High School, Baroda High School, and Baroda College. First marriage 1911; second marriage, 1919; third marriage in 1924 with sister of Captain Karode of Bandra. His great grandfather, a Telugu Brahmin, came from Nizam State and settled at Kadi in Baroda State, a hundred years ago. His father was in the State Police Service.

Passed Matric, 1906; B.A., 1910; L.L.B., 1913, and since then commenced practice at Baroda. Member, Municipality since 1915; Chairman, Managing Committee, 1922-24; Vice-President 1924-28; Nominated President, Baroda Municipality by H. H. Maharaja, being the first non-official president; Member of the Baroda Legislature since 1934. A member of the Hindu Law Reform Committee appointed by the local legislature; also a member of the Prajamandal, Hindu Vijay Gymkhana and Sayaji Vijaya Club; Chairman of the Managing Committee of Maharani Chimanabai High School.

Address—Mahajan Lane, Baroda,
L.B. & C.I. Railway.

(Contab) Ph. D., (Berlin); General Editor Mahabharata Critical Edition (Bhandarkar Oriental Research Institute) and husband of Dr. Mrs. Malini B. Sukthankar, M.B.B.S., J. P., Municipal Corporator, and ex-Chairman, Schools Committee, Bombay Municipality, and cousin of Mr. Y. N. Sukthankar, I. C. S., Under-Secretary to Government, Central Provinces, Nagpur.

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Sukthankar, Dr. (Mrs.) Malini Bhalchandra, M. B. B. S. Born on 11th

Sukthankar, Bhalchandra Sitaram, M.A., L.L.B., Solicitor, High Court, Bombay.



Born on 12th June, 1891. Educated at St. Xavier's High School and St. Xavier's College. Married on 20th December, 1916, to Miss Malini Sundornath Kotha. Matriculated in 1906 with distinction in French; graduated in 1910 with distinction in French; Dakshina Fellow in St. Xavier's College 1919-1911; took M.A. degree in 1911 in Languages and Literature with distinction in French. Published in 1911 and 1913 a translation into English of the French text books prescribed for the B.A. degree. Qualified as an Attorney of the Bombay High Court in 1919; Has been writing and publishing Marathi poetry since 1929 under *inter alia* the pseudonym "Bhaloudh." Now engaged in the project of giving international importance to Marathi literature by translating it into English. Work in hand. Translation into verse of poetry of contemporary Marathi poets and also the "Geeta-Balasya or Karma Yoga" of the late Lokmanya Tilak and forming of the "Maharashtra Vangmaya Translation Society." Brother of Dr. Vishnu S. Sukthankar M.A.,



January, 1895; Educated at the Students' Literary and Scientific Girls' High School, and Grant Medical College, Bombay. Married on 20th December, 1916, to Mr. Bhalchandra Sitaram Sukthankar, Solicitor, High Court, Bombay. (Two sons and one daughter.) A Gond Saraswat Brahmin, she is the granddaughter of late Shantaram Narayan Patkar, Government Pleader High Court, and daughter of Sundornath D. Kotha. Passed M. B. B. S., 1917. First Class in Inter M. B. B. S; was awarded the Queen Empress Silver Medal, Ganga Gold Medal and Scholarship for General Proficiency in Medicine and Surgery in the Final M.B.B.S. House Surgeon, Cama Hospital 1919-21; Honorary Physician, Children's Ward, Cama Hospital, 1923-28; Hon. Physician in charge Gynaecological and Auto-Natal clinic for six months, Grant Medical College, 1929. Since 1930, Honorary Physician, Female ward, Congress Free Hospital; was a Member of the Senate, Indian Woman's University, Poona, 1933. Social Secretary, All-India Women's Conference 1930-1933; Vice-President, Bombay Presidency Women's Graduate's Union; Member, Ackworth Leper Asylum Committee; Hon. Treasurer, All-India Women's Conference,

1934; Hon. Treasurer, National Council of Women in India, 1931-33; in 1927 co-opted as a Member on Schools Committee, Bombay Corporation; in 1930 co-opted as a member on the Bombay Municipal Corporation; In 1932 she contested a seat in the general election to the Bombay Municipal Corporation and won a brilliant success, having topped the poll from D ward with 19,817 votes; elected Chairman, Bombay Schools Committee, 1933-34 being the first lady to hold the post.

Address—Shantaram House, Malabar Hill, Bombay.

Sukthankar, Vinayak Mangesh,
B.A., B. E., A. M. I. E., District Engineer,



Belgaum District Local Board. Born in 1888, he was educated at Savantwadi High School, Wilson College, Bombay, and Engineering College, Poona. Married in 1912, Miss Tarabai, daughter of Raoji Gangadhar Khot, a brilliant and prominent member of Belgaum Bar, and has one son and

three daughters. His father, Mangesh Bickaji, was a landlord in Savantwadi. Passed Matric, 1906; B.A., 1911; B. E. 1916. Was Assistant Engineer in Gwalior State, 1916-20, during which period he earned high estimation at the hands of the Durbar and the Political Agent, C.I.; was appointed in the temporary establishment in Government P. W. D. till 1922 when he was selected as an efficient and independent Officer to the District Local Board as District Engineer and became permanent after two years. He has been taking active part in almost all public functions and his work in connection with the management of the Patil's Durbar in 1933, and also in connection with the celebration of Their Majesties' Silver Jubilee, is highly appreciated by Government.

Address—Thalakwadi, Belgaum.

Sukthankar, Vihnu Sitaram,
M.A., (Cantab.), Ph. D., (Berlin), Kaiser-i-Hind Medalist, Fellow, Nowroji Wadia College, Poona; Lecturer in the Post-graduate Department of the Bombay University. Born on 4th May, 1887, he was educated at Maratha High School and St. Xavier's College, Bombay; St. John's College, Cambridge (England), and Berlin University. He was

formerly Assistant Superintendent, Archaeological Survey, Western Circle. Married Eleonora Bowring (died 6th August, 1926). He is the Secretary of the Maharashtra Editorial Board of Bhandarkar Oriental Research Institute, Poona. He is the author of various publications: "Die Grammatik Sakatayanas, Leipzig" 1921; "Vasavdatta," Oxford University Press, 1923; First Critical edition of the "Mahabharat," 1927; "Studios in Bhasa;" "Epic Studios,' Contributor to Journal, American Or. Soc; Indantiquary; Epigraphia Indica Journal, Bombay Branch, Royal As. Soc; Journal, German Or. Soc., etc. Editor-in-Chief, Journal of the Bombay Branch Royal Asiatic Society

Address—Shantaram House, Malabar Hill, Bombay and Bhandarkar Oriental Research Institute, Poona.

Sultan Sheriff Dewjee, B.A., Merchant and Joint Proprietor, Messrs. Dewjee Canjee and Company, Bombay. Born on 26th December, 1913. He was educated at Cathedral High School (Matriculation, 1930); and St. Xavier's College, Bombay (B.A., 1934). Is Trustee, Mahomed Haji Saboo Siddik Institution. Messrs. Dewjee Canjee and Company was established in 1871 by late Mr. Dewjee Canjee and it is one of the oldest and biggest cabinet makers in India; awarded gold medal, Bombay Exhibition, 1904. Patronised by the following States: Hyderabad, Gwalior, Indore, Bikanor, Cutch and Ratlam.

Address—c/o Messrs. Dewjee Canjee & Co. 156, Chakla Street, Bombay.

Sunderlal, Nathalal Joshi, M. R. A. S.
Ayurvedic Physician, Journalist, and public



worker, Nadiad. Born on 12th May, 1898. Educated at Nadiad High School, Fergusson College and Baroda College. Married in 1910 with Hiraxmi, daughter of Revashankar K.

Vyas. Received education in adverse circumstances and left college during N.C.O. Movement 1920; took active part in Congress Movement from 1921-1933; jailed in 1930 (Salt Satyagraha Movement) as secretary, Kaira District Congress Committee; commenced practice as Ayurvedic Physician at Nadiad, 1921; gave evidence before Kaira District Opium Inquiry Committee, 1928; was Secretary Gujarati Sahitya Parishad (Literary Conference), 1928-31. As secretary of the Kaira District Varnashram Swarajya Sangh, District Sanatan Dharma Sabha and President Brahman Sabha, he organised the First Gujarat Provincial Varnashrami Hindu Conference at Nadiad in 1933; a Municipal Councillor, 1931, and a prominent Ayurvedic Mahamandal worker in Gujarat; elected member, Royal Asiatic Society, Bombay; was elected non-residential member, Royal Asiatic Society, London, 1934; awarded the Upapad (title) "Vidyavaridhi" by Vabhbacharya Shree Aniruddhacharya of Jannagar for studies in the Shuddhadvait Philosophy. Received title of "Vaidya-Manishi" from Shree Ramanujacharya of Ayoda, 1936. received an honorary degree "Ayurved Brushan" from the All-India Sanskrit Vidyapith, Benares, 1936. Elected President of the First Kaira District Ayurvedic Conference, 1935; has been Secretary of the Central Institute of Ayurvedic Research, Benares, established by the twenty-fifth All-India Ayurvedic Conference at Ahmedabad, 1935; elected as President of the Kaira District Ayurvedic Medical Society for a term of five years from 1936 by a special resolution; is a keen student of Occult Sciences, and his studies in comparative Sayan and Nirayan (Western and Eastern) branches of Astrology are considerable. As a literary man he has written stray poems and various articles in Gujarati periodicals from time to time.

Publications: "Chingari" of the Gitanjali style based on Sufism. (2) "History of Nadiad" (3) "History of Revenue System in Kaira District" (4) "Varna Mimansa," etc. etc.

Address—Nadiad, Kaira District.

Sundara Raj, Diwan Bahadur Bangaru,

M. A., Ph. D., Director of Fisheries, Madras. Born on 25th August, 1888. He was educated in Madras and Liverpool. Married in Oct, 1930 Phyllis Seymore Darling. Appointed Assistant to the Piscicultural Expert, 1915; Assistant Director of Fisheries, 1920; appointed Director of Fisheries, Madras, 1923. Author of various publications.

Recreations: riding and fishing.

Address—"Nowroj Gardens," Chotpet, Madras.

Sutaria, Chhotalal Javerlal, B.A., LL.B., Pleader, High Court, Baroda. Born on 8th November, 1881. Educated at Baroda High School and Baroda College. Married in 1888,

with Kashibai, daughter of Bhulal Hargovan of Vaso. (Four sons and four daughters.) His father was in the State Education Department. Passed Matric 1901, B.A. 1906, and LL.B., 1909; started practice at Baroda, 1910; Secretary to the City Prajamandal 1922-25; General Secretary, Prajamandal, 1926-31; President of the Baroda State Prajamandal, 1931-32; a Member of the Advisory Committee of New Era School and of the Managing Committee, Sayaji High School; has been President of the Baroda Theosophical Lodge since 1931.

Address—Jogidas Vitthal Pole, Baroda.

Surve, Sitaram Nana, Boat-builder and Boat-contractor to Bombay Steam Navigation



Co., Ltd., and P.W.D. Contractor, Ratnagiri. Born on 5th March, 1901. Educated at Ratnagiri High School. Married in 1919. For the last fifty years boats have been built and supplied by the family to the B.S.N. Co. Ltd., Bombay, at various places including Jannagar and Mangalore; also supplied

big country crafts to Baroda Government for Okha Port. Was appointed a Member on the Country Craft Measurement and Registration Rules Committee appointed by Government; Member, D. L. Board and Municipality, Ratnagiri and the Wharfage Committee, for last ten years. Several bridges and buildings have been built by him. The Ratnagiri Jetty built by the family is the first of its kind built by an Indian contractor on the Konkan Coast; is a leading Member of the Bhandari community in the District. Address—Ratnagiri.

Syed, Sir Muhammad Sa'adulla, Kt.,

(1928), M. A. (Chemistry, 1906), B. L. (1907); Advocate, First Grade, Calcutta High Court. Born in May, 1886, was educated at Cotton College, Gauhati, Assam (P. A.); Presidency College, Calcutta (M. A.); Ripon College, Calcutta (B.L.). Was Asst. Lecturer in Chemistry Cotton College, Gauhati Courts, 1909-19; in the Calcutta High Court, 1920-24; member, Assam Legislative Council, 1913-20; Minister, Assam Government in charge of Education and Agriculture, 1924-29; Member, Executive Council, Assam Government, in charge of Law and Order and P. W. D., 1929-30; Member in charge of Finance and Law and Order from 1930 to 1934. Advocate, First Grade, Calcutta High Court from 1934.

Address—216, Lower Circular Road, Calcutta.

Syed Aminuddin, B.A., (Cantab); Bar-at-Law; I.C.S., Collector and District Magistrate, East Khandesh. Born in 1895. Educated at M.A.O. Collegiate School Aligarh, Downing College, Cambridge, and Gray's Inn. Passed B.A. (Cantab) in 1918. Called to the Bar in 1919; nominated



to the I.C.S. in 1921. After serving in Sind and several districts in Bombay Presidency, he is now Collector of East Khandesh. Was a nominated member to the Indian Legislative Assembly in 1936, and was a whip of the Government in Bombay Legislative Council for about four years till 1935. He belongs to the Nawab family at Baroda, a direct descendant of Syed Nuruddin Hussain Khan, who was in the employ of Najibud-Dowla and an eye witness of his book, "Life of Najibud-Dowla," quoted by Sir Jadunath Sarkar in his "Downfall of Moghul Empire." His ancestor, Syed Nuruddin Hussain Khan, after leaving the service of the Delhi Court, joined the service of the East India Company about 1778, and worked under Mr. Boddam at Surat and later under the Presidency of Sir Charles Malet at the court of Peshwas in Poona. One of his sons, Nawab Sultan Nawaz Jaung Bahadur was in the employ of Gaekwar of Baroda

and was killed at Ahmedabad in 1800, in capturing that fort from the Peshwas Agent, Aba Shelukar. Another son of his, Nawab Nizam Navazud-Dowla, was in the service of the Hyderabad State and later in the service of the Gaekwars. This Nawab family holds the premier Sardarship of Baroda State for over a hundred and fifty years and held the Command of the Gujarat Irregular Horse, maintained under the treaty with the East India Company's Government till that force was disbanded. Mr. Syed Aminuddin holds the unique distinction of holding hereditary Jagirs in British India (Surat district), in Nizam's dominions, Baroda Junagadh and Sachin States acquired by his ancestors for meritorious services rendered to the States. Address—Post Jalgaon, District East Khandesh.

Syed Nurullah, B. A., (Allahabad),

Diploma in Education (Lads), M.Ed., (Lads), Bar-at-Law, Educational Inspector, S.D., Dharwar. Born on 4th October, 1898, he was educated at the M. A. O. College, Aligarh, and Loods University, and was called to the Bar at the Middle Temple in 1924. He was enrolled as an Advocate of the Madras High

Court, 1928, and served as an Investigator in the Bombay Labour Office for a few months in 1929-30, before he joined the Bombay Educational Service as Educational Inspector in June, 1930; was officiating Assistant D.P.I. from April, 1932, to November, 1933, and since November 1933; educational Inspector S. D., Dharwar. Married in December, 1932, Aziz Fatima Wali Mohamed of Bhopal, and has one son, Nafimullah, and one daughter, Zohra, born on December 12th, 1933.

Address—Surawadpora, Dharwar.

Tairsee, Lakhmidas Raoji, B.A., B.Sc., M. L. C., Landlord and Merchant, comes of a

respectable family in Bombay. Born in 1876, he was educated at St. Xavier's College, Bombay. He married Bai Lachabai. As a leading commercial man of Western India, he has to his credit a large and substantial work done in the service of the public. A prominent member of the Bombay Municipal Corporation, he is an outstanding figure in the civic life of Bombay. His numerous public activities include:—President, P. J. Hindu Gymkhana;

President, Bhakta Mitra Mandal; President, Passenger's Traffic Relief Association; Member, Bombay Municipal Corporation; Member, Standing Committee, Bombay Municipal Corporation; Member of Bombay Port Trust (Representing Indian Merchants' Chamber); Ex-President, Indian Merchants' Chamber, Bombay; and "Trustee Titak Swaraj Fund." Among his publications are included: "Fronted Finance," "Speeches and Writings of B. G. Horniman," "Priests, Parasites and Plague." Elected to the Bombay Legislative Council from the Indian Merchants' Chamber, Bombay, 21st. August, 1934.

Address—29-31-33 Bora Bazar Street, and 259 Walkeshwar Road, Malabar Hill, Bombay, and Krishnabhuvan, Pauchavati, Nasik City.

Tamboli, Jehangir B h i k a j i, Cotton Merchant and Commission Agent and Chair-

man, Amalner Electric Supply Co., Ltd. Born in 1866 at Navasari. Educated at Sir Cawasjee Jehangir Zarathoshtia Madressa, Navasari. (One son, Jamshet J. Tamboli, who is assisting his father in his business.) A self-made man, Mr. Jehangir B. Tamboli came to Amalner from Navasari and started a cotton ginning press in 1907; later started an oil mill at Amalner; was a Managing Director and Chairman of the Urban Co-operative Bank, Ltd., for eight years and at present, its director. A Member of the Governing Body of the Khandesh Educational

Society for the last eight years; a Member, Taluka Development Association from its start; a cotton Member, Divisional Board of Agriculture, N.C.D.; Chairman, Silver Jubilee Maternity Hospital, Amalner. Has been Chairman of the Cotton Ginning and Press Association, Amalner. Started Tamboli Talkies on 11th May, 1937. His business is conducted in co-operation with his brother, A.B. Tamboli, under the name and style of "Tamboli Bros."

Address—Post Amalner, Dist. East Khandesh.

Tallents, Philip Cubitt, O. S. I. (1934); O. I. E. (1929); M. A. (Oxon); Ex-Member, Executive Council of the Governor of Bihar and Orissa. Born on 18th April, 1886. Educated at Harrow, and Magdalen College, Oxford. Entering the I. C. S. in 1909, he was appointed Under Secretary to Government, Financial and Municipal Department, in Bihar and Orissa in 1914. He occupied many important posts in the Government of Bihar and Orissa till 1933, when he was appointed Secretary, Finance Department of the Government of India. He was acting Member of the Executive Council of Bihar and Orissa, and made permanent in March 1936.

Tandon, Purshottamdas Babu, M.L.A., President, Servants of People Society (Headquarters, Lahore). Was a Practising lawyer in Allahabad till 1921, when he gave up practice owing to Non-Co-operation Movement. Was President, U.P. Provincial Congress Committee, 1921; Secretary, Punjab National Bank, Lahore, for some time; Chairman, Allahabad Municipality, for several years; took prominent part in Civil Disobedience Movement, 1930 and 1932, and was jailed several times; joined Servants of People Society, in 1924. Elected to U.P. Legislative Assembly in 1937.

Address—Servants of the People Society, Allahabad.

Tannan, Mohan Lal, M. Com. (Birm.), Bar-at-Law, I.E.S., J.P., Principal, Sydenham College of Commerce and Economics, Bombay, was on deputation to the Government of India Commerce Department, as Secretary Indian Accountancy Board and Under-Secretary. Born on 2nd May, 1885, he was educated at Government High School, Gujarat, Foraman, Christian College, Lahore and the University of Birmingham. He was the official Liquidator of the Industrial Bank of India, Ltd., in liquidation and the Indian Army Uniform Supply Co., Ltd., in liquidation (both of Ludhiana, Punjab). He was elected President, 10th Indian Economic Conference, 1927. Vice-President, the Indian Economic Society, 1921-23. Member of the Finance Sub-Committee of the Indian

Merchants' Chamber and Bureau, Bombay 1921-22, and Syndic of the Bombay University, 1923-24, 1927-28 and 1929-32. He was Secretary, Accountancy Diploma Board, Bombay, from 1st March, 1933. Director, Bombay Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd. Bombay, 1924. Member Council, Indian Institute of Bankers. Member, Auditors' Council, Bombay; Principal and Professor of Banking, the Sydenham College of Commerce and Economics, Bombay; and Chairman, Executive Committee of the seventh Indian Economic Conference (Bombay). He is the author of various publications. "Banking and Practice in India," "Indian Currency and Banking Problems," in collaboration with Prof. K. T. Shah, B.A., (Bom.) B. Sc., (Econ.), London; and several pamphlets such as the "Banking Needs of India," "Indian Currency and the War," "Regulation of Banks in India," etc. Married Miss C. Chopra.

Address—Commerce Department, Government of India, Simla, and New Delhi.

Taraporewala, Irach Jehangir Sorabji, B. A., (Bombay) 1904; Bar-at-Law (Gray's Inn) 1909; B. A. Fitz-William Hall, Cambridge 1913; Ph.D. (Wurzberg, Germany), 1913; Principal, the M. F. Cama Athornan Institute, Andheri, since 1930. Born on 22nd July, 1881, at Deccan, Hyderabad. Educated at the New High School, Bombay, Elphinstone College, Bombay; Fitz-William Hall, Cambridge; Heidelberg and Wurzberg, Germany. Was a Government of India Sanskrit Scholar (1911-13); married in December 1915, to Miss S. B. Pochaji, daughter of late Mr. Barjorji P. Pochaji of Bombay. After education served as Professor of English in the Central Hindu College, Benares, 1909-1911; Head Master, Central Hindu School, Benares, 1913-1917; Professor of Comparative Philology, University of Calcutta, 1917-1920; held the present appointment as the Principal, the M. F. Cama Athornan Institute, Andheri, since 1930. Also organised Scouting in the Central Hindu Collegiate School, Benares; President of Indian Linguistic Society, 1928-1930; Member of the Committee, All-India Oriental Conference; Member Governing Body, K. R. Cama Oriental Institute; Lectured on Comparative Philology at the University of Bombay, 1913-1914; Wilson Philological Lecturer, University of Bombay 1936-1937; is President, Gujarati Sahitya Sabha, Andheri; Examiner in various languages in several Indian Universities. Among his publications are: "The Religion of Zarathushtra," "Selections from Avesta and old Persian," "Selections from Classical Gujarati Literature" Vols. I-III, "Elements of the Science of Language."

Address—Cama Athornan Institute, Andheri, B. B. C. I. Ry.

Tarker, Babajee Anajee, Sole Proprietor, B. A., Tarker's Firm. High-class



manufacturer and electro-plater and dealer in brass, copper, German silver and silver wares, Bombay. (No. 2). Born in 1838. Has two sons and one daughter. About fifty-five years ago he came alone to Bombay at the age of fourteen from Vijaydurg (Ranagiri District); worked as a hawker, getting one to two annas per day; was employed in a printing press on a salary of Rs. 4 per month. Later came in contact with a Gujarati merchant from Surat, Mr. Chunilal, who employed him in his shop at Kalbadevi on Rs. 9 per month. Mr. Chunilal was pleased with Mr. Tarker for his indefatigable industry and business talent and made him a partner in his shop (brassware). Mr. Tarker in conjunction with Mr. Chunilal started the metal factory (polishing department) at Kumbharwada, about thirty-five years ago. Later developed the factory into a big manufacturing one of vessels of all kinds of metals including silver. It has five branches in Bombay and the suburbs. Their workshop is well known to the British as well as to the Gwalior, Baroda, Indore, Jath, Sangli, and other Indian States and people for the last thirty-five years, for its supply of proportionately well-shaped and beautifully polished, long enduring utensils of superior quality copper, brass, and German silver of every size. About one hundred samples of their vessels were sent to England at the request of the Indian Government for the great Wembley Exhibition

in 1924. It is a pride to India that they were proved to be of the best quality and excellent workmanship—nice shape, beautiful size, and handsome polish. The "OM" is the registered trade mark of their vessels. "Economic Tarker Cooker" is the latest product, which has proved to be a boon to cooking by vapour.

Mr. Tarker, who belongs to Bhandari Kshatriya community, received elementary education only, but holds very advanced views on religious and social problems. A follower of Dayanand Saraswati and an Arya Samajist, he got his daughter married to a Gujarati gentleman, Mr. Satyavrata B. Kamdar, a graduate of the Gurukul University (Bombay). Mr. Kamdar is the Manager of the Flood Office, while his eldest son, Mr. Kasmath Tarker, is looking after the factory. Mr. Tarker who is charitably disposed, is propagating the ideals of Arya Samaj in his little town and district. He was the first man in his town to allow Harijans entry into his house.

Address—50, Knsar Chawl, Kalbadevi, Bombay 2.

Tarcar, Vishnu Vasudeo Kamat, General Merchant, Panjim, Goa. Born on



18th June, 1892, at Panvel, Goa. Educated at Panvel, Goa and Panjim. Married in 1916 with Ramdbai, daughter of Padmanabh Kamat Shunkhwalkar of Panjim (two sons and two daughters). After education, he served as an apprentice in a business firm at Panjim in

1910. Started an independent business under the name and style of Vishnu. V. Karnat Tarcar in 1920. They are in charge of several agencies in Goa, viz., -1. Burina Shell Diesel Oils and Lubricants; 2. International Harvester Export Co., of Chicago (U. S. A.) for motor trucks; 3. Blackstone Engines; 4. Godfrey Phillips Ltd., of London and Melbourne for Cigarettes; 5. Kiwi Polish Co., London; 6. Durkoppwerke Bielefeld (Germany) for motor bicycles; 7. Chesterfield Cigarettes (America); 8. P. F. Eshensen (Denmark) for milk and butter; 9. Bozon and Verduras of Paris for alimentary pastes; 10. Rogor and Gallet (Paris) for perfumery. As the head of one of the leading commercial firms in Panjim (Goa), Mr. Tarcar commands a great influence among all classes of Goanese.

Address—Nova, Goa. Tel. Address—Vish-tarcar, Nova, Goa.

Taseer, Mohammed Deen, M. A. (Punjab); P. H. D. in English (Cam-



bridge); Principal, M. A. O. College, Amritsar. Born on 19th December, 1903. Educated at Lahore and Cambridge; B. A. Hons.; winner of Himmat-Rivaz Gold Medal in English 1922. Married in October, 1936, to Christabel George. He was appointed professor of English, Islamia College, Lahore,

1929 to 1933; Principal M. A. O. College, Amritsar, since 1936. He is a poet, art-critic and writer.

Address—M. A. O. College, Amritsar, Punjab.

Taunton, Ivon Hope, B. A. (Cantab): I. C. S., Municipal Commissioner for the City of Bombay, 1934. Educated at Uppingham and Clare College, Cambridge, he entered Civil service on 21st October, 1914, and joined duty as Assistant Collector, Karachi (Sind) attached to the Commissioner's office. On military duty from 18th November, 1917, to 15th April 1919; rejoined service (Civil) at Hyderabad as Assistant Collector on 28th March 1919; officiating Collector and District Magistrate at Thar-Parkar and other stations from 15th February, 1920, to 15th December, 1925, when he was put on special duty as Chairman of the Cattle Theft Committee in Sind, 15th December 1925, to 10th January 1926; offi-

ciated as Collector and Superintendent of Stamps, Karachi, 17th January to 9th April 1926; Deputy Secretary to Government Home and Eccl. Departments, 9th April to 3rd September, 1926, and Deputy Secretary to Government Finance Department, 3rd September, 1926 to 27th June 1927. He was nominated twice to the Legislative Council as a member in 1927; he was appointed Finance and Revenue Member, Khairpur State Executive Council from 21st September 1927, to 7th October 1932, on which latter date he reverted to British Service and was appointed Officiating Collector and District Magistrate of Sholapur.

Address—Bombay.

Tawde, Sitaram Ramji, M.A., T. Ed., (Columbia), Dip. Ed. (Oxon); M.R.S.T. (London);



Principal, Training College for Men, Poona. Born in 1895, he was partly educated at Malwan in Ratnagiri District, in General Educational Institute's High School, Dadar and at St. Xavier's College, Bombay. He passed his B.A. with Honours in 1918; joined one of the High Schools in Bombay as a

teacher and went to America in 1920 for higher studies, joining the Columbia University, New York. He passed his M.A. in 1922; from the Teachers' College and took his Diploma as Teacher of Education in the same year. After an extensive educational tour on the Continent and in England he returned in March, 1923; and was appointed Lecturer in History and Method at the Secondary Teachers' College, Bombay, and later on, Deputy Educational Inspector at Ratnagiri in 1924. He was Educational Administrative Officer, Satara, till 1927. He joined the Training College for Men, Poona, as Principal, from 1927. In Poona Mr. Tawde is the moving spirit of many educational activities. He started a Children's Day, which is being celebrated every year in Western India. The moving club of Head Masters which is doing splendid work in Poona is his idea. He inaugurated an All-Presidency Geographical Conference, a Drawing Teachers' Association, a League of Teachers and Parents, Vacation Refresher Courses, an Association of Administrative Officers and Educational Supervisors of the Local Authorities in the Maharashtra and many other educational activities of importance. Last June, 1935, he successfully

organized a History Teaching Conference in co-operation with the All-India Modern History Congress. As an outcome of his Bombay Presidency Geographical Conference a permanent Geographical Association has been recently started in Bombay. An Old Boys' Association of the Training College for Men, Poona, is another useful organization which owes its existence to Mr. Tawde. Through his Primary Teachers who are turned out every year from his College he is spreading his gospel of new educational ideas to the distant corners of Marathi-speaking districts. He was elected a Fellow to the Bombay University for four years. He is married to Miss Shanta Jadhav, the daughter of Mr. Bhaskarrao Jadhav, M.A., LL.B., Ex-M.L.A. and the leader of the non-Brahmin Party. Mr. Tawde has five children, one son and four daughters. He is a life member of the Deccan Maratha Education Association, Poona, the Shri Shivaji Maratha Society, Poona, Bharat Itihas Samshodhak Mandal (Indian Historical Research Institute) Poona, Maharashtra Sahitya Parishad (Marathi Literary Society), and the Deccan Vernacular Translation Society, Poona. He is a Fellow of the Deccan Education Society (Fergusson College), Poona, and is a member of its Governing Council. He is also a Fellow of the Modern Education Society (Nawareji Wadia College, Poona) and of the Shikshan Prasarak Mandal (Sir Parsuram Bhanu College, Poona). He has generously contributed to the funds of many of the educational institutions in Poona. He is also a member of the S.N.D.T. Women's University, Brindavana, Poona. His services for the Educational Department have been recognized by the Government by awarding him a Silver Jubilee Medal in the last Silver Jubilee Celebrations of His Majesty the King-Emperor. He went on eight months' leave out of India in July, 1936; attended an Educational Course at the Oxford University and obtained a Diploma in Education, saw a number of Schools and made a careful study of the educational systems of England and Scotland. He was admitted a member of the Royal Society of Teachers, London. He travelled far and wide on the Continent, visiting Belgium, Holland, Germany, Czechoslovakia, Austria, Hungary, Switzerland, and Italy. He returned to India on the 24th February, 1937, and took charge of his duties as Principal of the Training College from 1st March, 1937.

Address—Training College for Men, Poona City.

Taylor, Sir James Braid, Kt. (1885), C.I.E., (1932), M.A., Barr-at-Law, (Lincoln's Inn.), Governor, Reserve Bank of India. Born on 21st April, 1891. Educated at Edinburgh Academy and University. Married Betty, daughter of H. Colos, Maj., Indian Police.

Joined Indian Civil Service in 1914; and was appointed Under-Secretary to Government, Central Provinces, in 1920; Commerce Department, Govt. of India, 1920-22; Deputy Controller of Currency, Calcutta, 1924; Bombay, 1925; Controller of Currency, Calcutta, 1929; Additional Secretary, Finance Department, Government of India, up to 1935.

Address—Bombay.

Tendolkar, Purushottam Atmaram. Diplomat of Chemical Industries (Kalabhavan, Baroda); Proprietor, the Textile Printing Mills, Thalakhadi Dist., Belgaum. Born in March, 1904. Educated at Belgaum and Kalabhavan, Baroda. After completion of education at Kalabhavan, he started the "Textile Printing Mills" at Thalakhadi near Belgaum in 1933. They print and manufacture advertisement bags, handkerchiefs, table-cloths, pillow-cases, Deccani and all kinds of saris, bed-sheets, window curtains etc., by aerograph, screen and block and dye; bleach scientifically with fast colours. The colours used for their articles are fast, and materials turned out are much superior. From an ordinary start he has now extended his business on a large scale and has now several branches.

Address—Textile Printing Mills, Thalakhadi, Belgaum.

Thakorram, Kapilram Mehta, Dewan Bahadur, B.A. LL.B., C.I.E., Vakil, High



Court and District Government Pleader and Public Prosecutor. Born on 16th April, 1868. He was educated at Bhavnagar, Alfred High School, and Elphinstone College, Bombay. He was appointed teacher in Govt. Sorabji J. J. High School of Surat and began practice at Surat in 1894. He entered Municipality in

1904 and became Chairman, School Board Committee, 1907-1909, and 1911, and Chairman Managing Committee in 1908 and 1917-1918. Vice-President of the Municipality in 1911 to 1914, and President in 1914-17 and again in 1928 for triennium, 1928-31. He was appointed the Chairman, Committee of Management 1922-1925, and again in 1930. Chairman of the School Board in 1925 and again in 1931 for the triennium 1931-1934. He was also Chairman of the Raichand Dipchand (Girl's) School Committee, its President, 1930. The Chairman, People's Co-operative Bank Ltd. In 1928 he was appointed a Member of the Pratt Committee and was a witness before Reform Commission 1919. He was also Vice-President, Surat Sarvajanic Education Society and became Govt. Advocate in Bardoli Inquiry, 1931. Became LL.B., 1893, and was enrolled as an Advocate (O.S.) in 1933 by the High Court, Bombay. District Government Pleader and Public Prosecutor since February, 1921. Married Ratangavri, daughter of Keshavrai Amritrai.

Address—Athwa Limas, Shanti Niwas, Surat.

Thakar, Dr. Rasiklal Ramkrishna,
M.B. (Calcutta) 1931; M.D. (Germany) 1935



M.B.H.A. (England) 1935; D.I.H.C. (Budapest) 1935; Resident Medical Officer, A. H. A. Charitable Dispensary, Matunga. Born on 31st January, 1902. Educated at Nivwanagar State High School, Jamnagar and Edward Medical College, Calcutta, and International

Homeopathic University of Germany. Married in 1912 with Narmadagawri, sister of Mr. Motilal Bawala Purohit, of Santa Cruz Bombay. She died in 1922. Elected by the third All-India Homeopathic Conference, held at Bombay in 1934 to represent India at the 10th session of the International Homeopathic Medical League of the World, held at Budapest in 1935; the first man to represent India, at the above said League. The Secretary of the Western India Homeopathic Medical Association; the Chairman of the Press and Propaganda Committee of the All-India Homeopathic Medical Association; President of the Bombay Suburban Homeopathic Medical Association; Kathiawar Homeopathic Medical Association; and the President of the Bharat Seva Samiti of Poona and the Director of the Rural Re-construction Scheme; travelled all over Europe and visited Italy, Austria, Hungary, Czechoslovakia, Germany, Holland, England, Belgium, France, Switzerland, etc., and Cairo, in Africa. Has written in leading newspapers on various subjects in connection with Homeopathic Science, sanitation, agriculture, and Yogic exercises. During his Continental tour, he addressed numerous public meetings in Hungary, Czechoslovakia, Germany, England, etc., on Homeopathy, Indian Philosophy, and Indian affairs, under the auspices of Hungarian Theosophical Society and specially addressed a vast meeting on Indian affairs under the presidentship of Earl of Loister at National Trade Union Club Hall of London. Before leaving Budapest, he was accorded a farewell address at Budapest.

Address—Vile-Parle, Bombay. Or, c/o, A.H.A. Charitable Dispensary, Matunga, Bombay.

TO BE OUT SHORTLY WHO'S WHO

IN

Indian Industries and Commerce.

Thanevala, Dr. Motibai alias Motabai, L.M. & S. (Bombay); Retired Medical Officer Maharani Female State Hospital, Indore. Dr. Motabai, the subject of this life-sketch, belongs to the well-known family of Thanevalas who, at one time, had settled down in Poona. She was



born in 1880. She received her education in St. Mary's Convent at Poona; after passing her Matric in 1896, she joined the Grant Medical College, Bombay. Dr. Motabai, after taking her degree of L.M. & S. in 1901, practised in Bombay for some time. Later she left Bombay for Indore where she was appointed by the Holkar Government in 1907

as the Medical Officer in charge of Maharani Female State Hospital. After a meritorious service for twenty-nine years, she retired in 1935. Dr. Motabai has, by her skill and sympathy, endeared herself to her patients, rich as well as poor, and commands a lucrative practice in and around Indore State.

Address—Tukoganj Back Road, Indore, C. I.

Tanpure, Sakharam Kushaba Patil,
Landlord and President, Taluka Local Board,



Rahuri, District Ahmednagar, belongs to one of the ancient Patil families. Born on Shuddhi, 12 Shaka 1806, he received his early education at Rahuri. He has one son. They are the Vatandar and Police Patils of Rahuri for many generations. He is counted as a respectable and useful citizen of this place. He is ever ready to look to the needs of the local public institutions and has rendered them all possible help. As President of the Taluka Local Board for the last fourteen years, he takes keen interest in the affairs of this useful institution. He is also a member of the Ahmednagar District Local Board from the last four years. He has rendered venerable service in connection with His Majesty's Silver Jubilee Fund. His simplicity of life, amicable nature and tact of handling any work that he undertakes, have won for him the esteem of his associates.

Address—Rahuri, District Ahmednagar.

Thatte, Narayan Parsharam, Senior
Salesman of Messrs. Burmah Shell, Bombay.



Born on 2nd February, 1901; educated at Poona, Nasik, and Bombay; married Mrs. Multibai Thatte in 1924 and has one son; second marriage in 1932 to Dr. Mrs. Manoramabai Thatte L. C. P. S. (Bom.); L.M. (Rotunda), daughter of late Mr. G. K. Devadhar, C.I.E.,

M.A., President of the Servants of India Society, Poona. Mr. Thatte, after leaving school, worked as a cotton merchant. Later served as a head salesman in charge of Foreign Selling Department in the Indian Industrial Development Co. Ltd., Bombay, (Managing Agents, Messrs. Narottam Morarjee & Co.) up to 1923, after which he joined the Asiatic Petroleum Co. Ltd., now under the combined name of Burmah Shell. His name is well known as originator of Miller's Co-operative Credit Society for the Employees of Messrs. Burmah Shell, Bombay. He has raised a Memorial Fund in memory of his revered mother, late Mrs. Laxumbai Thatte, for the benefit of free maternity for deserving middle class families, benefit of which is being amply taken in Dr. Mrs. Thatte's Maternity Hospital, Sangli.

Address—Sangli, S. M. C.

Thatte, Dr. Mrs. Manoramabai,
L.C.P.S. (Bombay); L.M. (Rotunda) and



Diploma Holder of Children's Diseases Hospital at Great Ormond Street, London, and now a Medical Practitioner, Sangli. Born in 1905. Educated at B. J. Medical School, Poona; Rotunda Hospital, Dublin; Children's Diseases Hospital, London; and her Birth Control education she

took in Birth Control Clinics, London. Married in 1932 to Mr. N. P. Thatte, Representative, Burmah Shell, Bombay. A daughter of the late Mr. G. K. Devadhar C.I.E., M.A., President of Servants of India Society. She passed

L.C.P.S. in 1929. Worked as House Surgeon, Maternity Wards in Sassoon Hospital, Poona; Rajubai Hirachand Maternity Hospital, Sholapur; and at different hospitals of the Seva Sadan, out of which The Rajubai Hirachand Maternity Hospital, Sholapur, was started by her from the beginning and it owes its present prosperity and popularity to her hard work. Also worked as a Lady Doctor of the Indian Military Hospitals in Poona in 1931-1932. Proceeded to England and took her degree L.M. (Rotunda) in 1933. Took also Diploma of The Children's Diseases Hospital, London, and completed her education in Birth Control by actually working in the Birth Control Clinics in London. Extensively toured on the Continent for studying different Hospitals and returned to India towards the end of 1934. Started private practice at Sangli in January, 1935, and opened a Maternity Hospital on Modern lines in 1936, where, as far as possible, Rotunda Hospital Methods are being followed. In her Hospital the benefit to deserving middle class people is given of the charities founded by her husband in sacred memory of her mother-in-law, late Mrs. Taxumibai Thatta.

Address—Sangli, S. M. C.

Thomas Romeo (Mannanal), I. C.,
Rev. Fr., T.O.C.D., M.A., L.T., Principal, St.



Berchmans College, Changanacherry, is the son of Joseph Mannanal. Born on 21st November, 1889. Educated at St. Ephrem's High School, Mannanur; St. Joseph's Seminary, Mangalore (courses in Latin and Syriac Literature, Philosophy Theology); St. Joseph's College, Trichinopoly. (B.A. Hons. and T.T. with

second class Ripon Gold Medal). Was Professor of Dogmatic Theology and Ecclesiastical History, Carmelite Seminary, Changanacherry 1921; Assistant teacher, St. Ephrem's English High School, Mannanur, 1927-32; Headmaster St. Joseph's High School, Pulincunnoo, 1932-36. He is the Secretary to the Managing Board, St. Berchmans' College; Member of the Senate and of the Academic Council of Madras University and a member of the Board of Studies in Syriac and Hebrew of the same University. He is the third Definitor General of the Syrian Carmelite Congregation of Malabar, 1932-36. Is the author of essays and books on "The Papal Supremacy and Infallibility" etc., (1920-32) and on "The Syriac

Language" (1918); "On the date of Martyrdom of St. Thomas the Apostle," (1927-30).

Address—S.B. College, Changanacherry, Travancore.

Thomas, P.T., Palampadam, Landlord,
Kottayam. Born on February, 1869. He was a



second grade plowder; practised in the Munsiff's Courts of Kottayam and Kanjirapalli. Commanded lucrative practice at the bar. Pioneer Rubber and Tea Planter. Took to planting in 1907. Proprietor of extensive estates of Cheati groups and Erumeli in the High Ranges of Travancore. Was the first Non-official President of the Kottayam Municipality (1919-21); founder of the Trivandrum Daily News; Chief Promoter and the first Managing Director of the Tropical Plantations Ltd., and Chairman of its Board of Directors; Chief Promoter and Chairman of the Board of Directors of the Kottayam Bank Ltd.; Member Travancore Legislative Council, 1923-24; Chairman of the Municipal Council, Kottayam, 1923-26; President, Indian Planters' Association of Kerala; President, All Travancore Agricultural Association; founder of the Mamallay Tea Estates Ltd., and the Travancore Rubbers, Ltd. Mr. P. T. Thomas is a prominent member of Jacobite Syrian Christian Community. Built St. Simon's Church at Pampadi in 1903, and Mar Ignatius Church at Erumeli in 1920. Contributed to several charities and funds.

Address—Palampadam, Kottayam, Travancore.

Thomas, P., The Rt. Rev. Mgr., Privy Chamberlain to His Holiness the Pope, since



1934; Editor, "Now Lender," Madras. Born in September, 1889 at Ravipadu, Guntur Dt. Educated at Bellary European School and St. Joseph's College, Trichinopoly. Ordained Priest at Papal Seminary, Kandy, in December, 1916; Parish Priest, St. Andrew's Church, Vopery, since 1930; Ex. Committee of

the Catholic Assoc.; Vice-President, Catholic Educational Council of the Madras Presidency and also Member, Dt. Educational Council Madras; conferred the title of "Cameriere D'Onore" by H. H. the Pope in 1936.

Address—Parish Priest, St. Andrew's Church, Vopery, Madras.

Thomas, Dr. P. T., L.C.P.S., is the eldest son of Mr. P. T. Thomas, Palampadam,



Kottayam. Born in May, 1893. He was educated at Kottayam, Madras, and Bombay. After passing L.C.P.S., took to planting after his father. Married, daughter of the late Rev. Cor-Episcopus of the ancient Kodiat family of Tiruvalla. He was the Managing Director of the Palampadam Plantations

Ltd., Kottayam, 1922-28. He has started a daily news paper in vernacular with the name, "The Malayalam Daily News." Since 1928 he is the Managing Director of the Tropical Plantations Ltd., Kottayam, whose capital is fifty lakhs of rupees. Son of a philanthropist, he is a benefactor to many.

Address—Palampadam, Kottayam, Travancore.

Thorat, Dhondiram Ramchandra, Merchant and Municipal Councillor, Sangli.



He was born in 1897. Educated at Sangli. Second marriage in 1931 with Miss Kamalatai, daughter of G. S. Shirde of Sangli, and has one son and one daughter. His father, a big merchant, died in 1918. Mr. Dhondiram, the subject of this sketch, continued his

father's business. Has been an elected municipal councillor for the last nine years; President of Maratha Mandal, Sangli, and a member, Sangli States Peoples' Society for three years (1928-1931). He has a wide circle of friends. His keen interest in public activities is not unknown. Address—Sangli, S.M.C.

Thirupathi, K. S., Managing Director, The Reliance Assurance Company, Limited,



Bangalore City. Was born in 1895, and educated in Mysore State. He was the Secretary in charge of the Bombay and Mysore Branches of the General Assurance Society, Limited, Ajmer, and possesses good experience of insurance administration extending over twenty-five years. He is a man of outstanding administrative ability.

Address—Bangalore City.

Thosar, Lakshmanrao Deorao, Retired Superintendent Military Accounts Department, comes of a respectable Maratha Family of Gangapur, a village in the Poona, District. The surname "Thosar" was awarded by the Emperor of Delhi, to his ancestors, for military valour;



the original surname being Gaikwad. Born at Satara on the 7th January, 1882, Mr. Thosar was educated at the Poona High School, Poona. After passing Matric in the year 1901 he joined the Grant Medical College, Bombay, but owing to pecuniary circumstances he had to give up that course and entered the military Accounts Department. He started his office career as a candidate with "no pay," but his industry and assiduity earned him permanency on Rs. 30 on the 20th October, 1903. On the 14th February, 1901, he married Miss Saraswatibai in whom he has a helpmate and who took great interest in the uplift of the Maharashtra womanhood. With his official duties Mr. Thosar set himself to do social and educational work in the Maratha community. A young man he was an indefatigable organizer of great originality and was actively associated with the Maratha

Educational Conference since 1908. He wrote several articles and won his way to popularity by his direct style and fearless views. But his zeal for service and deep feeling for his brethren did not permit him to stop there. At this time there were very few Maratha graduates and the necessity of bringing co-operation between them and of promoting higher education in his Community led him to found in 1911 the "Maratha Students' Brotherhood" in Poona, where he was the right-hand worker of the President,—Dr. Harold H. Mann, D.Sc., M.Sc., etc. In 1914 he was transferred to Mhow, but was immediately re-transferred to Poona for "Public Work." At this time Dr. Mann referred to the most useful work done by Mr. Thosar in the Brotherhood and thanked Col. J. C. C. Perkins, his Controller, for his retransfer to Poona. He generously helped Maratha students and several institutions. He may be said to have set an example to the new generation that public work is a serious game involving sacrifice and suffering. His varied activities thus brought him into contact with several prominent people

in the country including Maharajas and Chiefs of States. The Great War broke out and Mr. Thosar had to devote himself wholeheartedly to his office work. By his devotion to duty and tireless industry, he rose to the position of the Accountant and was confirmed in that grade in 1925. On the 5th September, 1927, he was transferred to Lahore and there he worked till his retirement, on the 20th March, 1933. Lt.-Colonel S. G. V. Ellis, then Military Accountant General, in his letter says, "Your early retirement would be a loss to the Department in which we value your good influence." He is very modest and unassuming in his manners and is liked by all.

Address—16, Saraswat Colony, Poona 1.

Tiloo, Dewan Bahadur Keshav Rao Bapuji, Revenue Minister, Holkar State,



Indore, comes of an ancient and distinguished Deshastha Brahmin family which came with the Holkars from Khandesh in the eighteenth Century. Born in 1881. Having spent the earlier years of his boyhood in learning Sanskrit, took up the study of English at a later stage; passed the Matriculation Examination in 1900 and joined the Saidapet College of Agriculture, Madras; passed the Final Examination in 1903 standing first in all subjects; won the Robertson Prize Gold Medal for standing first in Agriculture in the whole of the Madras Presidency; entered State service in August, 1903, as a Peshi Clerk to the Settlement Officer, from which post he rose gradually; held the posts of Settlement

Superintendent; (1906); Extra Assistant Director and Amin (1907); Famine Secretary (1908 and 1911); Assistant Settlement Officer Inam Inquiry (1908); Revenue Secretary (1909 and 1922); Inam Commissioner (1912); Subha (1918 and 1923); Director Land Records (1919 and 1924); Senior Inspecting Officer (1925); Settlement Officer (1928); and Commissioner Malwa Division (1931); became Officiating Revenue Minister in May, 1932, and confirmed on that post in January, 1933.

Had represented the Holkar State on the Indian Central Cotton Committee in 1924. His work in the Settlement Department was appreciated by His Highness's Government of India; had accompanied His Highness the Maharaja and Mr. C. U. Wills, I.C.S., C.I.E., in their tour in all the Districts of the State during the course of the Administrative training of His Highness; was a Member of the Committee which was appointed to examine the Land Revenue and Tenancy Bill, which was passed into Act in 1931. He is also a Member of the State Cabinet and the Cabinet Committee of Appeals. The title "Dewan Bahadur" and "Rao Sahab" were conferred on him by the Government of India in February, 1937, and June, 1930, respectively, and that of "Mashir Bahadur" and "Dewan-i-Khas Bahadur" by His Highness the Maharaja in September, 1930, and 1934, respectively.

Address—Indore, C. I.

Thube, Rao Bahadur Vithalrao Laxmanrao, M.L.A., Hon. Magistrate,

Landlord, Merchant and Contractor, Poona. Born in 1883, he received his early education in Poona. His rise in life from the position of an ordinary contractor to that of a wealthy merchant and landlord has been the result of his ability and industry. As an efficient and reliable contractor, his name is very familiar among the Ruling Chiefs of Maharashtra, especially the Kolhapur State. The splendid building in which the Shivaji Military School is now located and the Bronze Memorial of the Great Shivaji Maharaj have all been done under the personal supervision and guidance of Mr. Thube. He has a charming personality and amiable manners and is liked by all concerned. He is a popular figure in social circles, and always takes a keen interest in the social and educational advancement of his countrymen. In recognition of his meritorious services he was made a Rao Bahadur. He is a member of the Poona Suburban Municipality, and its President since 1935. Elected to the Bombay Legislative Assembly in 1937.

Address—Shukrwar Peth, Poona City.



Rao Bahadur V. L. Timbe, Poona.

Tikam'das Wadhmal, M.A., (Oxon), Bar-at-Law. Graduated from Bombay University, 1911; proceeded to England, 1912; took Honours Degree in Jurisprudence at Oxford University, 1915, and was called to the Bar the same year has practised as an Advocate in Karachi since 1915; Municipal Councillor since 1921; was elected the First Mayor of Karachi in 1934; Member of the Sind Collegiate Board and Standing Committee since 1921; Municipal Representative on Karachi Port Trust Board since 1927; President of the Sind Hindu Association; Secretary of the Karachi Bar Association.

Address—Bunder Road, Karachi.

Torney, Ramchandra Gopal, Managing Director, Sarswati Cinetone, Poona. Born



in 1890, he was educated at Bhandari High School, Malwan, in Ratnagiri District. He entered service in 1921 and held the post of Assistant Manager of an electrical firm at Karachi for six years. Later, he started independent business, dealing in Foreign Films (1920-24) and became Manager, Maharashtra Film Co., Kolhapur (1924-26); Manager of Luxmi Pictures, Bombay (1920-27), and business Manager of the Imperial Film Company, Bombay, 1927-31. In the beginning of 1931, he started the Sarswati Cinetone Company, at Poona, and produced the first picture, "Shyam Sunder," which ran for twenty-five weeks continuously in Bombay, a record run for any motion picture in Western India. The next two pictures are the "Vagabond Prince" and the "Fallood." The last named picture made a record run of eighteen weeks in Poona, the next picture being, "Mysterious Prince and Saubhaji." He has under him a staff of 150 persons and he intends to give mere employment to the unemployed men in the country.

Address—Virbhagh, Shunkershodh Road, Poona.

Trevor, Sir Charles Gerald, Kt. 1937, C.I.E. 1933, Inspector General of Forests to



the Government of India (since 1933). Son of Sir Francis Trevor, K. C. S. I., C.B. and Mary Helen Mytton. Was born on 28th December, 1882. Educated in Wellington College, R.I.E.C., Geopors Hill. Married on 13th October, 1912, to Enid Carrol Beadon. (Three daughters). Joined the Indian Forest Service as

Assistant Conservator, 1903, Punjab; Conservator of Forests, U. P. 1920; Vice-President and Professor of Forestry, Forest Research Institute, Dehra Dun, 1926; Chief Conservator of Forests, Punjab and N. W. F. Province, 1930-33. Represented India at Empire Forestry Conferences in Canada 1923, Australia and New Zealand, 1928; S. Africa, 1934; International Union of Forest Research Organizations and International Forestry Congress, Budapest, 1936; British Commonwealth Scientific Conference, London, 1936.

Publications: "Practical Forest Management"; "Manual of Indian Silviculture."

Club: East India United Service.

Address—Trawscot Hall, Wolshepool, Montgomeryshire, Dehra Dun, India.

Tripathi, Rai Bahadur Jugal Kishore, M.A., Diwan Keonjhar State, Eastern States



Agency. Born on 19th November, 1878, he received his education at Presidency College, Calcutta. Married Shroemati Sarda Devi. Was Manager, Kharasawan State, 1902-07; was Superintendent, Kalahandi State, 1907-1917; was Diwan Kalahandi State 1917-1921; Diwan, Patna State, 1921-25; Officiating Superintendent

Bawra State, 1926; Diwan Bonai State, 1927-32; and Diwan, Keonjhar State since 11th April, 1932. In an address by H. E. Sir James Sifton, Governor of Bihar and Orissa, at a Durbar held at Government House, Ranchi, on 6th September, 1930 says, "Rai Bahadur Jugal Kishore Tripathi for a period of twenty-eight years have held responsible posts in Feudatory States within the Orissa Agency. In all these he has worked with

conspicuous ability and success, often under most difficult conditions. Throughout his service he has received high commendations from his superior officers."

Address—Koonjhargarh P. O. Orissa and Chaitrasa, B. N. Ry., Dist., Singhbhum.

Trivedi, Dewan Bahadur Tribhuvandas Kalidas, Senior Member, Bhavnagar State Council in charge Revenue, Finance, Banking and Commerce Departments. Born on 18th August, 1865, he was educated at Baroda High School. First marriage 1887, second marriage 1905. (Three sons four daughters. Eldest son, Champaklal, B.A., is auditor in R. S. Railway.) Passed Matric, 1887. Served as a tutor to British Officers. In 1893 his services were lent to Bhavnagar State as an assistant tutor to the late Maharaja Sir Bhavsinhji. Reverted to British Service. In 1898 resigned British Service and was appointed Vahivatdar of Sihor in Bhavnagar State. Appointed a special Famine Officer during the famine of 1900; Assistant Revenue Commissioner, 1903; Revenue Commissioner, Bhavnagar State; Naib-Dewan Bhavnagar 1906; acted as Dewan for three years in the absence of Sir P. D. Pattani who was then Executive Councillor to the Government of Bombay, 1912-15; appointed member of the Council during the minority administration, 1920; Created Rao Bahadur, 1923; Dewan Bahadur, 1927.

Address—Bhavnagar, Kathiawar.

Trotman, Ewart Washington, I.C.S.; Collector and District Magistrate, Poona. Born on 10th July, 1895. Educated at the Rich School, Gloucester. Joined I. C. S., in 1923 and was posted as Assistant Collector, Ahmednagar, in 1923; Offg. Deputy Secretary and Under Secretary, Home & Eccl. Depart-

ments, Government of Bombay, 1927; Secretary in 1929; Assistant Private Secretary and later on Private Secretary to H. E. The Governor of Bombay, 1929-30; Collector and District Magistrate in several districts of the Bombay Presidency, 1931-36; present appointment since 1936.

Address—Queens Gardens, Poona.

Twiss, Major-General William Louis Oberkirch, C. B. (1930); C. B. E. (1919); M. C. (1915); Commander Burma District. Born on 18th January, 1879. Married in 1915 to Nora Muriel who died in 1929; then to Isabel Vivion in 1932. Educated at Bedford School, R. M. C., and Sandhurst. Joined Indian Army, 1899; Great War, served in France 1914-17; Legion of Honour (French); Order of Sacred Treasure (Japanese), mentioned in despatches five times; appointed Colonel, 9th Gurkha, 1930; appointed Colonel 5/1st Punjab Regiment, 1932; Director of Military Operations, Army Headquarters India, 1924-27; Offg. Commander, Lahore District 1931; Military Secretary, Army Headquarters, India, 1932; promoted Major-General, April, 1929. He is the Founder Member and Vice-President of Himalayan Club, Bronze Medal of Royal Humane Society (1930); Member of American Military Order of the Dragon (1901).

Address—Maymye, Burma.

Tyabji Faiz, B., M.A., Retired Judge, High Court, Bombay. Born 1877. Educated at Bom-

bay and London. Married in 1908 with Miss C. A. Latif (Mrs. Faiz B. Tyabji, M. L. A.). (Eldest son, Saif F.B. Tyabji, a solicitor; second son Badruddin F. B. Tyabji an I. C. S., Under-Secretary, Home Department, Lahore). Acted as Judge, High Court, Madras; additional Judicial Com-

missioner Karachi; Additional Judge, Bombay High Court; was also a Professor of Law at Government Law School; member of the Senate of Bombay University, of the Bar Council High Court, Bombay; Hon. Secretary and Vice-President, Bombay Presidency Association; Hon. Secretary and President of the Anjuman-e-Islam Bombay. Author of "Principles of Muhammadan Law," and a "Commentary or the Indian Contract Act."

Address—Somerset Lodge, Warden Road, Bombay.



Tyabji, Mrs. Faiz B., J.P., M.L.A., Born in 1885. Educated at Aloxa idra School, Bombay. (Three sons and two daughters.) Was



instrumental in forming an Indian Womens' Work Depot for making Red Cross boxes of material and clothing in Madras, during the Great War, 1914. Re-organized and was President of the Ladies of Empire Association, Karachi, 1926; a member, Jail Committee, Karachi and Lady Harding Hospital

Committee, Karachi; a member, Ag. Secretary and Treasurer, Bombay National Indian Association; President, Sevastkan Society and Bombay Presidency Women's Council; a member, of the Vigilance Association and Red Cross Society; the Girl Guides' Association, and Baby and Health Work Association. Elected to the Bombay Legislative Assembly as a Muslim League Candidate in 1937.

Address—Somerset Lodge, Warden Road, Bombay.

Tyabji, Mrs. Khadija Shuffi, J. P., Honorary Presidency Magistrate and First



Tyabji, Hussain Badruddin, M.A., (Honours), LL.M., (Honours), Cautab,



1896; J.P., Bar-at-law. Born on 11th October 1873, was educated at Anjuman-e-Islam, Bombay; St. Xavier's School and College, Bombay, and Downing College, Cambridge. He practised in the Bombay High Court and was for many years second Judge, Presidency Court of Small Causes, Bombay. For some time he acted as Chief Judge and then retired. Married Miss Nazim Mohammad Etchahally.

Address—Marzbanabad, Andhori, Bombay Suburb.

Commissioner for Municipal Girl Guides, Bombay. Born in 1885, she received her early education at the Clare Road Convent School in Bombay. She is the first Muslim lady to be an elected Member of the Schools Committee and a nominated Member of the Municipal Corporation, Bombay. She has been a Member of the Schools Committee for nearly twelve years, and its Chairman from 1931-35. She presided at the Bombay Presidency Muslim Ladies' Educational Conference in Poona in 1926; was Chairman of the Reception Committee of the Bombay Constituent Conference of the All-India Educational and Social Reform in 1930; has been Vice-Chairman of the National Council of Women in India; a Member and once Chairman of the Local Committee of the All-India Conference on Educational and Social Reform; Chairman, Red Cross Executive, Bombay City, in 1928; Chairman, Mahila Seva Mandal; Chairman, Bowla Orphanage Ladies' Committee; Vice-Chairman Port Haj Committee, Bombay; and Chairman of the Alibless and Cama Hospital Advisory Board; and for a few years, has been connected with the following institutions as a member: Government Urdu Text Book Committee, Managing Committee, Infant Welfare Society, The National Baby Week, Executive Committee, Governor's Hospital Fund, Advisory Committee, J. A. and Allied Hospitals. Seva Sadan Council, Bombay Presy. Women's

Council, Mg. Committee, Social Service League, Bombay, and Adam's Wylie Hospital.

Address—Omar Mansion, Warden Road, Bombay.

Tymms, Frederick, C.I.E. (1935); M. C. (1916); Chevalier Order de la Couronne (1917); Belgian Croix de Guerre (1917); Fellow of the Royal Aeronautical Society; Director of Civil Aviation in India. Born on the 4th Aug. 1889. Home Civil Service; South Lancashire Regiment; Royal Flying Corps and Royal Air Force during war; Air Ministry, Civil Aviation Department, 1919; Air Ministry Superintendent of the Cairo-Karachi Air Route, 1927; Chief Technical Assistant, Civil Aviation Department, 1928; Director of Civil Aviation in India, 1931.

Publications:—First author "Commercial Air Transport," 1926; "Flying for Air Survey Photography." Scientific papers on, "Air Navigation" and "Air Route for Royal Aeronautical Society." Address—Simla and Delhi.

Uplekar, Govind Shivram, Jeweller, Shroff, and Agent in Kolhapur to W. I. C.



Petrol Co., was born in the year 1905. He is to-day one of the foremost businessmen of Kolhapur with a reputation extending far and wide, a reputation built up by his father, the late Shivaram Uplekar, within the last thirty years. As a young man the late Shivaram received only a very meagre education (up to sixth standard), and his (the late Shivaram's) father put him as an apprentice under a well-known goldsmith by the name of Pandurang. Young Shivaram soon got himself trained as an excellent goldsmith. His ambition did not rest there, and he started business as a jeweller in partnership with Messrs. Kulkade and Patil who found him very useful and intelligent. Since he was not given a due share, he left Messrs. Kulkade and Patil, and joined Balwantrao Karmarkar. The business prospered and on the death of Balwantrao, the business was solely conducted by Shivaram for some time. He then joined

the firm of Kalyanchand Subakchand (leading bankers and brokers in jewellery) and went as their Agent to Persia to buy pearls. Thus Shivaram Uplekar earned a name in the trade and this brought him to the notice of the late Shahu Maharaja of Kolhapur who introduced him to all the Maharajahs, Rajahs and Chiefs (including the Nizam of Hyderabad and the Maharajah of Mysore). With all of them he was able to do extensive and satisfactory business. He possessed extensive knowledge in appraising the values of precious stones and even people from far-off places used to come to Kolhapur to consult him.

Since his death his sons are carrying on the business with all the intelligence, patience and courage which have characterized the life of their father. Mr. Govind, unlike his brothers who are engrossed in their own trade, has acquired a wider view of man and things, and is interested in many of the public movements. He was Secretary of the Marathi Literary Conference; is a Fellow of the Academic Council of the City High School and Life Member of the Marathi Sahitya Parishad (Poona). He is also a Director of the Kolhapur Electric Supply Co. Ltd., Kolhapur. It is creditable that Mr. Govind should find time to attend to those public activities amidst his numerous business engagements, and one can see in him a great future both as a businessman as well as a public worker.

Address—Gujari, Kolhapur City.

Uppin, Veerappa Maharudrappa, General Merchant and President, Belgaum

Merchants' Association, Belgaum. Born in 1890. Educated at Mission High School, Belgaum; married in 1912; to Basavanappa daughter of Basappa of Belgaum. He is one of the prominent members



of the Merchant Community in Belgaum having agents all over Karnataka. He is an elected Member of Belgaum Municipality since 1918 and a Member District Local Board. He is also a Director, Urban Co-operative Bank Ltd. and District Central Co-operative Bank Ltd., Belgaum; President Belgaum Merchants' Association for seven years, and President, Lingayat Voraishav Tarun Sangh, Belgaum, for three years; he has done very useful work for the local merchants.

Address—Risaldar Gully, Belgaum.

Vachha, Khan Bahadur Jamshedji Bejanji, B.A., B.Sc., C.I.E., Commissioner of Income Tax, Bombay Presidency. Born on 26th May, 1879. Educated at Elphinstone College, Bombay. Married Roshan Ardeshir Karmajawalla B.A. Entered Government Service as Deputy Collector in 1902.

Publication: "The Bombay Income-Tax Manual."

Address—Banno Mansion, Cumbala Hill, Bombay.

Vagal, Rao Bahadur Amritrao Nanabhai, J.P., Hon. Presidency Magistrate, Bombay.



Magistrate, Bombay. Born on 9th March, 1876; was educated at Elphinstone High School, Bombay; passed Matric in 1895. Joined the Judicial Department of the Bombay Secretariat in 1896; obtained a speed certificate in shorthand and twice reported the proceedings of the Bombay Legislative

Council; worked as a shorthand reporter to the editor, "Civil and Military Gazette," Lahore, and taught shorthand and typewriting in the evening classes for women, Lahore. In 1908, served as a confidential clerk and shorthand reporter in the office of the Commissioner of Police, Bombay. Appointed sub-Inspector of Police in 1910; awarded the Durbur Medal in 1912; promoted as Inspector in 1916; created Rao Sahib in 1920; Rao Bahadur, and J.P. in 1931; Retired in 1931; appointed Hon. Presidency Magistrate, 1934. A Trustee and Treasurer, Daiwadnya Caste Fund and a Trustee of the Bombay Daiwadnya Central Education Society; Life-member of all the Daiwadnya Caste Institutions.

Address—330, Girgaum Road, Thakurdwar, Bombay.

Vasudev, Keshavrao Balkrishna, B.A., LL.B., Acting Puisne Judge, High Court, Bombay. Born on 14th January, 1883; he joined the Bombay Civil Service in 1907 and was appointed Deputy Collector which post he held till 1912; he was then made Assistant and Sessions Judge at Ahmednagar. He served in that capacity in Ratnagiri, Ahmedabad and Poona. In 1924, he was appointed District Judge in Surat and was later transferred to Bijapur and Nasik.

Address—High Court, Bombay.

Vaidya, Anant Balkrishna, B.A., LL.B., Solicitor and Partner, Messrs. Captain and



Vaidya, Solicitors, Bombay. Born in 1897; educated at Elphinstone High School, Bombay, and Deccan College, Poona. Married in 1923 with Miss Kamalabai, daughter of W. B. Pradhan, Advocate, Bombay, (two daughters). Passed Matric, 1918; B.A. 1918; LL.B., 1921. Entered into articles under his uncle, late Mr. D. L. Vaidya of

Messrs. Captain & Vaidya, Solicitors, Bombay. Passed Solicitors Examination in 1922. Became a partner in Messrs. Captain & Vaidya in 1923; was an Examiner for B. Com., in 1928, and for the LL.B. examinations, 1929-32; acted as Professor in the Government Law School, Bombay, 1932-35; he being the first solicitor to be appointed to the post; Member of the Bombay Municipal School Committee, 1929-1932; Assistant Scout Commissioner, and a Member of the Marathi Granth Sangrahalaya; he is also a Member of the Mosque Committee in the Ismail College, Andheri, being the only Hindu to be appointed to that position; is a member of the Governing Council of the Indian Education Society; has also contributed articles on legal topics to the "Times of India" and on educational topics to the "Bombay Chronicle."

Address—Messrs. Captain & Vaidya Solicitors, 121, Esplanade Road, Fort, Bombay.

Vaidya, Calian Dattatray, J.P., Landlord and Hon. Presidency Magistrate, Bombay.



Born on 14th November, 1897. Educated at St. Xavier's High School, Bombay. First marriage (two sons); second marriage on 18th November, 1934, with Miss Hira Chitro, B.A., daughter of A. A. Chitro, B.A., LL.B.; J.P. Advocate (O. S.), Chief Judge, Court of Small Causes, Bombay. His various activities include

Trustee ships of Mahalaxmi Temple Charities and Parpia Pradhan Charities; a Member, D. Ward Local School Committee, and a Trustee

of the C. K. P. Education Society, Thana, Dnyatigriha, Dadar and Thana. Member, Committee of Management of the Dhurampur Home for Consumptives; Past Grand Treasurer of all Scottish Freemasonry in India; also a Member of the Council of Indian Education Society, Dadar; and was an elected Member, Poona Suburban Municipality, for three years; donated Rs. 12,000 towards erecting a building and a hall in memory of his father, "Dnyatigriha Building and Dattatraya Luxman Hall." Has toured Europe several times.

Address—Virvan, Altamont Road, Bombay.

Vaidya, Dr. Govind Dattatraya. M.C., Private Medical Practitioner, Panjim. Born



on 20th December, 1905. Educated at Panjim. Married in 1927, with Miss Shakuntalabai, daughter of N. S. Nargundkar, Pleader of Belgaum. A nephew of Ramchandra Pandurang alias Dada Vaidya, the founder of the National College at Phonda, Dr. G. D. Vaidya took his M. C. degree (Medicine and Surgery) in 1929. A leading medical practitioner, he is President of the Mustilad Samistha of Nova Goa, and is connected with several other public institutions in Goa.

Address—Panjim, Goa.

Vaidya, Shridhar Balkrishna, B. A., (Bon.), B. A., (Cantab), Bar-at-Law



Collector and Dist. Magistrate, Ratnagiri. Born in 1890, he received his education at Elphinstone College, Bombay, and at St. John's College, Cambridge; he passed his B.A. in Bombay in 1907 and in Cambridge in 1911, and was called to the Bar in 1914; he held the appointments of Deputy Collector in Belgaum, Dharwar, and Ratnagiri, until 1925, and of Asst. Commissioner with headquarters in Poona from 1925 to 1927 before he was appointed City and Cantonment Magistrate in Poona in 1931; personal assistant to the Collector, Poona, for some time. Recreations: hunting and shooting.

Address—Ratnagiri.

Vandekar, Rao Bahadur Ramchandraro Vithalrao alias Jagtap,



Hon. Presidency Magistrate, Merchant and Landlord. Born in Poona City in 1876 he was educated at Elphinstone High School, Bombay, and Christian College, Indore; belongs to

the well-known old Maratha family of Ramaji Jagtap, fort keeper of Shivnari fort, the birth place of Shivaji; was General Secretary, All-India Maratha Educational Conference for eighteen years; was Vice-President, District Local Board, Nasik, and Vice-Chairman, District School Board, Nasik, for some years; is also member, Nasik Municipal School Board; has been President, Taluka Development Association; Chairman Nasik District Co-operative Institute; member, Bombay Provincial Co-operative Institute; member, Divisional Board of Agriculture and Provincial Research Council of Agriculture; also Hon. Presidency Magistrate; Director, Bombay Provincial Co-operative Bank and Nasik Central Co-operative Bank; member, Executive Committee of the Shri Shivaji Military School, Poona; and Trustee of several charitable institutions; member, Bombay Legislative Council till 1937; has been President, Nasik Non-Brahmin League. Created Rao Sahib, 1923; Rao Bahadur, 1933.

Address—Ramnivas, Agra Road, Nasik.

Vannia Singhe, N. M. Born on 29th March 1892, of an ancient and aristocratic



family in the Provincial Town of Jaffna, Ceylon, is the only son of late John Nicholas Medaliyar, Secretary, District Court, Jaffna, and late Mrs. Marypillai Nicholas Medaliyar, the only daughter of late Dr. Anthonipillai. Married with Miss Elizabeth Sylvester, the second daughter of late Mr. Gabriel-

pillai Sylvester. In 1918, he was elected as a member of the Royal Institute of Public Health (London); he is also a member of the Royal Society of Literature (London); he was the President of the East Ceylon Labour Union at Batticaloa for six years. In 1927, he, at the request of the public, led a deputation before the Royal Commission and advocated among other things, "Manhood suffrage," which was granted. He was the Secretary of the Reception Committee, on behalf of the Jaffna Catholics, in 1935, to meet the Delegate Apostolic of the East Indies. He organized the "Jaffna Health League," in October, 1935. It was in December, 1935, he, as the Secretary of the North Ceylon National League, pressed the Director of Education to establish a centre at Jaffna. The two Palmyrah "excellent" elephants which H. R. The Governor, Sir Edward Stubbs, presented to their Royal Highnesses

the Princesses Elizabeth (her presumptive) and Margaret Rose, in 1936, were obtained for His Excellency by Mr. Vannia Singhe at the request of Mr. R. H. Bassett, C. C. S., Marketing Commissioner.

His unshakable loyalty to everything he believes to be right is deeply embedded in his conscience. He is a champion of the freedom of democracy and is tenacious of principles, but a generous opponent. He is a journalist and a very effective speaker.

Address—Jaffna, Ceylon.

Vaswani, Gobindram Udhavdas, Proprietor, Messrs. U. Gobindram, Silk



Merchants, Fort Bombay. Born on 22nd January, 1910. He was educated at Nava Vidyalaya High School, Hyderabad (Sind). Married to Ishwari Bai, daughter of Seth Tuljaram Toekchand, well known jeweller of Hyderabad (Sind) and has two daughters. After completion of his education, Mr. Gobindram joined his brother's shops at Bombay and Nagpur for training in the silk trade. Then he started life on his own account in Hyderabad (Sind) dealing in silks. Opened a big shop at Lahore in 1932. In 1936, he turned his adventurous eyes to Bombay where he started business, dealing in silk and enrios, under the name and style of "U. Gobindram."

Address—Navsari Building, Hornby Road, Fort, Bombay.

Vanakudre, Shripad Tukaram,
Copper and brassware merchant, Kolhapur.



Born in 1898 at Kagal; educated at Kagal and City High School, Kolhapur; married in 1909 Bhimabai, daughter of Umapati Dorle of Kharpattan in Ratnagiri District; (two sons and three daughters); joined the family business of money-lending in 1914. His only living brother, Gunadhas,

is helping him in his business. He was elected Municipal Councillor in 1935; as a member of the Managing Committee of Shrikrishna Society he did very useful work. He is a member of the Doodan Maharashtra Jain Sabha and a Director, Jain Co-operative Bank Ltd., Kolhapur; has donated several sums to charities in memory of his father.

Address—Gujari, Kolhapur.

Vazirkhan Kalekhan Patel, Landlord and Agriculturist and Hon. Bench Magistrate,



Vice-President, Bhusawal Municipality and Polco Patel, Sakogaon, Taluka Bhusawal, Dist. East Khandosh. Born in 1885. Educated at Sakogaon. (Three sons and three daughters.) Was President, Taluka Development Association, for two years; elected Vice-President, Bhusawal

Municipality in March, 1937. A member T.L.B., and Municipality for twelve years; a Member, D. L. B., for two years; obtained a sword and Afrinama at Zilla Darbar.

Address—Village Sakogaon, Post Bhusawal, G. I. P., Rly.

Vazifdar, Lieut-Col. Sohrab Shapoorjee, M. R. O. P., (Lond.), M.R.C.S., (Eng.), I.M.S., J. P., Professor of Medicine, Grant Medical College, Bombay. Born on first August, 1883; educated at Grant Medical College, Bombay, and St. Bartholomew's Hospital, London; entered I.M.S., in 1908; Active Service in Great War in German East

Africa, in South Persia and Mesopotamia; appointed Professor of Pathology, Grant Medical College in 1923; Second Physician, J.J., Hospital and Professor of Materia Medica, Grant Medical College, 1923; First Physician and Professor of Medicine, Grant Medical College, 1925; Superintendent, J. J., Hospital, 1926, and B.J., Hospital for Children, Bombay. Married to Mary Hornusji Wadia.

Address—3, Rocky Hill Flats, Land's End Road, Malabar Hill, Bombay.

Velinker, Shrikrishna Gunaji, B. A., LL. B., Bar-at Law (Lincoln's Inn), J.P. (1908.) Holder of Certificate of Honour, Council of Legal Education, Trinity (1909). Born on 12th April, 1868, and was educated at St. Xavier's College, Bombay. Married to Prabhavati, daughter of Rao Bahadur Mukund Ranchander, Executive Engineer, Bombay; enrolled as pleader, High Court, Bombay, in January 1893, and was called to the Bar in June, 1909; one of the Commissioners appointed under the Defence of India Act to try culprits in Ahmedabad and Viramgam arson and murder cases, 1919; President Tribunal of Appeal under City of Bombay Improvement Act, September 1921 to April 1923. Elected Member, Bombay Bar Council and Vice-President since 1933; Secretary P. J. Hindu Gymkhana, 1897-1908.

Publications:—Law of Gaming and Wagering and the Law of Compulsory Land Acquisition and Compensation.

Address—Ratan House, 425, Lamington Road, Bombay.

Venkatapathy Naidu, Rao Bahadur G.; Member, Madras Andhra Sabha; Suguna



Vilasa Sabha; Madras Race Club; and South Indian Chamber of Commerce. He was educated at Madras Christian College. Was an elected Municipal Councillor of the Madras Corporation, 1919-1926; worked on the Committees of the Boy Scouts' Association; The Mahomedan Female Aid Charity

Fund; Discharged Prisoners' Aid Society; Madras Radio Club; The Madras Social Service League; Edward VII. Memorial Tuberculosis Institute; and some other Associations; was moral lecturer for Hindu convicts in the Penitentiary, and Trustee of the Victoria Public Hall for some time. He was patron of the Boy Scouts' Association; The

Madras Aryan Club; Poor School Society; and the Triplicane Annadana Samajam; was Vice-President of the Temperance Association; Naidu Sangham; Depressed Classes Mission Society; and San Thome Dispensary. He is closely associated with various public bodies in Madras; is a member of the Committee of Dufferin Fund; and Member, Pastour Institute, Concor. He is also the Vice-President of the Society for the Protection of Children.

Club: Cosmopolitan Club, Madras.

Address—"Humover House," 6, Harley's Road, Kilpauk, Madras.

Venkatapati Raju, B., B.A., LL.B., C.I.E. (1922); Advocate, Vizagapatam, is the son of



Mr. Jogi Jagannadharaju (Garu). Born in 1871, at Ravili, Vizagapatam Dist. Educated at Christian College (B. A. 1898), Law College (B. L. 1896). Married, and has six sons and seven daughters. Enrolled as an Advocate in 1897; was member of the Madras Legislative Council for three

terms, and member of the Legislative Assembly for two terms; presided in political conferences in almost all the Telugu Dist. Member of the Co-operative Banks, Credit Banks, and several institutions all over the Province; Vice-Chairman of the Vizagapatam Athaenoun; took active part in public life for twenty-five years as a liberal Independent; was deputed on behalf of the Govt. of India, as President of the Deputation to the Fiji Islands, and visited almost all the civilized countries in the world and studied university activities and labour conditions; has also acquainted himself with the working of various industrial concerns. Clubs: Vizag. Club, Century Club, and Cosmopolitan Club, Madras.

Address—Advocate, Vizagapatam.

Venkatadri Appa Rao Bahadur, Tahawar-O-Jaladat, Dasthaga Manne Sultan Meka, Samasthanam of Nazrid, Kistna Dist. The subject of this life-sketch and several of his Cousin Zamindars of Nazrid are the seventeenth descendants of the ancient line of Andhra Warrior Chiefs. Nazrid is the head quarters of the Zamindari with a population of about 10,000, situated in a valley. The history of this Nazrid Samasthanam is old. The first ancestor of the family was Moka

Basavanna, well-known in wars of Kakataya Chola and Pandyan Empires of 15th century. The sixth descendant of the line, Raja Vijaya Appa Rao Bahadur, who figured in the battle of Talekota in 1565 and Ahmednagar in 1596, was a Saradar under Queen Chandibibi and also Kutabsha of Golkonda. His son, Raja Venkatadri Appa Rao Bahadur, was a staunch supporter of the Subedars of Deccan. It was in 1766 when the Northern Circars was ceded to the English by the Nizam that the Nazrid Samasthan was brought under the British. After various changes, the Samasthan was granted a permanent Sannad by Lord Clive in 1802. Since then the Zamindars of Nazrid have been figuring in public and charitable movements, and have one of the chief aristocratic families of Andhra Dora in Madras Presidency.

Address—Nazrid, Kistna Dist.

Venkatesachar, Rao Bahadur, B., M. A., Prof. of Physics, University of Mysore.



Born in 1879 at Chikballapur. Educated at Madras Presidency College (B. A., first class, 1898, M. A., 1900) and Bangalore Central College. Married to Padmavathi Bai (four sons and one daughter). Entered Bangalore Central College as Ag. Professor in 1900; appointed Lecturer,

Asst. Professor, Professor and Spectroscopist; Prof. of Physics, University of Mysore, since 1922; was President of the Mathematics and Physics Section of the Indian Science Congress, Allahabad Session, 1930. He is a Fellow of the Institute of Physics (London); Fellow of the National Institute of Sciences of India (F. N. T.); Secretary of the Indian Academy of Sciences. Delivered Sir Subramanya Iyer Lecture, Madras (1917). Created Rao Bahadur in 1930.

Address—"Anbika Villas," Gandhi Bazar Street, Basavangudi, Bangalore City.

Venugopal Nayudu, Rao Bahadur, R. K., B.A., B.L., belongs to a Hindu Mirasdar Family of S. Arcot. Born in 1875, he was educated at Madras Christian College and Law College. He became Chairman, Municipal Council, Cuddalore, from 1921 to 1931 during which period he had done much to improve the town and introduced the scheme

for water supply to Cuddalore Old Town. He was President, Cuddalore Hindu Permanent Mutual Benefit Fund from 1922; Member of the South Arcot District Board from 1923; Member of the Senate of the Madras University from 1926 to 1931. Director of the South Arcot District Co-operative Bank, 1923 to 1925 and 1927 to 1929; was Member, Devasthanam Committee; elected Member, Madras Legislative Council. Club.—Cosmopolitan. Made Rao Bahadur on 1st January, 1928.

Address—Cuddalore, N. T.

Vinchoorkar, Sardar Narayarao Ganpatrao, B.A., represents the ancient and



historic family of the Vinchoorkars. Vinchur Saranjam (Inam or rent free villages) was granted as a military or Saranjam estate to Vithal Shivdey, who was the founder of the family and was a distinguished soldier and statesman in the Peshwa regime. Raghunathrao Vithalrao was the last chief of Vinchur. On his death, half of the Saranjam estate was continued to the family and partitioned out to the male heirs of his two brothers. Sardar N. G. Vinchoorkar represents one of them being adopted by the late Sardar Ganpatrao Madhavrao Vinchoorkar in the year 1911. The Vinchoorkars now enjoy the privilege of being First Class Sardars in the Deccan. Sardar N. G. Vinchoorkar the subject of this sketch was born in 1895. Received his secondary education in the Government High School, Poona, and graduated from the Deccan

College (B.A.) in 1918. Ever since, he has been doing public service in various ways. He married Laxmibaisahab, and has one daughter (married) and two sons. He is the President of the Nasik District Dnnakdar Sangh for the past twelve years or so; was a nominated member in the Nasik City Municipality for a short time; elected member of the Nasik Dist. Local Board where he served for six years and worked as the elected President of the District Local Board for three years; has been working as an Honorary Magistrate (First Class) in the Nasik District for the past ten years. He is the nominated Chairman and Director of the newly started Nasik District Land Mortgage Bank; elected on the Directorate of the Bombay Provincial Land Mortgage Bank; made First Class Sardar in 1918; was awarded by the Government a badge for services rendered in connection with recruiting during the Great War, 1919; awarded the Silver Jubilee Medal in 1935. He is now the elected member on the New Bombay Legislative Assembly on behalf of the "Deccan Sardars and Inamdars' Constituency."

Address—Sardar Vinchoorkar's Bungalow, Agra Road, Nasik.

Virkar, Mahadeo Bajaji, B.A., LL.B., Pleader and President, Mahad Municipality.



Born in 1880. Educated at Anglo-Vernacular School, Mahad, Wilson High School, Bombay, Bhavo High School, Poona, Wilson College and St. Xavier's College, Bombay. Married in 1896 with Miss Parvatibai, daughter of Dhonddeo Ramchandra Karnikar of Karul (two sons and one daughter). Passed Matric 1897 (Bhavo School); B.A. 1903 (St.

Xavier's College); LL.B., 1906. Commenced practice at Mahad, 1906. A Responsivist, he entered public life in 1908. Elected to Mahad Municipality in 1919 and the same year he was elected President, being the first non-official President, 1919-1923; Vice-President, Municipality, 1925-1928; again President, 1928-1931; President since 1934; a member, District Local Board, 1929-1933; a member of the Council of Konkan Education Society, Kolaba, since 1921; its Vice-Chairman for three years; was President, Taluka Congress Committee, 1924-30; member of Maharashtra Congress Committee and Kolaba District Congress Committee; Chairman, Mahad Co-operative Bank.

Address—Mahad, District Kolaba.

Vyas, Deoshankar Vajeshankar, I.C.S.,
J.P., M.A., (Cantab.), District and Sessions



Judge, Kaira. Born on 14th August 1898. Educated at Dhavisinghji High School, Porbandar; Wilson College, Bombay; and Jesus College, Bombay. Married on 11th May 1919 with Miss Manoranngouri daughter of Dr. Keshavlal T. Dave, Chief Medical Officer, Limbdi. Passed B.A. with first class Honours (in Sanskrit) from Wilson College, 1919; Daxina Fellow, Wilson College, 1919-1920; sailed for England 18th June, 1920; passed I.C.S., 1922; arrived India, November, 1923. Appointed Assistant Collector, Ahmedabad; served at Larkana, Sukkar, Hyderabad and Kanara; Assistant Judge at Sholapur and Ahmedabad; District and Sessions Judge, West Khandesh, 1931. and at Kaira since April, 1933.

Address—Nadiad, Kaira District, B.B. & C.I. Railway.

Vyas, Dr. Shridhar Someshwar, M.D.,
Ph.D. (U.S.A.), M.A., F.L.B., S.A.S., High Court



Plunder and Professor of Law, Holkar College, Indore, I. I. Born in 1889 at Ratlam, he was educated at King Edward Medical School at Indore, Christian College, Indore, and Agra College. Married in 1910; second marriage in 1927 (three daughters and two sons). Passed Matric, 1904; joined

Medical School, 1905; passed Sub-Assistant Surgeon's Diploma, 1909; stood first in all examinations; joined Holkar Medical Department; served in all departments of

Maharaja Tukojirao Hospital; passed F.A. and B.A. while in service; served as a teacher of physiology in Christian College, Indore; passed M.A. and LL.B., (Allahabad) 1918; later returned to Indore and joined Holkar State Medical Department. His services were then transferred to State Educational Service, 1918; acted as Secretary and Chief Executive officer, Nagpur Municipality, 1919; also served as Secretary and Chief Executive officer, Indore Municipality; later started private practice in Law and Medicine; a Professor of Law in Holkar Law College and a Member of Faculty of Law from 1930; acted as Joint Secretary, Medical Licentiate Association of India and was co-editor, Indian Medical Journal; President, All-India Shrinati Brahmin Conference at Jodhpur, 1927; obtained M.D. and Ph.D. degrees of America; was Chairman, Indore Municipal Standing Committee for two years and Joint Secretary, Indore Bar Association for some time; has been Secretary, Indore Bar Association.

Address—Inli Bazaar, Indore (C.I.)

Wadia, Jehangir Pestonjee, L.M. & S.
Retired Assistant Surgeon, Poona. Born on 17th



April, 1857. Educated at Proprietary School, Bombay, and Grant Medical College, Bombay. Married on 16th April, 1881, with Miss Somabai, daughter of Manchorjee Dadabhai Banajee of Bombay (one son, Justice N.J. Wadia I.C.S. High Court Judge Bombay, and one daughter, Miss Moherbai J. Wadia, Lady Superintendent, Training College, for

Women, Poona). Passed L.M. & S. (First Class) in 1879. Joined Medical Department on 2nd October, 1881. Retired in 1912.

Address—Parvati Villa, Camp Poona.

Wadia, Miss. Meherbai Jehangir,
B.A., S.T.C.D., Lady Superintendent, Train-



ing College for Women, Poona. Born on 26th February, 1886. Educated at Convent of Jesus and Mary, Poona, and Doonan College, Poona. Passed Matric in 1902; B.A. 1906; obtained Ellis Prize for standing first in English at the B.A. Took S. T. C. D. (First in First Class) in 1910. Joined Educational Department as an Assistant Teacher in

1908. Acted as Lady Superintendent of Training College for Women in 1923. Served as

Lady Superintendent at Ahmedabad for five years. In 1929, acted as Lady Superintendent, High School for Indian Girls, Poona, and in 1930, Lady Superintendent Training College for Women, Poona. Acted as Inspector of Girls' Schools, C.D. and N.D. in 1930, 1933 and 1936. Awarded Silver Jubilee Medal in 1935.

Address—4, Parvati Villa, Camp Poona.

Wadia, Khan Bahadur Dinshaw Adarji, Agriculturist and Merchant, Nargol,



District Thana. Born on 8th September, 1878. Educated at Nargol High School. Married on 18th May, 1897 with Miss Jorhai, daughter of Bhicaji Bohramji Patel, Inamdar of Tadgaon, and has seven sons (one studying for the second LL.B., and three others in the Government Service). The family is the descendant of the Wadia family of Gujarat and have for the last 200 years been settled at Nargol. After leaving the School, Khan Bahadur Wadia joined the hereditary business of Agriculture and started life as an Excise Contractor in Thana District. His various public activities include: elected Member, Umborgaon Taluka Local Board 1899-1908; nominated Member, Umborgaon Taluka Local Board, since 1909; Nominated Member District Local Board, Thana, since 1903, and again in 1935; President, Umborgaon Taluka Local Board, 1928-30 and again in 1935; has been a Member, Nargol Village Panchayat, and re-elected Serpunch from 18th October, 1935; was first Member of Sanitary Committee, Nargol; greatly interested in Lady Wilson Maternity and Child Welfare Society of the Bombay Presidency and is a Member of the Thana District Executive Committee; Elected Member of the Thana School Board; Executive Member of Their Majesties' Silver Jubilee Committee, Thana; has been one of the registered trustees, local manager and secre-

tary of all the charitable institutions at Nargol, including N. W. Wadia High School, Tata Dispensary and Tata Middle Girls' School, Nargol. He was created Khan Saheb in 1929 and Khan Bahadur in 1936 and was also awarded with a Silver Jubilee Medal with a Royal Sanad for his public services.

Address—Village Toomb, Post Sanjan, Dist. Thana.

Wagle, Raosaheb Pandurang Hari Yardi, Landlord and Vastandar, Khanapur,



Dist., Belgaum. They are the Vastandar Kulkarni's in Khanapur and Belgaum Talukas. Born on 19th April, 1900, he was educated at Sardars' High School, Belgaum. Married in 1920 to Miss Savitribai, daughter of Dhonda Dattatraya Dighkar of Khanapur, and has two daughters. The Raosaheb in addition to his own duties spent much of his time in public life even at an early age in 1918. He was elected to Taluka Local Board in 1930. Created Raosaheb in 1931. He has done very useful work as the Managing Director of Belgaum District After-Care Society. Vice-President Taluka Boy Scouts' Association; President, Khanapur Taluka Local Board for four and half years; Vice-President, Belgaum District Vastandar Kulkarni's Association. He was presented the title of Raosaheb by Sir Frederick Sykes, Governor of Bombay, at Belgaum in 1933 on the occasion of a Special

Scouts' Rally. He is a popular figure in the Karnatak, and is held in high esteem by all classes of people.

Address—Wagle Lane, Khanapur, Belgaum.

Wali, Mallesh Prabhu, M.A., Chief Officer, District Local Board, Belgaum. Born



in June 1902 at Dombarlop, a village in Sampngon, Taluka, of the Belgaum District, he received his primary education at Kittur in the same Taluka. He had his secondary education at Gilganchi Artal High School, Belgaum. He graduated in 1925 from the Karnatak College, Dharwar where he secured Honours in B.A., with Sanskrit and Kannarose as optional subjects, and was throughout a recipient of College Scholarship. He was one of the pioneers in establishing the Sanskrit Literary Association and Karnatak Sangha at the Karnatak Arts College, and read scholarly papers on subjects like "Vedya Dietos," etc. He was awarded a medal in an elocution competition of the College. He was a staunch Member of the Bombay University Training Corps (I.T.C.), wherein he rose to the rank of Platoon Sergeant. He started life as a teacher at A. I. E. Society's High School, Dharwar, in 1926 and joined Fergusson College and Bhandarkar Oriental Research Institute, Poona, for his post-graduate studies, 1927-28. Passed M.A. from the Fergusson College, Poona, in May, 1928, securing high second class with Sanskrit (Vedanta Shastra) and Kannarose as optional subjects.

In 1928, he was appointed Chief Officer, District Local Board, Belgaum, by a unanimous verdict of the Board. He has been constantly contributing literary articles and articles regarding village improvements, etc., to vernacular magazines and papers. He has been taking active part in most of the public functions including literary activities; worked efficiently as Secretary, District Finance Com-

mittee of Their Majesties' Silver Jubilee. In appreciation of his work in this connection, he was granted an Afrimama by the Commissioner, S. D., Belgaum.

Address—Thalakwadi, Belgaum.

Wania, Hormazshaw Jamshedji, M. B. B. S., Eye Specialist. Born on 12th



March, 1889, at Surat. Educated at Mograwadi (Bulsar) Village School; Sorabji J.J. High School, Surat. Matriculated 1905; graduated from Grant Medical College, Bombay, 1913; won Hunter Prize in Ophthalmology in 1914. Started practice at Garden Road,

Karachi, 1914; joined the Indian Medical Service as a temporary officer during the Great War and served on the North-Western Frontier, at Dera Ismail Khan and Tank, 1915; went to Mesopotamia, 1916; returned from Mesopotamia and resigned owing to treatment meted out to the temporary I.M.S. officers as regards overseas allowance, 1919; re-started private practice; applied for a permanent commission in I.M.S., but was not selected due to previous resignation; appointed Honorary Ophthalmic Surgeon, Goverdhandas Mohatta Eye Hospital, (Civil) 1926-30; Honorary Librarian (first) Bai Bachubai Pherozkar Bharcha Library, Sind Medical Union 1921-27; Vice-President, Sind Medical Union, 1927-30; President, Sind Medical Union, 1930-33; elected Municipal Councillor, June, 1930; resigned August, 1931; Honorary Manager, Sind Medical Journal, 1927-29; Honorary Associate Editor, Sind Medical Journal, 1929-32; Honorary Editor, Sind Medical Journal, 1932 onwards; Honorary Treasurer, Bai Virbhaji Soparivala Parsi High School, 1928-32; Honorary Secretary, Bai Virbhaji Soparivala Parsi High School 1932 onwards; first Honorary Treasurer, Health Culture League; Honorary Secretary, Parsi Physical Culture League, 1922-28; Honorary Ophthalmic Surgeon, Swami Virktanandji Charitable Eye Hospital, 1931-32; lecturer and writer on professional, political, social, and religious subjects. Married 24th November, 1920, Mithan Sorabji Billimoria. Three sons and three daughters.

Address—Garden Road, Karachi.

Waterfield, Thomas Edward, I. C. S., District and Sessions Judge, Dharwar. Born



on 8th October, 1905, he received his education at Clifton College and Magdalen College, Oxford. Married Barbara F. Avorn. He arrived in India in December, 1929, as Asst. Collector, Sholapur. He was transferred to Poona in 1930. After serving in different capacities in the Presidency, he was appointed to the present post in 1937.

Address—Dharwar.

Waterman, Henry Samuel, B.S., 1902, (University of California); Consul of the United States of America



at Bombay. Born on 20th March, 1882. He was educated at Michigan College of Mines and University of California. Married on 6th June, 1919, to Elsie Hoss. Was a Mining Engineer until 1916; American Consular Service at Moscow, 1916, at Bergen, 1917; Christiansand, 1918; Guatemala, 1919;

Costa Rica, 1921; Shanghai, 1926; Saigon, 1928; Breslau, 1932; Sheffield, 1933, and Bombay since 1934.

Address—American Consulate, Bombay.

Watkis, Lt.-Col. H.L., M.C., Commandant, Travancore State Forces from July, 1937. (In succession to Lt.-Col. H. S. Stewart). He has had a distinguished record of service for over twenty-six years. Has received seven medals and decorations including the Military Cross with bar and the Order of the Crown of Rumania, and has been mentioned in dispatches. During the Great War, he

served in France, Belgium, Mesopotamia and Palestine. He was an A.D.C. to Field-Marshal Sir William Birdwood, during the Afghan War.

Address—Trivandrum, Travancore.

Webster-Riddell, Colonel (temp. Brig.) Thomas Sheridan, D.S.O. (1915), A.D.C. to the King since 1936; Commander, Poona (Independent) Brigade Area since 1935. Born on 12th February, 1886; son of late John Riddell-Webster. Educated at Harrow. Married in 1920, to Harriot Hill, daughter of Col. Sir Alexander Sprot, 1st Bart. and has two sons. Entered Army, 1906; Capt., 1913; Major and Brevet Lt.-Col. 1923; Lt.-Col. 1930; Col. 1933; served European War, 1914-17 (dispatches, D.S.O., Bt. Major); commanded 2nd Bn. The Cameronians (Scottish Rifles), 1930-33; A.Q.M.G., War Office, 1933-34. Club: Army and Navy.

Address—Queens Gardens, Poona.

Wedderburn, Maxwell MacLagan, G.M.C. 1935; Chief Secretary, Government of Ceylon. Born on 25th March, 1883; son of Lawrence Craigie MacLagan Wedderburn and Gertrude Elizabeth Maxwell. Educated at Morrison's Academy, Crieff; and George Watson's College, Edinburgh; M. A. Edinburgh University; joined Ceylon Civil Service in 1906; was Deputy Chief Secretary, Ceylon, till 1936.

Address—Chief Secretary's Office, Colombo Ceylon.

Weir, Ralph Somerville, M.A. (Hons) 1905; B.Sc. (Glasgow), 1908; Director of Public



Instructions, U. P. Born on 10th September, 1884. Educated at Glasgow University. Married in October, 1913, and has one son and two daughters. He was assistant Master at Allon Glen School, Glasgow. Came to India in 1913; joined I. E. S. in 1917; Principal, Le Martiniero College,

Lucknow, from 1920-1926; Assistant Director and Deputy Director of Public Instruction for some time when he was appointed to the present post; held Gazetted Rank in the Army since 1913; interested in Ex-Service Association and Kalimpong Houses.

Address—45, Canning Road, Allahabad.

Weir, Lieut-Col. James Leslie Rose,
C.I.E., 1933, Agent to the Governor-General,



Gujerat States and Resident at Baroda. Born on 29th January, 1883, he was educated at R. M. Academy, Woolwich. Married on 6th March, 1912, to Miss Thyra Sommers, daughter of C. C. Sommers Esq., Christchurch, New Zealand. Entered Royal Artillery 1900; joined Indian Army 1904 and Political Dept. 1908; has served on all frontiers of India, on active service N. W. Frontier, Mesopotamia and Persia, H. B. M.'s Consul, Kirmanshah 1918-29; Shiraz, 1920; Deputy Commissioner, Hazara, 1922; Political Agent, Bhagolkhand 1923; Political Agent, Quetta 1925; Resident Kashmir, 1927; Political Agent, Sikkim, 1928-33 during which time conducted two missions to Lhasa-Tibet; was appointed A. C. C., Gujarat States, and Resident at Baroda in 1933.

Address—Baroda Residency, Baroda.

Westcott, Most Rev. Foss, D. D., Bishop of Calcutta and Metropolitan of India, Burma and Ceylon. Born on 23rd October 1863; is the son of the Rt. Rev. D. W. Westcott (late Bishop of Durham). Educated at Cheltenham and Peterhouse, Cambridge. Joined the S. P. C. Mission Cawnpore, 1889. Bishop of Chota Nagpore in



1905, and to the present post in 1919.

Address—Calcutta.

Welling, Gajanan Govind, A. R. P. S.
(G. Britain), F.R.S.A. (1935), Photo Artist and



Sole Proprietor, "S. Mahadeo and Son, Bombay and Bangalore." Born on the 16th January, 1895, he received his education at St. Paul's High School, Belgum, and St. Joseph's College, Bangalore. He passed in Chemistry and Chemical Technology at the International Correspondence School, London. In 1912, he married Bai Helowadikar, granddaughter of the Maharaja of Bidrowadi in Kolhapur State. After his education, Mr. G. G. Welling joined his father's business as Senior Partner of S. Mahadeo and Son, Belgum, Bombay and Bangalore" and "Welling Camera Works", all established by his father, and completed a thorough study in Photography and manufacture of cameras. He started his own independent business in photography in Belgum in June 1935, in addition to "S. Mahadeo and Son, Bombay and Bangalore" that came to his portion, after separation. By opening a Modern Photographic studio equipped with the latest machinery, he has made greatest development in photography. His considerable experience in this line is sure to make him a leading businessman. He is a first class photo-artist and the view he has taken at Karwar "A peep through the Palms" was one among the 246 selected out of about 8,000 Exhibits at the 78th Annual International Exhibition of the Royal Photographic Society held at London in September and October 1933. Another picture, "Helping Hand" has also won a prize in the International Exhibition. As also his "Tulsi Puja" at the International Exhibition at Lathier in 1934. Many of his pictures are exhibited in all the International Exhibitions. He is the recipient of several Gold and Silver Medals and Certificates of Merit from different places. Mr. Welling is a man of suave manners and is liked by all his friends.

Address—90, Camp, Belgum.

Wheeler, Thomas Sherlock, Ph. D. (Lon.), M. Sc. (Hony. N. V. I.); F.R.C. Sc. I.,



F. I. C. F. Inst. P., M.I. Chem. F., J. P., Principal and Professor of Organic Chemistry, Royal Institute of Science, Bombay. Born on 30th April, 1899. Married Una Brigid, daughter of the late John Sherlock, B.A. Educated at O'Connell School, Dublin and the Royal College of Science, Dublin. Demonstrator in Organic Chemistry, Royal Technical College, Glasgow; Research Chemist at the Royal Naval Cordite Factory, Dorsotshire and at the Research Department, Woolwich Arsenal, London; Senior Research Chemist with Imperial Chemical Industries, Ltd. Publications: about seventy research papers and twenty patents on chemical subjects; joint-author "Systematic Organic Chemistry" and "Physico-Chemical Methods."

Address—Royal Institute of Science, Mayo Road, Bombay.

Whittaker, Harry Captain, late R. E., B. Sc., A.R.C. Sc., A.M. Inst. C.E., A.M.I. Mech. E., A.M.I.E.E., M. Soc. Ing. Civ. de France, M. of Council, Jun. Inst. Eng.; Principal the MacLagan Engineering College, Lahore. Born on 23rd February, 1879. Educated at Bury and Royal College of Science, London. Married a daughter of John Siddall. Served with J. H. Riley and Company, Engineers, Bury and Jackson Bros., Bolton; Demonstrator in Mathematics and Mechanics in the Royal College of Science, London; University Lecturer in Engineering, City and Guilds College, S. Kensington; Head of Engineering Department, Wandsworth Technical Institute; R. E. Vols. and Tor. 1902-14; Joined Regular Army, December, 1914; Commissioned in 1915, in France, 1916-19. Joined the present appointment in March 1928.

Publications: Papers on Hydro-Electric Works, etc.

Address—The MacLagan Engineering College, Lahore.

Wigram, General Sir Kenneth, N. C. B. (1930); C.S.I. (1921); C.B.E. (1919); D.S.O. (1917); A.D.C. General to H.M. the King 1933; Belgian Order of the Crown; Belgian War Cross; Legion of Honour; Order of the Crown of Siam; General Officer Commanding in Chief Northern Command. Born on 5th December, 1875. Educated at Winchester and Sandhurst.

Served N. W. Frontier, 1897-98; Tirah 1897-98; Waziristan, 1901-02; Tibet, 1903-04; European War, 1914-18; Director of Staff Duties, Army Headquarters, India, 1919-21; Commander, Delhi Brigade Area, 1922-24; Deputy Adjutant and Quartermaster General, Northern Command, India, 1924-26; Commander of the Waziristan District, 1926-29; Chief of the General Staff, India, 1931-34; Present appointment from May, 1934.

Address—Headquarters, Northern Command, Rawalpindi, India.

Wilberforce-Bell, The Hon'ble Lt.-Col. Harold, C.I.E. (1931), Foreign and



Political Department, Government of India. Lord of the Manors of Portington and Eastington, East Yorks; Agent to the Governor-General, Punjab States, was born on 17th November, 1885. He is the eldest son of the late Captain H. Wilberforce-Bell, Military Knight of Windsor, and Lucy, daughter of Rev. Frederick Wilson, D. D., Vicar of Siedmore, and grandson of William Henry Bell, Esquire of Portington Hall, E. Yorks, and of Jane Wilberforce, his wife. He married in 1912, Margaret, daughter of the late Captain Michael Festing, formerly of the 20th Regiment. He was educated at Eton College, and at Pembroke College, Oxford. He was gazetted to The Connaught Rangers, in 1905, transferred to the Indian Army in 1908, and to political employ in 1910. He was appointed Political Agent, Sorath (Kathiawar) in 1912 but

reverted to military employ in 1914 and served in France 1915, with first (King George's Own) Gurkha Rifles. He was appointed to the General Staff of the Northern Army, India, in 1917, and became Assistant Military Secretary to the C-in-C, in India in 1918. He became Deputy Secretary, Political Department, Bombay, in 1920; and Deputy Political Secretary, Government of India, in 1928. He officiated as Political Secretary to the Government of India in 1930. He is Vice-President of the Aden Historical Society. After the transfer in 1933 of the States of the Decan from the Government of Bombay to direct relationship with the Government of India, he was appointed the first Agent to the Governor-General, for the Decan States. He was appointed Agent to the Governor-General, Punjab States, in 1934. Colonel Wilberforce-Bell's extensive and varied knowledge of men and things and his cordial relationship with officials and gentry have secured for him the confidence of the public and his Government. He is a brilliant writer and the following are some of his publications:—

"The History of Kathiawar," 1916; "Some Translations from the Marathi Poets," 1912; a "Grammatical Treatise of the Maratha Language," 1916; "War Vignettes," 1916; "The Romance of Aden," (Monograph), 1923.

Recreations: polo, hunting, shooting, and archaeology.

Clubs: Athloneham, Yorkshire, York.

Address—The Residency, Lahore.

Williamson, Sir Horace, Kt. (1884); C. I. E., (1922); M. B. E., (1919); Director, Intelligence Bureau, Government of India. Born on 16th July, 1880. Married Joan Emma Doran Holtz. Educated at Cheltenham College. Joined Indian Police, United Provinces 1900; Superintendent 1913; Assistant to Inspector-General, 1917; Secretary, Indian Disorders Inquiry Committee 1919-20; Deputy Inspector-General, 1923; Officiating Inspector-General, 1928; Director, Intelligence Bureau, Home Department, Government of India, 1931.

Address—New Delhi and Simla.

Wiles, Gilbert, M. A., (Cantab); C. I. E., (1926); C. S. I., (1931); Chairman Bombay Port Trust. Born on 25th March, 1880, he was educated at Perse School, and S. Cath. College, Cambridge. Married Winifred Mary Pryor. He joined the I. C. S., in 1904. His official career may be summed up thus: Asst. Collector and Asst. Political Agent; Supt. Land Records in 1910; Asst. Collector from 1916 to 1917; Chairman Cotton Contracts

Board from 1918 and 1920; Deputy Secretary, Home Department, Bombay, in 1921, and 1922, and Secretary General Department in 1923; Secretary, Finance Department since 1923-32; President, Bombay Art Society, 1926-32; Member, Indian Tariff Board, 1933.

Address—"North-End," Cumballa Hill, Bombay.

Wilson, Nathaniel Carter,
Born February 4th, 1897, at Eureka, Cali-



fornia, U. S. America. Educated for the gospel ministry in the Theological Department of Pacific Union College, St. Helena, California. Engaged in ministerial and theological teaching in Southern States of America, 1917-1923; General Superintendent of Seventh-day Adventist Mission Activities, Northern Rhodesia, Central Africa, 1923-1927; Nyasaland, British East Africa, 1927-1930; Union of South Africa, 1930-1934; General Superintendent of Seventh-day Adventist Mission Activities, India, Burma, and Ceylon, 1934—.

Address—Headquarters, Salisbury Park, Poona, India.

Wilson, Henry Raynor, B. A., (1920), L.T. (1926); Head-Master Parker High School,



Moradabad. Born on 28th December, 1896. Educated in Parker High School, Moradabad; Christian College, Lucknow, and Training College, Allahabad. Passed all Exams. creditably. Married in June, 1928 to Miss Virginia M. Haq (two sons and four daughters). Was Asst. General Secretary for League for

India and Burma in 1920; Professor of English, Lucknow Christian College, 1921-22; Head-Master, Mission High School, Dwarahat, 1922-28; Head Master Mission High School, Ranikhot, 1928-31; Head Master Parker High School, since 1931; General Secretary Temperance Ass'n. in Almora District, Lucknow, Moradabad; started Scout Troops in Dwarahat, Ranikhot and Moradabad; served in Provincial I. C. A. as Secretary; Treasurer, N. India Conference; Contributed to Pensions Fund of Retired Preachers and Scholarship Fund of Lucknow Christian College.

Address—Parker High School, Moradabad, U. P.

Wilson, Colonel N. M.; Surgeon-General with the Government of Madras. Received



his first Commission in the I. M. S. and was a military employes from 1905 to 1912; served as plague medical officer in Punjab; served in the Great War; Civil Surgeon, Punjab, 1921; for his services both during the War and in connection with the Waziristan operation, (1919-21), he

was mentioned in dispatches; Civil Surgeon and Chief Medical Officer, Delhi, in 1932; Inspector-General of Civil Hospitals, Central Provinces, till 1936.

Address—Madras.

Wilson, Brigadier Nigel Maitland, D. S. O., 1916; O. B. E., 1924; Indian Army; Director of Personal Services, A. I. C., India since 1936. Born in 1884; son of Arthur

Maitland Wilson, O. B. E. Married, 1909, Violet Freddie, daughter of late Lord Charles Edward Fitzroy and Hon. Janey Mary Helen Augusta, daughter of third Baron Southampton, Hawstead, Lodge Bury, St. Edmunds, and has one daughter. Educated at Eton College. Entered Army in 1904. Served European War, 1914-1916, (dispatches, D. S. O.); Waziristan, 1922-23, (O. B. E.); A. A. & Q. M. G., Rawalpindi Districts, 1933-35; Colonel in 1933; Brigadier in 1935; Commander Sind Independent Brigade Area, 1925-36.

Address—Army Headquarters, India.

Wingate, Ronald Evelyn Leslie, C.I.E., B.A., I.C.S., Officiating Political Secretary, Government of India. Born on 30th September 1889. Educated at Bradfield and Balliol College, Oxford. Joined I.C.S. and served in the Punjab as Assistant Commissioner in 1913; transferred to Delhi as City Magistrate in 1916; Special duty on Staff of Lieutenant-Governor, Punjab, 1917; special duty under Civil Commissioner of Occupied Territories, Mesopotamia, 1917; Political Agent, and H. M.'s Consul at Muskat, 1919; Special Assistant to the Resident in Kashmir, 1921; Political Agent and H. M.'s Consul, Muskat, 1923; Secretary to Agent to the Governor-General in Rajputana, 1924; Baluchistan, 1927; Political Agent and Deputy Commissioner, Quetta-Pishin, 1928; Political Agent, Sibi, 1931; Deputy Secretary to the Government of India, Foreign and Political Department, 1932; Officiating Secretary, October 1932.

Address—Government of India, Delhi and Simla.

Woodhead, the Hon. Sir John (Ackroyd), K.C.S.T., (1934), C.I.E. (1931); Finance Member, Government of Bengal. Born on 19th June, 1881. Married Alice Mary Wadsworth. Educated at Bradford Grammar School, Clare College, Cambridge. Entered Indian Civil Service, 1904; Asst. Magistrate and Collector, Mynonsingh; Sub-Divisional Officer, Hailakandi, 1906-07; Sub-Divisional Officer, Brahmanbaria, 1908; Joint Magistrate, Chittagong, 1908-09; Magistrate and Collector, Chittagong, 1909-10; Magistrate and Collector, Faridpur, 1911-15; Magistrate and Collector, Mynonsingh 1916; Addl. Judge, Alipur, 1917-18; First Land Acquisition Officer, Calcutta Improvement Trust, 1918-24; Offg. Chairman, Improvement Trust, 1919 and 1924; Financial Secretary, Government of Bengal, 1924-27; Joint Secretary Commerce Depart. Govt. of India, 1927-29; Secretary, Commerce Department, Government of India, 1929-31; Officiating Commerce Member, Government of India, 1931; Represented Government of India at Burma Round Table Conference, 1931; Finance Member, Government of Bengal, 1932; Acting Governor of Bengal, 1934.

Address—Writers' Buildings, Calcutta.

Wolango Da Silva, Dr. Francisco Antonio, M. D. (Lisbon), Retired Chief Health Officer and Retired Director of Medical School, Goa Government, and President, Vasco da Gama Institute, Pangim (Goa), and Director of Public National Library. Born on 18th July, 1864.



Educated at Pangim and Lisbon. Married on 25th January, 1896, with Miss Filomena da Conceicao (six sons and one daughter). After completion of his education at Pangim, he was sent to Lisbon for higher studies. Took M. D. the doctorate in Medicine and Surgery at Lisbon Medical School in 1890; served as a Lieutenant at Cabo Verde (Africa) from June, to December, 1891, during the epidemic; returned to Portugal and sent to Goa as a Lieut.-Surgeon and a professor at the Medical School. In 1914 he was promoted to the post of a Colonel and sent to Angola; later appointed as the Chief Health Officer and Director of Medical School, Goa Government, 1915-1927; retired in 1927; nominated to Goa Government Legislative Council in 1927 and a member of the Instruction Council 1927-1934; nominated by the Portuguese Government as Vice-President Vasco da Gama Institute, 1922-1931;

elected as President of the Vasco da Gama Institute in 1932, and since then he has been elected twice. The Vasco da Gama Institute is the only institution of high culture in Portuguese Oriental Colonies.

Address—Pangim, Goa.

Wright, Sir W. O.; Kt., O.B.E., Director, Parry & Co., Ltd., Madras. Born on 11th August, 1882. Was educated at St. Paul's School, London. Married on 22nd May, 1912, to Miss Barbara. He was a member, Madras Legislative Assembly; Chairman Madras Chamber of Commerce, 1935; President Local Board, Imperial Bank of India; Chairman Madras Telephone Co., and Director of various Companies. Is Major, Madras Artillery, S. D. F. Clubs: Madras Club, Adyar Club, Madras.

Address—Ben's Garden, Adyar, Madras.

Yakub Hassan S a i t. A native of the Central Provinces, Mr. Yakub Hassan was educated at Aligarh and chose a commercial career at Bangalore in 1893 at the age of eighteen. Eight years later he moved to Madras and straightaway entered public life with a nominated membership of the Madras Municipal Corporation. Twice he visited England, the first time as a delegate of the Muslim League and next as a spokesman of the Khilafat Committee. He was a member of the University Senate, the Harbour Trust, and other public bodies, from all of which he resigned as a protest against the Treaty of Sevres. Twice he went to prison for defiance of a magisterial ban and for a seditious speech. One of the founders of the Muslim League, he later joined the Congress, left it, and rejoined it recently. He has had considerable legislative experience. Elected to the Madras Legislative Assembly in 1937.

Address—Madras.

Yamin Khan, Sir Mohammed, Kt.; (1936); C. I. E. (1931); Member, Legislative Assembly; Barrister-at-Law and Landholder, United Provinces, India. Married cousin and has one daughter. Educated at Meerut College; M.A.O. College, Alligarh; Allahabad University and Lincoln's Inn. Started practice at the Bar at Meerut, 1914; Hon. Secretary U. P. Special War Fund, Meerut, 1915; Hon. Secretary of several other functions connected with war; member of Municipal Board Meerut, 1916; Vice-Chairman 1918; Chairman, 1928-31; member of Legislative Assembly from Meerut division, 1921-23; member of Council of State, 1924-25; member of Reserve Bank and Statutory Railway Board Committees, held in London in June and July 1933; is the leader of the United India Party in the Legislative Assembly; nominated to Council of State, January 1935; elected to the Assembly from Agra Division, May 1935. Recreations: cricket, hockey, tennis.

Address—Kothi Jinnat Nishan, Meerut, U. P. India.

Zafrulla Khan, Chaudhri Sir Muhammad.—Kt., B. A. (Honours) Punjab, L.J. B. (Honours) London; Barrister-at-Law (Lincoln's Inn); Member of the Governor-Gen-

eral's Executive Council (Depts. of Commerce and Railways). Born 6th Feb. 1893. Married Rubinn Nissa Bogan, oldest daughter of the late Mr. S. A. Khan, I.C.S., (Bihar and Orissa). Educated at Government College, Lahore, King's College, and Lincoln's Inn, London. Advocate, Shikot, Punjab, 1914-16; practised in Lahore High Court, 1916-35; Editor, "Indian Cases", 1916-32; Law Lecturer, University Law College, Lahore, 1919-24; Member, Punjab Legislative Council, 1926-35; Member, Punjab Provincial Reforms Committee. Delegate, Indian Round Table Conference, 1930, 1931 and 1932; Member, Consultative Committee, 1932; Delegate to the Joint Select Committee of Parliament on Indian Reforms, 1933; President, All-India Muslim League, 1931; Crown Counsel, Delhi Conspiracy Case, March 1931 to June 1932; Member of the Governor General's Executive Council 1932. Publications: "Indian Cases," the "Criminal Law Journal of India", "Reprints of Punjab Criminal Ruling", Vol. IV, and "Fifteen Years Digest." Address—Delhi or Simla.

Zia-ud-Din, Dr. Mohammad, M. A., Ph. D.; Professor of Mathematics, S. P.



College, Bahawalpur, Punjab. Born on 5th January, 1906. Educated at Panipat, Delhi, Aligarh, Edinburgh, and Swanson (Wales); Certificate for statistics and mathematical physics from Edinburgh and Swanson. Newton Scholarship holder, Edinburgh University. His original

works in mathematics have been published by the London, Edinburgh, and Indian Mathematical Societies.

Address—S.E. College, Bahawalpur, Punjab.

Zanotti-Bianco, Mario, Doctor in Jurisprudence (University of Turin); Consul



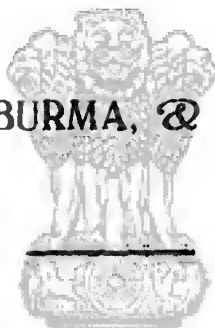
General for Italy at Bombay (Comandatore della corona d'Italia-Ufficiale S. S. Maurizio e Lazzaro). Born on 5th September, 1887. Was educated at Royal College Carlo Alberto (Turin). Married in 1921 with Mme. Mizzi Zanotti-Bianco. War Services, 1918/6 Reggimento Genio.

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Address—Secretariat, Bombay.

Abraham, Varghese, Chief Justice Travancore High Court, since 1935. Born in 1880; graduated from Madras Christian College in 1900; appointed as Dist. Munsiff at Coimbatore, 1912; Dist. and Sessions Judge Secunderabad; retired from British Service.

Address—Trivandrum, Travancore.

Addanagi, Shivrundra Virabadrappa, B.A., LL.B., Pleader, Belgaum. Born on 5th March, 1901. Educated at Beynau Smith High School, Belgaum, Karnatak College, Dharwar, Law School, Bombay and Law College, Poona. Married in 1918 Miss Umabai, daughter of Patrappa Jorgal of Katkol, Kolhapur State, and has two sons. Passed Matric in 1921; B.A. 1927; LL.B., 1930. Started practice at Belgaum in 1931; was Secretary Karnatak Sahitya Samelan held at Belgaum in 1929; organizer and Secretary of District Literary Conference (first held at Belgaum 1931); Hon. Secretary, Belgaum General Library, since 1933; and during his regime the present building was constructed. Hon. Secretary, District Co-operative Institute, Belgaum, 1934-35 and 1935-1936; General Secretary Editorial Board of Gram Sovak Monthly Magazine; Honorary Secretary, Kannad Sava Samiti, Belgaum; was a member, working committee, Unification Conference, 1933; Member, working committee, All-India Veera Shaiva Maha-Sabha; was President, Karnatak Sahitya Sava Mandal, Belgaum; Member International Fellowship, Belgaum.

Address—Belgaum.

Adkoli, Venkatraman Ramachandra, B.A., LL.B., Sub-Judge, Bail-Hongal. Born on 27th September, 1905. Educated at Gibb High School, Kumta, and Karnatak College, Dharwar. Commenced practice at Karwar since September, 1929; appointed Hon. Asst. Government Pleader in August, 1930; a Member and Vice-Chairman, District School Board, since September, 1933.

Address—Bail-Hongal.

Aga,*Major Murtaza Khan, Cousin of H. H. the Aga Khan, was born in Baghdad in



May, 1880; and was educated St. Mary's College, Bombay. He joined the Imperial Cadet Corps, Dehra Dun, in 1908, and was made second Lieutenant in Indian Land Force in 1911. He acted as H. M. the King's Body Guard during the Delhi Durbar, December, 1911. He became full Lieut. in December, 1913, and was appointed Attache to the British Consul at Baghdad in 1914. He was A.D.C. to Gen. Sir A. A. Barret at Basrah, 1914-1915 and his name was mentioned in dispatches, 1915. He became Staff Officer to Brigadier General Douglas in 1916 and acted Commanding Officer of Cavalry Base Depot at Basrah from December, 1916, to July, 1916. He was attached to the 7th Lancers at Bolaram, Hyderabad, Deccan, from 1917 to 1918 and was transferred to Indian Army in 1918. He was also attached to the 10th Lancers at Hit (Mesopotamia) from October, 1918, to February 1919, and to the 13th Lancers from 1919 to 1921 during which period he took part in Afghan War at Choman. He was Commanding Officer of Palampur State Forces with the rank of Major from 1927 to 1928. He passed his Retention Examination and Pioneer Course, 1913, and Musketry and Hotchkissgun 1918.

Address—5, Byramjee Jeejibhoy Road, Poona.

Agarwal, Chhotelal Bhugwandas, M.A., (Cantab), Bar-at-law and Member, Poona Cantonment Board. Born on 5th October, 1903; educated at Poona, Cambridge and London. Married on 20th November, 1931; to Miss Shantadevi (Vidyalankrita), daughter of late Ramchandra Agarwal of Barara, Dist. Ambala. Was one of the Secretaries of the Hindu Dharam Parishad held at Poona in 1933; was a delegate to the All-Parties Unity Conference held at Allahabad; Member of Executive Committee of Democratic Swaraj Party (Poona District).

Address—590, Sachapir Street, Poona.

Agashe, Chandrasekar Govind, B.A. L.L.B.; Managing Agent, The Brihan Maha-



rashttra Sugar Syndicate Ltd., Poona. Born in 1889, at Bhore, he is the eldest son of Govind Ranganath, an agriculturist from Bhore State. Educated at N. M. Vidyalaya, Poona, Fergusson College, Poona, and Government Law School, Bombay. Married in 1915, Miss Dwarka, daughter of Mr.

Narayan Rao Gokhale of Dharwar, a descendant of Bapu Gokhale, and has two sons and three daughters. Mr. Agashe passed Matric in 1905; B.A., 1914; L.L.B., 1919; was a teacher in the Convent School, Bombay, from 1917 to 1926; commenced practice in Poona and continued till 1934, when he started the Brihan Maharashtra Sugar Syndicate, Ltd., of which he is the promoter and managing agent. He was Vice-President, Bhore State Legislative Council, for three years, from 1932-1934.

Address—257 Budhwar, Poona City.

Agboatwalla, Haji Mohamed Haji

Ahmed, J.P., Landlord, is the eldest son of Haji Ahmed, the shipping magnate and merchant of Bombay. Born on 3rd January, 1903, he received his education at Bharda New English School, Bombay. He married in October 1924, and has one son. He is the Hon. Secretary of Anjuman-i-Islam, Bombay; elected President, Market Dhoka Halai Memon Jucumat, for three years; he is the Trustee of Mohamed Haji Saboo Siddick Institution; Anjuman-i-Islam; Abdul Salam Muzjid; Asif Nizam Muzjid and several other Institutions. He has travelled far and wide. He travelled all over the Continent in 1927, visited Mecca for Haj and again went to Europe, in 1931. He was made a J.P. in 1933.

Address—24, Ridge Road, Malabar Hill, Bombay.

Ahmed, Dr. R., Dentist, Calcutta. Born in 1881. Educated at Dacca and Aligarh Universities. Started practice in Calcutta, 1918; founded the Calcutta Dental College and Hospital. Founder and Editor, "The Indian Dental Journal." Member, Calcutta Corporation.

Address—Calcutta.

Ainscough, Sir Thomas Martland, Kt. (1932); C.B.E., (1925); M.Com. F.R.G.S. His Majesty's Senior Trade Commissioner in India and Ceylon. Born in 1886; business in China, 1907-12; special Commissioner to the Board of Trade in China, 1914.

Address—Bengal Club, Calcutta.

Alexander, Sir Tottenham, I.C.S., C.I.F., Administrator, Pudukkottah State.

Address—Pudukkottah, S. India.

Alwar, H. H. Maharaja Tej Singh, Bahadur of.—Succeeded to the gadi and invested with full ruling powers in July, 1937. He is the seventh ruler since Maharaja Pratap Singhji, the founder of the State of Alwar. At the time of the Great War, Alwar stood first in recruiting in Rajputana. Its loyalty to the Crown is traditional. Circumstances compelled the Government of India in 1933, to request the late Maharaja to reside outside his State. The new Ruler with the love and loyalty of his subjects is sure to play an important part in the counsels and deliberations of the Indian Princes.

Address—Alwar.

Amrolliwalla, Framroj Rustumjee, Merchant and Burma Shell Agent, and Hon. Magistrate, Bhusawal. Born on 28th March, 1898, at Nandgaon. Educated at Parsee High School, Panchgani. Married on 4th May, 1923, with late Miss Nawajbai, daughter of Pestonji Mancherjee Davar of Aurangabad. (one son and one daughter). Has been an elected member, Bhusawal Municipality, for the last nine years and an Hon. Magistrate since 1936. He is a trustee of the Parsee Anjuman, Bhusawal, and takes much interest in public activities. He is very generous and has contributed different amounts to charitable institutions.

Address—Bhusawal, G.I.P. Railway.

Amte, Ramkrishna Limbajirao, B.A., LL.B., Managing Director and Chairman of The Hubli Electricity Co., Ltd., Hubli, and an elected member of the Hubli Municipal Borough. Born on 8th April, 1897. Educated at St. Xavier's College, Bombay, Forgusson College, Poona, and Law School, Bombay. He is Chairman of the local Bhavasar Kshatriya Association. Married Miss Kamalabai, daughter of late Mr. Hebare of Hubli.

Address—The Hubli Electricity Co., Ltd., Hubli.

Anklesaria, Khan Bahadur Temulji Sorabji, Military (S. & T.) Contractor and Postal Treasury Contractor and Landlord, Poona. Born on 18th January, 1870. Educated at Poona High School. First marriage in 1889. Second marriage in March, 1908, with Nawazbai daughter of Nussurwanji Nowrojee Bharucha of Poona (one son and four daughters; eldest daughter, Ratanbai, married to Jehangir Manchershah Ranina, Chief Customs Officer, Bhavnagar; second daughter, Shera, married to Dr. R. K. Sethna, M.B.B.S. and Radiologist, Bombay). In 1924, he was appointed by the Government of India as a Postal Treasury Contractor at Bombay, Ahmedabad, and Poona. He was made Khan Saheb in 1929, and Khan Bahadur in 1939. Awarded Silver Jubilee Medal in 1935.

Address—Pheroze Mansion, 8, South Petty Staff Lines, Poona.

Antrolikar, Dr. Krishna Bheemrao, M.B.B.S., Sholapur. Born on 2nd September, 1898. Educated at Bombay and Poona; began medical practice, 1922; Chairman of the Taluka Congress Committee, since 1931; Member, A.I.C.C., 1934. Joined Non-Co-operation Movement and suffered imprisonment several times. Elected to the Bombay Legislative Assembly in 1937.

Address—444, South Kasba, Sholapur.

Appaswamy, Elizabeth, Sornam, (Mrs. Paul Appaswamy), B.A., Founder, Manager and Correspondent, "Vidyodaya School," had an extensive tour in America, Europe, F.M.S., etc., to study the educational, social and franchise problems.

Address—14, Rithordan Road, Vepery, Madras.

Apte, Gopal Dattatraya, B.A., G.D.A., R.A., Registered Accountant, Poona. Born in



1895, he was educated at Jamkhandi High School and S.P. College, Poona. Passed Matric in 1915, and B.A. in 1921. Married in 1916, Mrs. Shantabai Apte. Served as Assistant Manager in the Poona Central Co-operative Bank till 1926. After passing the Government Diploma in Accountancy Examination in 1926, he served as an Assistant to the Special Auditor, Co-operative

Address—The Hubli Electricity Co., Ltd., Hubli.

Societies, in the Co-operative Department till 1928. After completing his Articles-ship of three years under Messrs. Khare and Co., Auditors, Bombay, started independent practice as Registered Accountant, and Auditor, and as Income-tax Consultant in co-operation with Mr. S. M. Akhgaonkar and as a partner of Messrs. Apte, Akhgaonkar and Co., Income-tax Consultants. He is also Honorary Joint Secretary of the Maratha Chamber of Commerce and Industries, Poona.

Address—New Kitab Building, Laxmi Road, Poona 2.

Armstrong, J. E., C.I.E., O.B.E.; Commissioner of Police, Bhopal State, since 1935; entered Indian Police Service, 1897; Director-General of Police and Jails, in Hyderabad, Deccan, 1927-35.

Address—Bhopal.

Atre, Pralhad Keshav, B.A., B.T. Born in 1898, he passed his B.A. from Fergusson College, Poona; B.T., (First Class) from Secondary Training College, Bombay, and received the Teachers' Diploma from London Day Training College, London. He married Miss Godubai Munge, B.A., B.T., of the High School for Indian Girls. He has been Principal, Camp Education Society's High School, Poona, since 1921, and Joint Hon'y. Secretary, Shiksha Vichar Mandal. He is a well-known poet, parodist and critic in Marathi.

Address—481, Narayan Peth, Poona City.

Ayengar, Dewan Bahadur N.N., B.A., I.C.E., M.I.E., I.S.E.; Chief Engineer to the Government of Mysore since 1934. Born in 1881; joined P.W.D., Bombay, 1906; President, Institution of Engineers of India; President, Mysore Engineers' Association.

Address—Bangalore City.

Badenoch, Alexander Cameron, C.S.I. (1937); C.I.E. (1931); Deputy Auditor General to Government of India, since 1932. Born on 2nd July, 1889; son of Rev. Alexander Badenoch. Educated Dunfermline High School; Edinburgh University, and Balliol College, Oxford. Married in 1914 to Jess Greg and has two sons and one daughter. Entered I. C. S., 1912; Accountant General, C. P., 1919-21; Accountant-General, Posts and Telegraphs, 1923-28; various posts, 1928-32.

Publications: official reports.

Clubs: United Service, Simla; and United Service, Calcutta.

Address—Delhi or Simla.

Baguley, the Hon. Mr. Justice John Minty, Barrister-at-Law, High Court Judge,

Rangoon. Born in June, 1880. Educated at Cambridge, Pembroke College. Passed I.C.S., 1903; went to Burma, 1904; first officiated in the High Court in 1924.

Clubs: East India United Service.

Address—Pegu, Rangoon.

Bakshi, Rao Saheb Vasantrai Laxmishankar, M.B.B.S., Medical Officer, Wadhwan Civil Station. Born 22nd September, 1891. Educated at Alfred High School, Rajkot, Gujarat College and Grant Medical College, Bombay. Married in 1908 to Miss Vijya Luxmi, daughter of Bhupatrai Mayashankar Rindani of Morvi. His father, Laxmishankar, who died on March 13th, 1934 at the age of eighty-six years, was a State Vakil for various States in Kathiawar. His brother, Chhela Shankar, B.A., LL.B., is Dewan at Jasan and his uncle, Kalyanraji Jetha Bakshi, who was Dewan of Idar, Morvi and Administrator of Porbunder, died in 1922. Dr. Vasantrai passed M.B.B.S., 1917; joined Government service and was appointed Medical Officer, Yeravda Central Prison, 1917-20. He was Medical Officer, Bhuj—Cutch, 1920-21; Medical Officer, Kharaghoda Salt Department, 1921-27; Medical Officer, Kapadvanj, 1928-31, and is Medical Officer and Superintendent of Jail at Wadhwan Civil Station since 1931; awarded the Silver Jubilee Medal on 6th May, 1935, during the Silver Jubilee Celebrations of Their Majesties. Created Rao Saheb on 3rd June, 1935.

Address—Wadhwan Camp, Kathiawar.

Bakre, Vasudeo Mahashevar, Medical Practitioner, Belgaum. Born in 1884. Educated at Savantwadi High School. Married in 1906 Miss Lakshmi Bai, daughter of Krishnarao Dhopeshwarkar of Savantwadi, and has four sons. After school career he took up Medicine and studied Ayurveda and Homoeopathy. Opened his own dispensary at Belgaum in 1908. He has been taking keen interest in National Movement and other public activities.

Address—Ramgalli, Belgaum.

Bandorawalla, Nowrojee Jamshedjee, M.B.B.S., M.S., F.C.P.S., (Bombay). Surgeon, Poona. Born on 22nd November, 1889. Educated at the Grant Medical College, Bombay. Married in February, 1918, with Dr. Miss Saroshhanu Jeejeebhoy Khareghat, L.M. & S. Passed M. B. B. S., 1913; M.S. (Bombay) in 1919; F.C.P.S. 1922; acted as Hon. Surgeon J.J. Hospital, 1921-25; Chief Medical Officer, Bikaner State, 1926-33; was Examiner in Surgery in the University of Bombay and the

College of Physicians and Surgeons, Bombay. Opened a Surgical Nursing Home at Poona since April 1934.

Address—Deccan Lodge, 18/19,
Wollesley Road, Poona.

Banerjee, Rai Bahadur Sarat Chandra, M. A., D. L., C. I. E., Advocate, High Court, Calcutta. Born on 3rd February, 1870. Educated at Presidency College, Calcutta, and the Metropolitan Institution. Was Vakil, High Court, 1893-1907; President, Calcutta Improvement Tribunal, 1914-30.

Address—29, Sastitala Road, Narikeldanga, Calcutta.

Banker, Dr. Shapurjee Ardeshir, M.D. (Bombay), Hon. Consulting Physician to H. I. M.'s Consulate for Iran, Bombay. Born on 11th November, 1875. Educated at Fort and Proprietary High School and Grant Medical College, Bombay. Married in 1905 Miss Coovorbai Burjorjee Parakh. (One son and one daughter.) Held the posts of Senior Tutor in Pathology at Grant Medical College, Bombay, for seven years, and Hon. Assistant Physician, J. J. Hospital, for seven years; started independent consulting medical and pathological practice from 1919; has contributed several papers on medical, and socio-religious subjects.

Address—Thaver Mansion, New Queen's Road, Girgaon, Bombay.

Barne, The Rt. Rev. George Dunsford, M.A. (Oxon), C. I. E. (1923), O. B. E. (1919), V.D. (1923); elected Bishop of Lahore, April, 1932; born in 1879; Chaplain of Hyderabad, Sind, 1911; Principal, Lawrence R. Military School, Sanawar; appointed Vice-Chancellor of the Punjab University (1930).

Address—Lahore.

Barreto, Diogo, L.C.E. (Bombay University), Member, Goa Government Legislative Council, Margao, Goa. Born on 28th February, 1874. Educated at Pangim, St. Xavier's College, and College of Science, Poona. In 1921 he was elected one of the judges of Revenue, Fiscal Court of Appeal at Pangim. In 1922 elected to Goa Legislative Council and has been its member for the last thirteen years with a break of two years.

Address—Margao (Goa).

Barreto, Dr. Jorge Alexandre, M.D., (Lisbon University). Medical Practitioner, President, Margao Camera Municipality and a Member, Goa Legislative Council. Born on 26th November, 1891. Educated at Pangim and Lisbon. Married on 6th June, 1910

at Lisbon to Miss Maria Maia. (Two sons and two daughters.) Appointed Health Officer at Portalegre in Portugal and was a professor at the High School, Portalegre; came to Goa in 1921 and was appointed and served as a Professor, Medical College, at Pangim; Professor at the High School and Director at Pangim Normal School; a Member Goa Government Council since 1931; President, Hospicio Committee, Margao, 1931-34; President, Margao Municipality since 1932.

Address—Bonaulim, Margao (Goa).

Barve, Shankar Damodar, B.A., LL.B., Pleader and Member, Notified Area Committee, Khed, District Ratnagiri. Born on 24th August, 1908. Educated at the United English School at Chiplun, and Wilson College, Bombay. Married in 1931 to Miss Leela, daughter of D. R. Bapat, Police Prosecutor, Satara.

Address—Khed, District Ratnagiri.

Basu, The Hon. Bijay Kumar, C.I.E. 1932; Senior Member of G. C. Chunder and Company, Solicitors, Calcutta, and Member, Council of State, since 1931. Born in October, 1885; educated at Presidency College, Calcutta; was Commissioner of Calcutta Corporation, 1921-24; Mayor, 1928-29.

Address—Bikuba, Calcutta.

Basu, Narendra Kumar, B.A., B.L., Advocate, Calcutta High Court. Born 24th November, 1878; married to Miss Suhagini. Was M. L. C., since 1930; Member, A. J. C. C. till 1917; Trustee and Vice-President, Calcutta Deaf and Dumb School; Prominent Freemason; Author of several Law Books.

Address—12 Ashu Biswas Road, Bhawnipur, Calcutta.

Basu, Santosh Kumar, M. A., B. L., Calcutta. Born in 1889. Founder, Students' and Young Men's Association. Enrolled Advocate, Calcutta High Court, 1914; Dy. Mayor, of Calcutta, 1930; Mayor, 1933.

Address—P4, Diamond Harbour Road, Calcutta.

Beardsell, Sir William Arthur, Kt., (1919); Managing Director of W. A. Beardsell & Co., Ltd., Madras. Clubs: Adyar, and Madras.

Address—Maitland, Nungambaukam High Road, Madras.

Beaumont (Lady) E. Mabel, wife of the Hon. Sir John Beaumont, Chief Justice of Bombay. Chairman of the District Branch of the Red Cross Society; Vice-President of the Indian National Association; Chairman, Cama Hospital Committee.

Address—Harkness Road, Malabar Hill, Bombay.

Bedi, Mrs. Freda Marie, B. A., (Hons. Oxon). Born in 1911; studied with husband at Berlin University, Germany, 1934; Managing Editor, "Contemporary India;" Prof. of English, Fatch Chand College for Women, Lahore.

Address—"Contemporary India," Office, Model Town, Lahore.

Benedict, Rev. Fr. A.; Principal, St. Xavier's School, Mannar, Ceylon.

Address—Mannar, Ceylon.

Berkeley-Hill, Lt.-Col. Owen Alfred Rowland, M. A., M. D., Ch. B., M. R. C. S., L. R. C. P., I. M. S.; Medical Superintendent, European Mental Hospital, Ranchi. Born in 1879; President, Indian Psychological Association; President, Indian Association for Mental Hygiene.

Address—Kanke P. O., Ranchi, B. & O.

Bhagavan Das, M.A., D.Litt., M.L.A. Born in 1869. Entered Government Service as Tahsildar in 1890; Deputy Collector and Magistrate, 1894; resigned in 1899 and joined Central College, Benares; Secretary to the Board of Trustees, Central Hindu College, 1899-1914; President 11th All-India Hindu Sahitya Sammelan, 1921; Chairman, Benares Municipal Board, 1923-25; M.L.A., 1935; author of many books.

Address—Sevashrama, Sigra, Benares.

Bhansali, Mansen Damodar, I. C. S., M. A., LL. B., (Oantab), Bar-at-law. Born on 7th November, 1898; and educated at New High School, Bombay; Dulwich College, London; and St. John's College, Cambridge. Entered the Indian Civil Service on the first of November, 1923, on passing the open competitive examination. Returned to India on 1st Dec. and joined duties at Dharwar as Asst. Collector on 11th Dec., 1923. After working in different capacities in the Presidency he was appointed Registrar of Co-operative Societies, in 1936.

Address—Poona.

Bhargava, Rai Bahadur Pandit Jawahar Lal, B.A., LL.B., Advocate High Court, Lahore. Born in October, 1870. Educated in

Lahore Government College and Law School. Elected M.L.C., Punjab, 1916-20; and M.L.A., 1921-23; Life-Member, St. John Ambulance Association; Government Durbar Medal and War Loan Sanad; awarded Jubilee Medal, 1935.

Address—Hissar, Punjab.

Bharucha, Behramshaw Kawasji, Landlord, Amalner, Dist. East Khandesh. Born on 25th September, 1869, at Surat. Educated at Sir Sorabji Jamshedji Jijibhai High School, Surat. Joined his father's excise business and after the death of his father he started his own business leaving his father's business to his brothers. An elected Member, Amalner Municipality, 1914-1934; Chairman, Amalner Municipal School Board; Chairman of the Standing Committee. Has been the first non-official President of the Amalner Taluka Local Board from 1919. Also a Member, District Local Board from 1919. A Member District School Board for some time. President, Supervising Union, Amalner; a Director, Amalner Co-operative Urban Bank for seven years and East Khandesh Central Co-operative Bank, Jalgaon, for last four years; a Director on the Board of East Indian Cotton Association Ltd., Bombay, 1934.

Address—Amalner, Dist. East Khandesh.

Bhat, Bhaskar Vaman, Member and Hon. Secretary, Rajwade Samshodhak Mandal, Dhulia, West Khandesh. Born in March, 1877. Educated at the Maratha High School, Bombay, and Wilson College, Bombay. Married in 1894 with Miss Krishnabai, daughter of Raoji Balvant Sathe of Poona, (four sons). Commenced practice at Dhulia 1899. Editor, "Samshodhak," a quarterly devoted to historical research (published under the auspices of Rajwade Samshodhak Mandal). President, Victoria Orphanage.

Address—Dhulia, West Khandesh.

Bhat, Keshav Vishram, Proprietor, Savantavadi Motor Works and Transport Company. Born on 26th March, 1892. Educated in Savantavadi State. Married Miss Sitabai, daughter of Govindarao Bandekar, a merchant of Savantavadi and has six daughters and two sons. In 1914 he started business in cycles and accessories, and in 1918 as a motor agent. In 1923 he became Agent for Ford Motor Products and in 1930 he took the agency of Burma Shell Co., and also sole agency for Michelin and other tyres. He is also an authorised dealer for Willard Batteries, His Master's Voice, and Odono Products for the Konkan.

Address—Savantavadi.

Billur, Mallappa, Shivappa. Proprietor, the Frock, Factory Shahapur, (Belgaum). Born in 1893 at Sulebhavi, Sangli State; educated at the A. V. School, Sholapur. Married in 1922, (second marriage) Miss Irubai, daughter of I. C. Yaman Shetti of Ramdurg State, and has five daughters. He started the above factory at Shahapur in 1920.

Address—Shahapur, near Belgaum.

Binivale, Govind Ramchandra, Ayurvedic Physician, Sangli. Born in 1892. Educated at Sangli High School and Ayurveda Vidyalaya, Poona. Married in 1912, Rukmalai, daughter of V. Gadgil of Miraj. After school career Vaidya Binivale started (Vyadhi Chikistalay) a philanthropic institution at Sangli in 1916. As Secretary of Home Rule League, in 1917, he collected nearly 4000 rupees for its funds. He was Secretary of Vaidiyak Samelan in 1918 and exponent of Jotish Samelan. He was a member of Sangli City Municipality from 1920-27.

Address—Sangli, S. M. C.

Birley, Frank; Director, Best & Co., Madras; Chairman, Madras Chamber of Commerce; born in 1883; joined Best & Co., 1909.

Address—c/o Best & Co., Ltd., Madras.

Bonhoure, The Rev. Fr., A., S. J., Rector and Principal, St. Xavier's College, Palamcottah. Born in 1881 in France. Was appointed Superior of the Northern Division in 1923, and in 1925; Rector and Principal of St. Joseph's College, Trichinopoly, till 1932; transferred to St. Xavier's College, Palamcottah, in June, 1932.

Address—Palamcottah.

Borkar, Rao Saheb Mahableshwar Ballappa, Government Forest Contractor and timber merchant, Karwar. Born in 1869 at Kodibag near Karwar. Educated at Government High School. (Two sons—Bhawanishankar and Shankar. Mr. Bhawanishankar, L. T. M., is a spinning master in Bagicha Mills, Ahmedabad.) He started an independent business as a Forest Contractor and Timber Merchant at Karwar and Bhatkal. In 1896, he shifted the location of his contract business to Yellapur. He was created Raosaheb in 1917. He was Vice-President of the Taluka Local Board, Yellapur, and also a member of the District Local Board, Kanara; a Member, Karwar Municipality, for the last twelve years, and was also Vice-President for three years. He is also the President of Hindu Sabha, Karwar.

Address—Karwar, North Kanara.

Boss, Rai Bahadur Chunilal, C.I.F., (1922); I.S.O. (1915), M.B., F.C.S.; Chairman, Bengal Chemical and Pharmaceutical Works, Ltd. Born on 18th March 1861. Chemical Examiner and Professor of Chemistry, Medical College, Calcutta, 1915-20; Vice-President and Trustee Indian Association for Cultivation of Science; President, A. I. Temperance Association; author of many papers.

Address—25, Mohendra Bose Lane, Calcutta.

Bose, Rai Bahadur, Sir Kailas, Chander, Kt. (1916), C.I.E., (1910), Kaiser-I-Hind, (1909), O.B.E. Born in December, 1850. Educated in Calcutta. Fellow, Calcutta University; Fellow, Royal Institute of Public Health; Vice-President, Indian Medical Congress; Hon. Presidency Magistrate and Examiner, Calcutta Corporation; Member, British Medical Association.

Address—1, Sukra Street, Calcutta.

Braganza, J. M., Merchant and Landlord Born in 1875; educated at the St. Xavier's School, Bombay. In 1908, he came to Poona and started the firm of "The Poona Drug Stores" which from a very small beginning he has brought to its present state of usefulness and excellence.

Address—324, Main Street, Poona.

Burley, Dr. George William, Wh. Ex., B. Sc., (Engineering London), D. Sc.,



(Lond), M. I. Mech. E., M. I. E., M. A. S., Mech. E., M. R. S. T., Principal and Professor of Mechanical Engineering, Victoria Jubilee Technical Institute, Matunga, Bombay. Born in 1885, he was educated at Sheffield University College and Sheffield University. He was Engineering Research Student, Sheffield Uni-

versity, and Lecturer in Engineering and head of Machine Tool and Cutting Tool Research Department, Sheffield University. He then became Asst. Engineer, Korkshire Electric Power Co., Technical Manager, Guy Motors, Wolverhampton and Lecturer in Electrical Engineering, Wolverhampton Technical College. He is the author of many publications.

Address—V. J. T. Institute, Matunga, Bombay.

Browning, William Maurice, Branch Manager, the Burma Shell Oil Storage and Distributing Co., India, Ltd., Madras. Born on 9th April, 1888; educated at Marlborough College; was Manager, Shaw Wallace & Co., India, Branch Madras, 1924; Branch Manager, B.S.O.S. & D. Co., of India Ltd., 1928; M.L.C., Madras, 1930; Chairman, Madras Chamber of Commerce, 1934; R.A.A.F.I., 1920-25; Royal Consul for Denmark, 1924.

Address—"Yoonf Bagh," Nungambakam High Road, Madras.

Burns, William, D. Sc., (Edin), I. A. S., Agricultural Expert, Imperial Council of Agricultural Research, Government of India, was born on 6th July, 1884. Educated at Edinburgh University. Was Assistant Lecturer in Botany at Reading College, 1907-08. Joined Indian Agricultural Service and was Economic Botanist to the Government of Bombay, 1908-33; Principal, Poona Agricultural College (in addition) 1922-33; was Joint Director of Agriculture, 1926-27. Publications: Botanical, Agricultural, Horticultural, and Nature Study Papers.

Address—Poona.

Burjorjee Bezonjee, Motor Dealer, and Agent to New India Assurance Co., Ltd., and Sub-Dealer to Messrs. French Motor Car Co., Ltd., Bombay. Born in 1859 at Bombay. Educated at Bombay. Married in 1882, Miss Avabai, daughter of Dadabhai Mistry of Bombay (three sons and three daughters). Started life as a watch repairer and added cycle business, and later on became motor car and accessory dealer, and automobile repairer. He took up the New India Assurance Co.'s motor car insurance business in 1920, and in 1927 he was appointed sub-dealer to Messrs. French Motor Car Co. Ltd., Bombay. His eldest son, Sorabjee Burjorjee, who is assisting his father in his business, was born in 1890, and was educated at Roman Catholic School, Nagpur.

Address—Kling's Way, Nagpur.

Burt, Bryce Chudleigh, C. I. E., M. B. E., B. Sc., (Lond.), I. A. S. Born on 29th April, 1881. Educated at University College, London. Was Assistant Lecturer, Liverpool University from 1902-04; Trinidad, British West Indies, 1904-07. Entered the Indian Agricultural Service in January 1908 and was Deputy Director of Agriculture, United Provinces, 1908-21; Director of Industries, United Provinces, in addition, (1912-15); Secretary, Indian Central Cotton Committee, 1921-28; Director of Agriculture, Bihar and Orissa, 1928-29; Official Advisor to Indian Delegation, Imperial Economic Conference, Ottawa, May to September, 1932. Officiated as Vice-Chairman, Indian Council of Agricultural Research, in June, 1933, August, 1933, and October to December, 1934.

Address—1, York Road, New Delhi, and Middle Lands, Simla.

Cacule, Mahadeo Shrinivas Shenvi, General Merchant and Contractor, Panjim, Goa. Born on 14th February, 1880. Educated in Portuguese Language at Panjim. The Cacules belong to Condoli, three miles from Panjim. His uncle, Purushottam Mukund Cacule, was Oriental Translator to Portuguese Government. After education, Mr. M. S. Cacule secured a job in Census Department on a salary of Rs. 7-12-0 per month in 1900, and served there for three years. After passing the examination in surveying, he was appointed chief surveyor on Rs. 250 per month in 1905. After seven years' service he resigned the surveyors' job and was appointed Oriental Translator to Portuguese Government for one year, in the absence of his uncle, who was ill. Rejoined Survey Department and after fourteen years' service resigned and started independent business of contracts in buildings and roads. Among the important buildings constructed by him are the Government Hospital, Panjim, Hospital Hospicio Margao, reservoirs at Panjim, and Raibundar, R.C. Jetty at Panjim and Borim Bridge. Was also President, Goa Merchant's Association, for three years and is now its Vice-President. He was honoured by the Portuguese Home Government with the title "Cavalleiro da Ordem do Cristo."

Address—Panjim, Goa.

Cameron, T. H., Dewan Poishkar and District Magistrate, Kottayam, Travancore, Born in 1889. Appointed A. S. P. in 1912; District Magistrate and Justice of the Peace since 1923; acted as Principal Port Officer, Travancore.

Address—Kottayam, Travancore.

Chafalkar, Sardar Shri Laxman Gangadhar Swami Maharaj of Chafal.—First Class Sardar in the Deccan. Born on Ashvin Shudha 18, Shaka 1898. Educated at Hyderabad, Deccan. Married with Yeshodabaisahob, daughter of Chandurkar. Inamdar of



Chandur District, Belgaum. (One son, Bhausahob, one daughter, Prabhat). A senior member of the family of Chafal Maharaj, he occupies the religious seat of Randas who was the High Priest and political advisor to Shri Shivaji, the great founder of the Maharatta Empire. The subject of this life-sketch, Laxman Gangadhar Swami Maharaj, belongs to the ninth generation of Randas' family. They are the First Class Sardars (hereditary) in the Deccan, and ranked first in the Sardar's Durbar, held by British Government. His father, late Gangadhar Swami Maharaj, was invited by the British Government to give blessings to the Duke of Windsor when as Prince of Wales he visited Poona in 1921. Gangadhar Swami Maharaj died in 1928, leaving five sons and one daughter, the oldest one being the late Hanmant, alias Babasahob; the second, Laxman, alias Abasahob Maharaj, subject of this life-sketch;

the third, Ranchandra, alias Dadasahob; the fourth, Gavalax, alias Tatyasaheb; the fifth, Ayodhyanath, alias Annasahob; and daughter, Sitabai Vinayakrao Budihalkar Deshpande, of Belgaum. Sardar Laxman Gangadhar Swami, who succeeded to the Gadi in 1928, was created a First Class Sardar in the Deccan in 1932.

Address—Post Chafal, District Satara.

Canagaretnam S. O., J.P., Member, State Council (Batticaloa South); Author, Journalist, and Politician; Secretary, Batticaloa Farmers' Union, and Ratepayers' Association.

Address—"Lakshmi Villa," Batticaloa Ceylon.

Carpenter-Garnier, Rt. Rev. Mark Randolph; M.A. (Oxon.), D.D. (Lambeth), Bishop of Colombo.

Address—Bishop's House, 19, Stuart Place, Colpetty, Colombo.

Cash, Rev. Percy T., M.A., B.Sc., Principal, Jaffna Central College.

Address—Jaffna, Ceylon.

Cassamally Hasanally Javeri, Khan Bahadur Alijah (Camadia), Chief Secretary and Treasurer to H. H. the Aga Khan. Born on 15th October, 1877. Educated at Surat. (Three sons and four daughters.) In 1899 he was sent to Paris as an Agent of Messrs. Nagindas Fulchand Javeri, jewellers of Surat, on a salary of £70; left service to start an independent business. Appointed Camadia (Treasurer) to H. H. the Aga Khan 1922; Chief Secretary to H. H. the Aga Khan from 1927.

Address—Rehemtulla West View, Chaupatty, Bombay.

Chacko, Dr. K. C., B.A., D.Sc., M.I.E., I.E.S.; Principal, Engineering College, Madras. Born in 1893; First Class Honours in B.Sc. Engineering, London University; appointed Professor, College of Engineering, Hindy, in the I.E.S. in 1920-1921; Promoted Local Captain, 1933; Captain, 1934.

Address—Engineering College, Hindy, Madras.

Chakravarti, A., M.A., Principal, Government College, Kumbakonam; formerly Professor of Mental and Moral Science, Madras Presidency College.

Address—Kumbakonam.

Chandavarker, Manjunath Gopalkrishna, Pleader, and President Karwar Municipality, Karwar. Born in 1885 at Mallapur, in Karwar District. Educated at Mangalore and Karwar High School; married in 1903 with Miss Girijabai, daughter of Padmanabha Nadkarni of Bankikodla. (One son and five daughters.) Commenced prac-

tice in Karwar in 1909; a member, Karwar Municipality for twenty years; Chairman, Municipality for eight years; elected President, Karwar Municipality since 1934; Secretary, Nursing Association, since 1920, and of Maternity Home, since 1934; Chairman, Scouts' Association since 1933. Awarded Silver Jubilee Medal, 1935.

Address—Karwar, North Kanara.

Chavan, Vishnu Ganpatrao, B.A., LL.B., High Court Judge, Kolhapur. Born 21st April, 1892; educated at Rajaram High School and College, Kolhapur; Fergusson College, Poona; and Law College, Bombay. Married in 1909. Miss Parvatibai, daughter of Krishnarao Dilvar of Kolhapur. Appointed as Munsiff, Gadhinglaj in 1920, for seventeen months, and later on as District Magistrate from 1921-24. Became Assistant Judge, Kolhapur, in 1924-1926; District and Sessions Judge, 1926-31. Appointed High Court Judge of the Kolhapur High Court when it was constituted in 1931.

Address—Kolhapur.

Cheema, Dr. Sardar Gandasingh, D. Sc. Horticulturist to the Government of Bombay. Born on 2nd August, 1894; educated in India and abroad. He joined the Bombay Agricultural Department in June, 1921, and in July of the same year he was appointed Horticulturist to the Government of Bombay and since then he is holding the same post.

Address—Poona.

Chellapalli, Raja of Sivarama, Prasad Bahadur, Sreemanth Rajah Zubdatul Aqran. Yarlagadda Ba-afiat Bashand, Sur Deshmukh Sircar, Zamindar of Devarakota, M. L. A., (Madras); District Board President, Masulipatam, Kistna District. Born on 29th September, 1906 at Gudur, Kistna District, (son of late Mr. Sreemanth Rajah Yarlagadda Aukinedu Prasad Bahadur). Studied up to B. A., at the Presidency College, Madras; elected to the Madras Legislative Assembly, 1937; representing Bunder, rural and general constituency. He is the only Zamindar elected under the head constituency in Madras Presidency. He is Member of Senate, Andhra University; Member, Cosmopolitan Club, Madras; Member, Bezvada Club, Bezvada; and Member, Cosmopolitan Club, Masulipatam. He is a man of amiable character with social disposition, and is always very kind to the poor.

Address—Challapalli, Kistna Dist.

Chanda, Apurva Kumar, M.A. (Oxon), I.E.S., Fellow, Calcutta University. Born in 1893. Educated at Central Hindu College, and Oxford University. Indian Educational service, 1921; acted as Principal of various government colleges in Bengal; officiated as Director, 1935, the first Indian to hold that office.

Address—27, Rowland Road, Calcutta.

Chenchiah, Pandipeddi, B. A., M. L.; Chief Judge, Pudukkottah State. Born in 1866, Chief Judge, 1930.

Address—Pudukkottah, S. India.

Chikerur, Dr. Bhimrao Gururao, M. B. B. S., Medical Practitioner, Jalgaon, Dist. East Khandesh. Born on 10th July, 1892; educated at Grand High School, Dhulia; Fergusson College, Poona, and Grant Medical College, Bombay. Married on 10th April, 1915; with Miss Muktabai, daughter of P. M. Nandekar of Nanded. (Three sons and three daughters.) Commenced practice at Jalgaon since 1921; Member, Jalgaon Municipality 1922-1934; acted as Vice-President, Municipality for some time; Hon. Physician to Civil Hospital, Jalgaon, from 1925; in charge of Khandesh Mill Jubilee Dispensary and Maternity Home, from 1924; District Scout Master; a Life-Member, Brahman Hitvardhini Sabha and Khambohi Vyayamshala, both started by his father.

Address—Jalgaon, Dist. East Khandesh. (G. I. P. Ry.).

Chinoy, Sir Rahimtoola, Kt., President, Indian Merchants' Chamber (1935-36); Director, Indian Radio and Cable Communications Company, Bombay; Steward of the Royal Western India Turf Club; Senior Partner, the Bombay Garage.

Address—Bombay.

Chitale, Gajanan Balkrishna, B.A., I.L.B., Pleader, Ratnagiri. Born on 12th June, 1898; educated at Ratnagiri High School, and Elphinstone College, Bombay. Married in 1922 with Miss Kamalabai, daughter of G. G. Paranjpye of Poona. (One son and one daughter.) Commenced practice at Ratnagiri since 1938; chairman of the Managing Committee of Ratnagiri Urban Co-operative Bank; an elected Member, Ratnagiri Municipality, since 1930; a member Managing Committee, Mahilavidyalaya; a trustee of Sanskrit Pathashala.

Address—Ratnagiri.

Choudhari, Ganapat Dagdoo, Landlord, Cotton Merchant, and Vice-President, Faizpur Municipality. Born in 1883. Educated at Grand High School, Dhulia. Married in 1895 with Mainabai, daughter of Sandoo Barsoo Mahajan of Nhavi, Dist. East Khandesh and has six daughters and one son, Ramdas Ganpat. After education up to Matric, he entered business. Has been a Member, Faizpur Municipality for the last twenty-two years and its Chairman for twenty years. Is Vice-President, Faizpur Municipality, since April, 1936. Acted as President, Faizpur Municipality, for three months during the period of the session of the Indian National Congress.

Address—Post Faizpur, Dist. East Khandesh

Choudhary, Jaglal, M.L.A., was born in 1894. In 1914, he joined the Medical College of Calcutta. Three months before taking his medical degree he left the College and joined the Non-Co-operation Movement and was put in charge of propagation of Khadi and temperance work in the province. He was convicted in 1930, 1932 and 1933.

After his release from jail in 1934, he joined the Bihar Central Relief Committee and continued to work there for fifteen months. He played a very prominent part in organizing the Village Industries Association in Bihar.

Mr. Choudhary, who is a member of the Depressed Class, comes from the village of Clarkha, in the Saran District. Elected to Bihar Legislative Assembly, 1937.

Address—Patna, Bihar.

Chowdry, Rao Saheb Deendayal Fakirchand Khemchand, Army Contractor and Vice-President, Cantonment Board, Ahmednagar. Born in 1884 in Poona. Educated at Ajmore and Mission High School, Nasirabad. Came to Ahmednagar in 1902, and served as a Regimental Kotwal in British Regiment at Ahmednagar, 1903-1916. Resigned Government Service, and undertook military contract work since 1908. During the Great War, he was a Military Contractor at Sholapur as well as at Ahmednagar; has been a Dairy Contractor for British troops since 1927; has been a member Ahmednagar Cantonment Board and Municipality since 1923; Vice-President Cantonment Board since 1933; started cinemas at Sholapur, Ahmednagar, Pandharpur and the Connaught Talkies at Poona; was also a Contractor for German Prisoner's Camp at Sholapur and Ahmednagar. He is President, Yaduvanshi Ahir Community.

Address—Hunter Road, Camp Ahmednagar

Chaudhari, Mrs. Pramila, is the third daughter of late W. C. Bonnorjee. Educated at Newnham College, Cambridge. Married in 1907, A. N. Chaudhari, Bar-at-Law, and has four sons and one daughter. Was Vice-President, Bengal Provincial Council of Women, Calcutta, 1927. Awarded Kaiser-i-Hind second class in 1936.

Address—42, Jhantala Road, Ballygunge, Calcutta.

Chowdhury, K.C. Roy, M. L. C., Councillor, Calcutta Corporation. Born in 1882. Educated at Presidency College, Calcutta and Owen's College, Manchester. Founder, British Indian Seamen's Institute, Victoria Docks, London; Vice-President, Bengal Trade Union Federation.

Address—44, Hindustan Park, Ballygunge, Calcutta.

Choudhury, Abdul Hashem Khan, Khan Bahadur, M.A., B.T., B.S.E.S.; Inspector of Schools, Dacca Division, Bengal. Born in 1882. Educated at Native H. M. School, and Presidency College, Calcutta; joined Government Service in 1902; promoted to the Bengal Education service, Assistant Inspector of Schools, 1920.

Address—Nator, Rajshahi, Bengal.

Chaudhari, Joges Chandra, M.A., B.A., (Oxon), Bar-at-Law. Born in 1862. Educated at Presidency College, Calcutta, Now College, Oxford, and Inner Temple, London. Married Sarasi Bala Devi. Founder, Editor, the "Calcutta Weekly Notes"; member Indian National Congress; Chairman, Board of Directors, National Life and Fire Insurance Companies, Calcutta.

Address—Devadwar, 34, Ballygunge Circular Road, Calcutta.

Chulaparambil, Dr. Alexander, His Lordship Rt. Rev. D. D. Bishop of Kottayam. Born in October, 1877. Consecrated Bishop, November, 1914; proclaimed Bishop of Kottayam, 21st December, 1923.

Address—Kottayam.

Clarke, Major Mathew John, C.I.E. 1932. Indian Army; Assistant Commissioner, Burma. Born 19th July, 1895; married 1929, Rhona Elizabeth, daughter of Thomas Lyons Lyndhurst, Hobart, Tasmania; has one son, and one daughter. Served European War, 1914-19, (dispatches).

Address—New Low Courts, Rangoon, Burma.

Clark, Dr. G. F., M.A., Ph. D., I.L.S.; Principal, Training College for Teachers, University of Rangoon.

Address—Rangoon.

Colvin, Lt.-Col. Elliot James Dowell, C. I. E., 1933. Born on 27th July, 1885; son of late Lt.-Col. John Russell Colquhoun Colvin. Educated at Charterhouse and Sandhurst; was First Commission, 1904; joined Indian Political Dept., 1908; Asst. Resident, Hyderabad till 1910; secretary to A. G. G. in C. I., 1914 and 1919; served European War, 1914-18; Political Agent, Baghelkhand Bundelkhand, 1921; Advisor to Maharaja of Rewa, 1924-29; Resident, Gwalior, 1930; Political Agent, Eastern Rajputana States, 1931-32; Prime Minister, Jammu and Kashmir State, 1932-37.

Clubs: Cavalry, Windham's.

Address—Srinagar, India.

Contractor, Khansaheb. Maneckjee Furdunjee, Contractor and Hon. Magistrate, Dohad, District Panchmahals. Born in 1876. Educated at Vernacular School, Dohad, and Parsee Orphanage, Bombay. Married on 18th February, 1901, Miss Dinbai, daughter of Nowrojee Nusserwanji Chinoy. (Five sons and three daughters.) Joined his father's business. He has been a member of the Dohad Municipality for the last twenty-five years and was its President for fifteen years; President, Taluka Local Board for the last nine years, and a member, District Local Board, from 1931; Hon. Magistrate for the last fourteen years. He was created Khansaheb in January, 1927. He is President, Parsee Anjuman, Dohad, and has donated a sum of Rs. 2,000 to local High School for opening the Metric Class.

Address—Opposite Railway Station Dohad, District Panchmahals. (B.R.&C.I. Ry.)

Cunningham, Sir Charles Banks, Kt. (1933); C.S.I., Inspector-General of Police, Madras, from 1930. Born in 1884; Assistant Superintendent of Police, 1904-08; Commissioner of Police, Travancore State, 1915-21; Commissioner of Police, Madras, 1928-30.

Address—Sterling Road, Nungumbakam, Madras.

Cuttriss, C. A., M. B. E. Landlord, Hon. Magistrate, Rangoon; Chairman, Burma Building and Loan Association, Ltd.; Director, Dawsons Bank Ltd. Born in 1862; was Hon. Secretary, Burma "Our Day" Fund, Burma War Fund, etc.

Address—No. 80, University Avenue, Rangoon.

Dabholkar, Shankar Gopal, B.A., LL.B., Advocate (O.S.), was born at Kolhapur in 1899. Educated at Rajaram High School and College, Kolhapur; and his higher education at Fergusson College, Poona. He is Legal advisor to the Kolhapur Bank, Ltd., and the Kolhapur Sugar Factory, Limited. Was Secretary of the 17th Marathi Literary Conference held in Kolhapur in 1932. He is Chairman of the School Board of the Kolhapur Municipality; Vice-President of the Ilaka Panchayat.

Address—Shahupuri, Kolhapur.

Da Cunha, J. J., General Merchant, Journalist and ex-President of Commercial Association of Portuguese India, Pangim, (Goa). Born on 23rd February, 1878, at Bardes. Educated at Goa. After education, he started life as general merchant. As journalist, contributed and is contributing articles to "O Herald," "Anglo Lusitano," "Bharat," "A Terra," "Jornal da India," and "O Independente," on economic, financial, and social topics. Also author of pamphlets "Crise de Subsistencias," "Algumas Paginae," etc., etc.

Address—Pangim, (Goa).

Dalal, R. P., F. S. A. A., R. A., Principal, Batliboi's Accountancy Training Institute since 1934; has been connected with the Institute since its establishment, as a Lecturer in Accountancy, Auditing Taxation, etc. He was a Vice-Principal of the Institute from 1929 to March 1934.

Address—Navsari Chambers, Outram Road; Fort, Bombay.

D'Almeida, Dr. Lourenco, Retired Civil Surgeon of Ponda and President, Ponda Municipality (Goa.) Born on 18th May, 1868. Educated at Medical School, Nova Goa. Married on 8th September 1908 with Miss Filomona Matos Sequeira (four sons and four daughters); served as a Civil Surgeon at Ponda for thirty years; retired in 1927; commenced private practice; has been President, Ponda Municipality, since 1934-36.

Address—Ponda, Goa.

Dandekar, Bhalchandra Atmaram alias Balasaheb, Inamdar and Hon. Magistrate, Palghar, District Thana. Born Ashadi Shuddha fifteen (Adhika) Shaka 1796 at Chalisgaon, District East Khandesh. Educated at Poona High School, B.J. High School, Thana, and Deccan College, Poona. Married on 15th May, 1892, with Anandibai, daughter of the late Rao Bahadur K.B. Marathe, retired First Class Sub-judge of Poona (three sons and five daughters). Was Chairman, School

Board, Mahim-Kelwe Municipality for one year and its Member for three years; Member, District Local Board, Thana, for fifteen years; Chairman, D.L.B.; Village Panchayat Committee for one year; has been President of the Bench of Hon. Magistrates (second class), Palghar from 1929; President, Local Kridahuwan and a life-member, Paisa Fund.

Address—Palghar, Dist. Thana, B.B. & C.I. Railway.

Dalvi, Bhujang Keshav, B.A., LL.B., District and Sessions Judge, East Khandesh,



Jalgaon. Born on 15th June, 1892. Educated at London Mission High School, Belgaum; Rajaram, and Fergusson Colleges. Second marriage in 1919 with Chandutai Shinde of Kurundwad. (Two sons and two daughters.) Passed Matric in 1908; B.A., 1912; LL.B., 1916. Commenced practice at Belgaum in 1916; appointed Assistant Public Prosecutor 1918-25, June. Public Prosecutor and Government Pleader, 1925-33, November, when he was appointed as Assistant Judge.

Was an elected Member, Belgaum Municipality, 1918-33 (with a break of three years); Member, District Local Board 1923-33; Vice-President, District Local Board, for three years; President, Belgaum Municipality (1926-28; 32-33); elected Member, Bombay Legislative Council, 1924-27; Presided over the Non-Brahmin's Conference held in Bombay in 1926. A self-made man, he has helped poor students of all communities. One of the

promoters of *Rashtraveer* of Belgaum (a vernacular weekly); also a promoter of the Sykes Law College, Kolhapur, where he worked as a professor in the first term before his appointment as Assistant Judge. One of the founders of the Belgaum Bank Limited; he took a prominent part in all the political, social and educational activities of Belgaum; has donated Rs. 8000 towards the Maratha Boarding House, Belgaum and Rs. 500 to Shri Shivaji Maratha Boarding, Poona. Rs. 300 for Belgaum General Library building.

Address—Jalgaon, Dist. East Khandesh.

Dandekar, Nilkanth Appaji alias Balasaheb, Landlord and Hon. Magistrate (Second Class), Palghar District, Thana. Born in 1903 at Palghar. Educated at Palghar. Married to Miss Umabai, daughter of K. R. Kanade, pleader of Bhusawal. Elected Chairman Palghar Co-operative Society, 1920; in 1921, worked as a Census supervisor; Vice-President, Taluka Local Board, Palghar, 1923; worked on Poona Agricultural Exhibition District Committee 1926; Member and Vice-President, Leprosy Relief Committee, Palghar Taluka 1926; nominated member, Palghar Taluka Local Board since 1924; President Taluka Local Board 1928; is serving on the Grampanchayat since its inception and was Sarpanch 1928-29; awarded First Class Sanad for census work; served as a Chairman, School Committee, Palghar in 1923 and 1930. Awarded Silver Jubilee Medal in 1935.

Address—Palghar, Dist. Thana.

Dandekar, Vishnu Vaman, B.A., LL.B., Pleader, Palghar, District Thana. Born on 19th May, 1891 at Mahim. Educated at N. M. Vidyalaya and Fergusson College, Poona. Married in 1906 with Miss Ramabai, daughter of Sardar Hari Ramohandra Dhamdhare of Poona. (Two sons—Yeshwant is a B.A. and Pandurang a B.Sc.) Commenced practice at Palghar and Dahnu since 1915. Hon. Secretary, Palghar English School, 1918-30; President, Palghar Taluka Congress Committee in 1921 and 1930; Secretary, Thana District Political Conference held at Palghar in 1926; Vice-President, District Congress Committee 1934-35; President, Taluka Congress Committee 1934-35; a member, District Local Board in 1930; Sarpanch Palghar Village Panchayat 1923-26; President, Taluka Local Board 1930; Chairman, Palghar Paddy Sale Co-operative Society 1930-31 and Taluka Agricultural Requisites Supply Society, Mahim.

Address—Palghar, Dist. Thana,
B. B. & C. I. Ry.

Daga, Rai Bahadur Sir Seth Bisesardass, K.C.L.E. (1934), Kt. (1921); Banker,

mill owner and mine owner. Born in 1877. He is the son of late Dewan Bahadur Sir Kasturchand Daga, K. C. I. E. Married Lady Krishnabai, and has one son. Educated privately. Created Rai Bahadur in 1901.

Address—Nagpur, C. I.

Daniel, Rev. Fr. E.R., Principal, St. Bede's College, Ceylon.

Address—St. Mary's Church, Badulla, Ceylon.

Daniel, J. J., Superintendent of Police, Trivandrum (retired in 1937); born in 1882; entered state service in 1903; acted as Commissioner of Police for few months.

Address—Quilon, Travancore.

Daruwalla, Sheri Sorabji, L. M. & S., Medical Practitioner, Deolali Camp, District Nasik. Born on 4th June, 1891. Educated at Fort High School, Bombay, Elphinstone College, Bombay, and Grant Medical College, Bombay. Married in 1924 with Miss Jerbanu, daughter of Temulji Bonaparte of Nagpur, (two sons and one daughter). Was on special inoculation duty at Bijapur and Poona till 1914; was on Labour Camp, Dudar, for one year; was personal assistant to the officer on special Plague Research Commission, Poona; served in G. I. P. Railway, 1915-1922; was principal Medical Officer, Gujarat People's Hospital, Ahmedabad; has been practising at Deolali Camp since 1924; was Inspecting Medical Officer, (M. F. S.), Filtration Plant, Military, Deolali.

Address—Camp Deolali, Near Nasik or Bharcha Building, 157, New Forum Road, Bombay.

Das, Basanta Kuma, B.A., B.L., Advocate, Calcutta High Court. Born in April, 1886; took B.A., 1907; B.L., 1910. Married in 1908 to Kusum Kumari. Joined the Sylhet Bar, 1910; Bengal Judicial Service, 1915; took active part in N. C. O. Movement; Chairman, R. C. of Surma Valley Conference, 1928; elected to Assam Legislative Council for three times; joined C. D. Movement and suffered imprisonment for two years; actively connected with Tea Companies and Cotton Mills; M. L. A., Assam, 1935.

Address—Sylhet Town, Sylhet District, Assam.

Das, Biswanath, was born in 1891 of a Brahmin family. His English education began late in life. He completed the Law examination in Calcutta and was called to the Bar in 1919.

After a year's practice Mr. Das left the profession and took to public life. He stood as a Congress candidate under the Montford Reforms and was returned to the Madras Council for three terms. He resigned when the Congress came out of the Council; started the Presidency Ryots Association and subsequently the Andhra Zemindary Ryots Association, which had district organizations in every important zemindary district of Madras; imprisoned during the last civil disobedience movement. He is keenly interested in financial problems and in the memorandum submitted to Sir Otto Niemeyer by himself and Pundit Godavaris Misra. He claimed 84 lakhs of rupees as the minimum subvention required for Orissa to enable her to advance to the position of other provinces. Elected to the Orissa Legislative Assembly in 1937.

Address—Cuttack.

Das, Khagendra Chandra, B. S. Stanford, U. S. A.; Managing Director, Calcutta Chemical Co., Ltd., Calcutta. Born in 1883; educated in Stanford University. Was Asst. Chemist with Amalgamated Sugar Works and International Harvester Co., U. S. A., 1911-12; lecturer, Govt. Engineering College, Sibpore, Bengal, up to 1915; started the Calcutta Chemical Co., Ltd.

Address—Calcutta.

Dastoor, Capt. Jamshed Khorshed, M. B., Ch. B., Medical Officer H. E. H. the Nizam's Regular Forces, Hyderabad, Deccan. Was born on the 19th of February, 1887, at Navsari. He matriculated at the University of Bombay in 1904, taking up Persian, Avesta, and Pehlvi, as second languages. After going through a course of Medicine and Surgery at the Grant Medical College, Bombay, he proceeded to England for further medical studies and graduated M. B., Ch. B., at the University of Aberdeen in 1915. During the World War he served as a Capt. in the I. M. S. in Egypt and Mesopotamia from 1918-21, and was appointed a Civil Surgeon on his return to Hyderabad. On the 14th of September, 1927, he was unanimously elected Nayab Dastoor (i. e., Deputy High Priest) by the Parsee community of Hyderabad and Secunderabad and in that capacity renders valuable help to his father. He was married in 1923 to Miss Rodabeh Sorabjee Eduljee, Reporter.

Address—80, Alexandra Road, Secunderabad, Deccan.

Dastur, Noshervan Dinshah Gharda, B. A., LL. B., Advocate, High Court, (Retired) Registrar, High Court (Appellate side), Bom-

bay, and Dastur or the High Priest of the Kadime Parsis, Dadysheet Atash Behram, Dadysheet Agiary, Vatcha-Ghandy Agiary, etc., Bombay. Married on 1st January, 1908, to Miss Meherbai, daughter of Kaikhusrro Pestonjee Bhedwar L. O. E., Assistant Executive Engineer, Bombay Municipality, and of Hirabai Cawasji Maneekji Banaji (one son—Shapurji Noshervan Gharda, B. A., LL. B., Advocate, High Court, Bombay, and three daughters—eldest daughter is married to Dr. R. N. Cooper, M. S. (London) of the Charak Clinic). Educated at the Elphinstone High School, Wilson College, and Government Law College; joined service in the High Court, Appellate side as an Assistant to the Superintendent Civil Department on 1st November 1896; appointed Nazir 1899; Superintendent, Correspondence Department (Appellate side) 1900; Deputy Registrar and Commissioner for taking Affidavits (O. S.) April, 1909; Chief Translator and Interpreter, High Court, (O. S.) January, 1910; Assistant Registrar (Appellate side) and Superintendent of the High Court Press, 1st July, 1910; Deputy Registrar and Sealer of the High Court, Appellate side, 5th November, 1911; Assistant Commissioner and Taxing Master (O. S.) February, 1913; Had officiated as Registrar, High Court, Appellate side, ten times, from 3rd May, 1912, and held the vacant post of I. C. S. Registrar, High Court, (Appellate side) continuously from 2nd June, 1920, to 7th November, 1926; retired on pension on 2nd November, 1928, after thirty-two years' service in the High Court. He was also Registrar of Parsee marriages from 1916-1926, and Secretary to Civil Procedure Code Rules Committee from 1st April, 1915, to November, 1926; was Ex-officio Examiner of the High Court Pleaders' and the District Court Pleaders' Examinations and of the Judicial Papers of the Higher and the Lower Standard Examinations of the Revenue Department and the Police Department from 1920-1926; was Member of the Anthropological Society of Bombay for some years. He has been a Trustee of the Kadmi Hamkar Fund; a Patron of the Athornan Mandal; a member of the Athornan Anjuman Committee and Athornan Madrasa of Bombay, and a member of the Society for promotion of Zoroastrian religious knowledge and education.

Address—Awabai Mansion, Appollo Reclamation, Henry Road, Colaba Causeway, Bombay.

Dastur, Rustamji Edulji Peshotan Sanjana, B. A., the High Priest and the elected President of the large orthodox party of Parsis of Bombay. Born in 1868. Passed his B. A. examination from the Bombay University with Persian, Avesta, and Pahlavi

as his second languages and obtained prizes from Mulla Phiroz Madressa. He is well acquainted with seven languages, namely, Gujarati, English, Persian, Avesta, Pahlavi, French, and German. He translated Dr. Wilhelm's "History of the Parthians" from German into English.

Attended the Congress of the History of Religions at Basil in 1904 as a delegate and read a paper on Ahura-Mazda. At Washington, he had the honour of being introduced to the then great President Roosevelt.

Address—Wadia's Fire Temple, Chira Bazar, Girgaum, Bombay.

Date, Ganesh Manohar, Landlord and Agriculturist, Baramati, District Poona. Born on 23rd July, 1883. Educated at New English School, Poona, and Fergusson College, Poona. Married in 1905 with Saraswatibai, daughter of Gopal Balkrishna Karye of Poona (seven sons and three daughters). In 1903 he entered agricultural business and developed it to so great an extent that he has one hundred and ten acres of sugarcane plantation and fruits at Phaltan and twenty-five acres on Nira Right Bank Canal. (Grapes, oranges, guavas and sour limes also are grown in his orchards.)

Address—Baramati, Dist. Poona.

Date, Narayan Manohar, Retired District Inspector of Land Records and President, Baramati Municipality, Baramati, District Poona. Born in 1861 at Baramati. Educated at New English School, Poona. Married in 1876 with Miss Laxmibai, daughter of late Dr. Ganpatrao Athavale of Poona. (Two sons and one daughter—eldest son, Moreswar N. Date, B.A., LL. B., Pleader, Baramati; second son, Gajanan N. Date, electric operator, Lonavla Power House. His grandson, Kumar Madhukar Chintaman Date is an Air Pilot (B. License) of twenty-two years of age.) Entered Government Service in Revenue Department in 1883 and passed half of his services in the Land Records Department; retired in April, 1917, after serving in Khandesh and Poona Districts; President Baramati Taluka Local Board, 1921-1924; a Member, District Local Board, 1921-1924; a nominated Municipal Member, 1927-30; an elected Municipal Member since 1933 and has been elected President of the Baramati Municipality in November 1933; was President, Agricultural Association, Baramati, and Chairman, Municipal Managing Committee, for some time; has been a village Munsiff; was awarded a certificate for meritorious services on the occasion of the Delhi Durbar in 1911.

Address—Baramati, Dist. Poona.

Dave, Keshavlal Trimbaklal, Zamindar and Vice-Chairman of Committee of Management, Broach Borough Municipality. Born in 1889; educated at K. S. Dalal High School, Broach. Married second time to Bai Bhanumati, daughter of late Manilal Purnashottam Bhatt (two sons and five daughters; eldest son, Ishvarlal, is helping him in his agricultural business). Has been in Municipality for six years (twice elected and twice nominated); nominated to District Local Board 1919, and continued for nine years; Member, Taluka Local Board, for nine years; Member, Ferry Boat Committee and Sanitary Association, and Member of Red Cross Society; a Director of District Co-operative Bank, Broach, for seven years and was Director of Land Mortgage Bank, Broach; nominated to Broach Municipality in 1934; his eldest son, Ishwarlal was nominated to Ankleshwar Taluka Local Board in 1934.

Address—Opp. Khedawals Wadi, Broach (Guzarat).

Dave, Raj Ratna, Keshavlal Tribhuwandas, L. M. & S., Chief Medical Officer, Limbdi State. Born 1st July, 1882. Educated at Daji Raj High School, Wadhwan, and Grant Medical College, Bombay. Married in 1893 with Miss Lalitagouri, daughter of Chhaganlal Deokrishna Raval of Limbdi (one daughter, married to Mr. D. V. Vyas, L.C.S., M.A., (Cantab.) J.P., District and Session Judge, Kaira). Passed Matric 1899; L. M. & S., 1910; joined Limbdi State Service as Chief Medical Officer, Limbdi State; a Member of the Managing Committee, Limbdi Municipality, and Physician to the Royal family, Limbdi. He is Managing Trustee of Miss Elizabeth Sharpe Charities Fund, Secretary, Red Cross Society and St. John Ambulance, and President, Juvant Singhji Brahmin Vidyarthibhawan, Limbdi. He was awarded the distinction of "Raj Ratna" on the auspicious occasion of the Silver Jubilee Celebrations of H. H. the Thakore Saheb of Limbdi on the 10th April, 1935. Address—Limbdi, Kathiawar.

David, Meyer Isaac, J. P., Honorary Presidency Magistrate and Director, I. David & Co., Ltd., and International Remedies Co., Bombay. Born on 26th December, 1900. Educated at John Connon High School and Elphinstone College, Bombay. Married on 8th March, 1927, to Miss Doris Nissim, and has two sons. Organized the Citizen's Conciliation Committee in Bombay and Poona, and the Welfare of India League; started the Goodwill Movement to bring about a better understanding between Indians and Europeans and organized under the non-de-plume of "Santa

Glaus," the non-official Europeans' Ballot on the question of Dominions Status which demonstrated that Europeans in India were not against Indian aspirations. Formulated a Scholarship Scheme for the higher education of untouchables, which was adopted.

Address—4, Queens Road, Fort, Bombay.

Dawood Hajee Nassur, J. P., Hon. Presidency Magistrate and senior partner of Messrs. Nassur Hajee Mowjee & Co., Bombay. Born in 1890. Educated at the New High School, Bombay. Mr. Dawood went to Japan in 1920 and opened office at Kobe. Formerly the firm was doing business of piece-goods and grains between Bombay, Africa, and Aden only. Since 1929 Mr. Dawood extended the business of import in Bombay of silk, cotton piece-goods, hosiery, glassware, tiles, tyres, etc; created J. P., in 1933; appointed Hon. Presy. Magistrate, 1934; was Secretary of the British India Colonial Merchants' Association; a member of the Managing Committee of the Silk Merchants' Association, Bombay, and a trustee of several charities.

Address—Nassur Building, Mahomedali Road, Bombay.

Deane, Major-General Sir Dennis, C. B., D. S. O., K. C. I. E., Indian Army Commander, Burma District, since 1932; born in 1874; director of Demobilisation, India, 1919-1920; Military Secretary, Army Headquarters, India, 1930-32; Major-General, 1927.

Address—Burma Dist., Burma.

De, Birendra Nath, C. I. E., I. C. S., Dewan Sangli State, since 1937. Born on March 27, 1882, he was educated at Cambridge and joined in 1906 the Civil Service as Assistant Commissioner in U. P. Later, in 1925, he was transferred to the C. P. where he served as Deputy Commissioner and Revenue Secretary. In 1927 he was Financial Secretary to the C. P. Government and in 1928 he served as Commissioner. He was awarded the C. I. E. in 1931. He retired in 1933.

Address—Sangli, S. M. C.

Desai, Motilal Chhotalal, B. A., LL.B., Retired High Court Judge, Baroda, and President, Baroda City Municipality. Born on 21st October, 1873. Educated at Baroda High School, Baroda College, and Law College, Bombay. Married in 1893, Miss Narbadabai, daughter of Kalidas Kevaldas of Ahmedabad. Practised in Ahmedabad District Judge's Court for two years and later on joined Baroda

State service in 1901 as Munsiff. After serving in different capacities, he became District and Session Judge, Poona High Court Judge, 1926, and became High Court Judge, 1927; awarded Gold Medal of Raj Ratna Order, 1924; President of the Municipality since 1934.

Address—Palace Road, Baroda.

Desai Morarji Ranchhodji, has had a brilliant academic career. He was one of the earliest to hold a commission in the University Corps of the Indian Defence Force; has considerable administrative experience, having been a member of the provincial service as Deputy Collector. When the Civil Disobedience Movement was started in 1930, he resigned his post as Personal Assistant to the Collector of Ahmedabad and joined the ranks of the civil resisters. He was sentenced to four months' imprisonment but that conviction was subsequently quashed. In 1932 he was sentenced to two years' imprisonment, and again in 1933 to another term of two years. He is a secretary of the Gujarat Provincial Congress Committee. He is forty years of age. Elected to the Bombay Legislative Assembly in 1937.

Address—Ahmedabad.

Deshmukh, Kashinath Haribhau, M. A., LL.B., Landlord and Sub-Government Pleader, Kopergaon and Rahuri District, Ahmednagar. Born 12th November, 1906. Educated at Petit High School, Sangamner, and Deccan College, Poona. Commenced practice at Kopergaon, 1930; Ex-President Kopergaon Village Panchayat; Chairman, Dispensary Committee; nominated to Taluka Local Board from 1931; founded the Chhatrapati Education Society, Sangamner; also a Member, District Village Improvement Committee; appointed Sub-Government Pleader and commands a lucrative practice, both civil and criminal.

Address—Kopergaon, District Ahmednagar.

Deshmukh, Ramrao Madhavrao, was born in 1892 and was educated at Cambridge. A lawyer, he practiced at Amraoti and at Nagpur. He was elected to the C. P. Legislative Council in 1920, and again in 1923 as a Swarajist. He resigned from the Council two years later, and was returned to the Legislative Assembly in 1926. Later, he returned to provincial politics as a Responsivist and was Minister to the C. P. Government in 1927. Twice he resigned his Ministership, the second time in 1930, when the Barar Responsivist Party joined the Forest Satyagraha movement. He lost his seat in the 1930 elections owing to Congress opposition. For the next few years

he threw in his lot with the Democratic Swaraj Party. He gave evidence before the Joint Parliamentary Committee as a delegate on behalf of the Berar All-Party Committee; returned to the orthodox Congress fold in 1934; elected to the C. P. Legislative Assembly in 1937.

Address—Amraoti.

Deshpande, Anant Balkrishna. B. A. B.T., Teacher, Model High School, Kolhapur. Born on 14th September, 1894, he was educated at Rajaram High School, Rajaram College, and Training College, Kolhapur. Married in 1916 Miss Tungabai, daughter of V. D. Ruikar of Rui, Kagal Jahagir. Joined Rajaram High School from 1918-28 and later on was a teacher in the Training College; Headmaster at Kagul High School and also was Educational Inspector, Kagul, in 1923; appointed Senior Tutor at Sardar High School, Kolhapur, in 1934; joined the Model High School from where he was deputed for training at Shree Maharani Turabai Training College for Teachers, Kolhapur, in 1935, when he passed his B.T.

Address—Shahupuri, Kolhapur.

Deshpande, Rao Bahadur Madhao Rao Ganesh. C.B.E.; Chairman, The Nagpur Pioneer Insurance Co., Ltd., Nagpur. Born in 1874; educated at Nagpur. Was M.L.C., C.P., for over six years; managed the Nagpur Co-operative Central Bank, Ltd., Nagpur, 1911-20; Chairman, the Provincial Co-operative Bank, Ltd., C.P., since 1920; member of the Faculty of Agriculture, since 1931.

Address—Nagpur, C.P.

Deshpande, Vasudev Lakshman. M.B., B.S., BHy., Medical Officer in charge of the Infectious Diseases Hospital, Poona. Born on 2nd February, 1897, at Dhulia, West Khandesh. Educated at the New English School, the Deccan College, Poona, and the Grant Medical College, Bombay. Married on 8th September, 1923, Shantabai, daughter of Mr. T. G. Kalo, of Poona.

Address—Kharas Villa, 8, Kennedy Road, Poona.

Deshpande, Sardar, Vinayekrao Narsingrao alias Bapusaheb. Inamdar of Budihal, is a Jahagirdar of the Kurundwad (Snr.) State and also of the British Government. Born on the 12th May, 1898. Educated at Benyon Smith High School, Belgaum, and New English High School, Poona. Married

in 1925 (second marriage) with Miss Sitabai Sahob, sister of the present Shrimant Sardar Swami Maharaj of Chaphal, and has two sons and two daughters. He was invested with the powers of an Honorary Magistrate of the Kurundwad (Snr.) State at Angol. His name was enlisted in the list of Sardars in the Deccan by the Government of Bombay in the year 1928. He was appointed as an Hon. Magistrate in 1932 at Belgaum. He was awarded with an Afrinama in connection with the Silver Jubilee of Their Majesties.

Address—Konwal, Belgaum.

Deshpande, Yeshwant Vinayak. Retired Superintendent, Public Debt Office, Imperial Bank of India, Bombay. Born in March, 1880. Educated at Akola Government High School and Fergusson College, Poona. Married in 1894 with Miss Annapurnabai, daughter of S. A. Palshikar, retired Deputy Collector of Nasik (three daughters). Joined the late Bank of Bombay as weigher and was appointed Shroff at Surat, 1907, and worked in that capacity at Sholapur and Amraoti; transferred to Bombay as a probationer in Public Debt Office in 1918. He was appointed to act as Superintendent Public Debt Office in January, 1924; confirmed in 1925; retired from service on 7th August, 1930; presented by the Bank's P. D. O. staff with a valedictory address in a silver casket and a gold watch and chain.

Address—Jalgaon, District East Khandesh, (G. I. P. Ry.)

Dhanawade, Dattajirao Ramchandra. M.B., B.S., Chief Medical Officer and Durbar Surgeon, Kolhapur. Born in February, 1896; educated at Rajaram College, Kolhapur; and Grant Medical College, Bombay. Asst. Surgeon, Indore State, in 1923, and after a service of three years in the same State he joined Kolhapur State Service as Asst. Durbar Surgeon on 1st December, 1925, and became Chief Medical Officer in 1926.

Address—Kolhapur.

Dharkar, Narayen Martand. Salt Merchant, Landholder and President, Pen Municipality and Taluka Local Board. Born in 1899, he was educated at Elphinstone High School, Bombay. Married Miss Prabhavati, daughter of Ramchandra Martand Gupte of Akola; has two sons and three daughters. Elected to Municipality in 1922; elected President of the Pen Municipality in 1925, being the youngest member, and has been acting in that capacity till now. He was elected to Taluka

Local Board in 1926 and became its President since 1933. He is also member of the District Local Board and its School Boards.

Address—Pen, Kolaba District.

Dias, Dr. Antonio, M.D., M.S. (Lisbon-Portugal), Director and Surgeon of the Hospicio Hospital and Superintendent of the Sanatorium S. Jose, Margao, (Goa). Born on 23rd October, 1898. Educated at Lisbon. Married on 23rd October, 1933, with Miss Mary Lobo, daughter of Mr. John Lobo, L.C.E., retired Executive Engineer P. W. D., Poona. Appointed Public Health Officer at Lisbon, 1925. House Surgeon in Santa Casa de Misericordia Hospital at Ribandar (Goa), 1926-1930, during which period he was Professor at the Medical School, Pangim. Appointed Director and Surgeon of Hospicio Hospital, Margao, in 1930.

Address—Margao, (Goa).

Dubey, Bhodram, was born in 1894 in Sambalpur, and was educated in the Ravenshaw College, and Calcutta University, and passed the law examination from the University Law College. He has been practising at Sambalpur since 1922 and is a leading member of the Bar. He has had long experience in local self-government. Elected to the Orissa Legislative Assembly in 1937.

Address—Cuttack.

Eapen, Dr. C. T., M.A., B.Sc., Ph.D. (New York); Founder and Principal, Residential High School, Sasthamcottah, Travancore. Born in 1897; was a Fellow of the New York University.

Address—Sasthamcottah, Adur P. O., Travancore.

Eapen, K. C., B.A., Managing Director, Travancore National Bank, Ltd.; sometime Member, South Indian Railway Advisory Committee; Board Member, Friend-in-Need Society; Vice-President, Trivandrum Y.M.C.A.

Address—o/o Travancore National Bank Ltd., Trivandrum.

Edal Behram, Khan Bahadur Dinshah Jivaji, L.M. & S., F.C.P.S., Medical Practitioner, Surat. Born on 16th September, 1856. Educated at Mission High School, Surat, Grant Medical College, Bombay, and Post-graduate Medical course in West London Medical Hospital. Married in 1889 with Bai Bikhaji, daughter of Hoshangji Dorabji Jagosa of Bombay (five sons and one daughter). Practised at various places and was consulting

physician to several Princes, including Dharampur, Bansda and Sirohi. Founded Lady Willingdon Infirmary, 1st April, 1912. Parvati-bai Leper Infirmary and Lady Wilson Leprosy Clinic at Surat. Elected Municipal Member for thirty-one years. Vice-President for four years. Chairman, Standing Committee; created Khan Bahadur, 1930; helped reconciliation between Bardoli people and Government during Bardoli Satyagraha 1928; worked hard during plague days at Surat, 1898 to 1910; was recipient of King's Coronation Medal in 1911 for services of temperance done to the city.

Address—Nanpura, Surat, B. B. & C. I. Railway.

Edibam, Capt. Jalejar Pestonjee, A.D.C. to H. II. the Maharaja Scindia of Gwalior, Gwalior. Born in 1873. Educated at the Residency School, Indore. Married in 1901 with Miss Nargesbanu, daughter of Hormusjee Driver of Bulsar. His grandfather and father were Assistant, to the Opium Agent at Indore. In April, 1897, Capt. Jalejar entered Gwalior State Service; acted as a household officer and became A. D. C. to late H. H. the Maharaja of Gwalior in 1916. Accompanied the late Maharaja of Gwalior to England for the Royal Coronation in 1911.

Address—7, Empress Road, Gwalior, C.I.

Ektare, Raghunath Balkrishna, Pleader and President, Amalner Borough Municipality.



Born on 6th September 1886. Educated at Amalner, Bhusawal, and Garud High School,

Dhulia. Married in 1923 with Janakibai, (his present wife) daughter of Anant Gajanan Purohit of Sidtek, District Ahmednagar. (Four sons and one daughter.)—oldest son Madhuo is a graduate. Born of poor parents, Mr. Ektaro had to earn his livelihood by serving as a clerk in the Civil Court at Amalner for four years. Passed the District Pleader's examination in 1911; commenced practice at Amalner from April, 1911; was an elected member and Chairman of Amalner Municipality, 1919-22; re-entered Municipality, 1935, and elected its President in March 1937; Member, Managing Committee of Khandesh Education Society for several years; has been President, Amalner Bar Association for the last five years. He was also President of the Taluka Congress Committee for three years.

Address—Post Amalner, District East Khandesh.

Edward, Alfred Heath. Director, P. Orr & Sons, Ltd., Madras; Trustee, Madras Port Trust; Member, Madras Chamber of Commerce.

Address—Riversdale, Harrington Road, Chetput, Madras.

Engineer, the Hon. Mr. Justice N. P., Judge of the High Court, Bombay, since 1936. He began life as a solicitor, and was connected with well-known legal firms in Bombay. Enrolled as an Advocate on the Original Side of the Bombay High Court in 1921.

Address—High Court, Bombay.

Enriquez, Major Colin Metcalfe Dallas is the son of Colonel A. D. Enriquez. He was educated at King's College; entered army, 1903; joined Indian Army (21st Punjab and Burma Rifles), being seconded to the Burma Military Police, 1913; Divisional Recruiting Officer, Burma, 1919-23; served Mohmand Field Force, 1908; retired, in 1928.

Publications: "A Burmese Enchantment;" "A Burmese Loneliness;" "A Burmese Wonderland;" "Races of Burma;" "Ceylon Past and Present," etc.

Club: Junior United Service.

Address—Lone Spur, Mogok, Burma.

Evans-Gwynne, Brig. Alfred Howel, D.S.O. (1918); Commandant Senior Officers' School, Belgum, since 1935. Born in November, 1882; son of late Rev. G.J.F.C. Evans-Gwynne. Educated at Malvern College. Married in 1914 to Phyllis. Commission, R. F. A. from Militia Artillery, 1902; served in India and United Kingdom till 1915: Staff College, 1919.

Club: Army and Navy.

Address—Flagstaff House, Belgum.

Edward-Collins, Col. (tem. Brig.) Charles Edward, C.I.E. 1919; Indian Army, Deputy Director of Supplies and Transport, Army Headquarters, Simla, since 1933; A.D.C. to the King since 1935. Born on 28th May, 1881; son of Edward Charles Edward-Collins, J. P. Educated at Marlborough and R.M.C., Sandhurst. Married in 1907 to Nora Mabel de la Cour, and has two sons and three daughters; transferred to Indian Army, 1909; Bt.-Maj., 1912; Bt.-Lt.-Col., 1924; Colonel, 1928; served S. Africa, 1900-02; European War, 1918.

Address—c/o Army Headquarters, Simla.

Ejaz Rusul Khan, Rajah Sir Mohammad, Kt. (1932), C.S.I. (1924); Taluqdar of Johangirabad, District Bara Banki, U.P. Born on 28th June, 1886; son of Sheikh Fida Rasul Khan Sahib. He was educated at Colvin Taluqdars School, Lucknow. Member U.P. Legislative Council since 1921; Chairman, District Board Bara Banki, 1923-25; Vice-President British Indian Association, Oudh; Member, Court and Executive Committee of Lucknow University; President, Art and Craft School, for six years; Member of the Advisory Board of Court of Wards for about fifteen years; Member of the Managing Committee of the Lucknow Zoological Garden.

Address—Jehangirabad, P. O., Bara Banki District and Johangirabad Palace, Lucknow, U. P.

Ekanayake, Rev. George Benjamin, M.A. (Cantab.), D.D. (Lambeth); Vicar, All-Saints' Church, Hultsdorp, Colombo, and Examining Chaplain to the Bishop of Colombo. Born on 15th February, 1866; son of Modeliar A. De Silva Ekanayake. Educated at St Thomas' College, Colombo; Selwyn College, Cambridge; and Cuddendon Theological College. Was Assistant Curate St. Michael's Church, Colombo; Sinhalese Chaplain, Colombo Cathedral; Chaplain to the Bishop of Colombo; and Divinity Professor, St. Thomas' College.

Address—All-Saints' Vicarage, Hultsdorp, Colombo, Ceylon.

Ellis, Lieu.-Col. Sherman Gordon Venn, C.I.E. (1932), D.S.O. (1917); Minister of Finance, Patiala, since 1936. Born in February, 1880; son of Rev. H. Venn Ellis, Alderton, Suffolk. He was educated at Eastman's, Southsea, and Bedford. Married in 1907 to Beryl Keith, daughter of late Lieut.-Col. John Richardson, I. A., and has one son and one daughter. Joined West India Regiment, 1899; West African Regiment, 1900; Indian Army, 1904; Military Accounts Department, 1906; European War, 1914-19; Military

Accountant-General, India, 1929-35; Financial Expert to the Indian Delegation to the Disarmament Conference at Geneva, 1932.

Address—Patiala.

Ezra, Sir Alwyn, Kt. (1936). F. R. G. S., F.R.S.A., F.R.E.S., F.Z.S., J. P. (1928); is the son of Joseph Elias Ezra, Bombay. Born in 1900. Was Government Nominee on Bombay Municipal Corporation, 1929-32; Bombay Chamber of Commerce Representative on Corporation, 1932-35; Director, Sassoon J. David and Co., Ltd.; Honorary Presidency Magistrate, Bombay, 1931; Honorary Special Magistrate, Mathuran, 1933; Member, Executive Committee, Bombay Natural History Society; Member, Executive Committee Governor's Hospital Fund for Bombay; Fellow, Society of Psychological Research, London, and Member Anthropological Society, Bombay.

Clubs: Royal Societies, Willingdon, Orient, Turf, Bombay.

Address—Esplanade Road, Fort, Bombay.

Ezra, Sir David, Kt. (1927); landed proprietor, Calcutta. Born in 1871, son of Elias David Ezra. Educated at Doveton College, Calcutta. Married in 1912 to Rachel, eldest daughter of late Solomon D. Sassoon.

Clubs: Tollygunge, Jodhpur, Saturday, Calcutta.

Address—3, Kyd Street, Calcutta.

Faroqui, Nawab Sir Mohiuddin, Kt. (1936); Minister in charge of Agriculture, Industries and Public Works, Bengal, 1929. Born in 1891; son of Kazi Rayazuddin Muhammad Faroqui. Educated at Dacca College, Bengal. Married to Quatrina Begum. Was a Commissioner of Comilla Municipality; Member, Dacca University Court; Hon. Magistrate; Member, Governing Body of Comilla College; created Khan Bahadur, 1924; Nawab, 1932.

Address—8, Ripon Street, Calcutta.

Fazal Ellahi Jahahardin, Khan Sahib Haji M., Army & R.A.F., Contractor, First Class Honorary Magistrate and Landlord. Born in 1884, at Peshawar. N.W.F.P. Educated at the Government High School, Peshawar. Founder of the Feroze Anglo-Vernacular School, Drigh Road, (Sind); President Anjuman Musalmanan Punjab Karachi; Vice-President Anjuman Traqqi Urdu, Karachi; Life Member, Young Men's Muslim Association; Member, Port Haj Committee; Member, Sind Old Boys' Association; Member, Muhammadan Committee Sind Madressatul Islam; Member, Karachi Aero Club; Patron, (R.A.F.,

Clerks' Sports Club, Drigh Road, Sind; Trustee R.A.S.C., Mosque, Karachi; Member, Academy High School, Karachi; Director Member Canton Contractors' Syndicate Limited; Founder of Fazal Free Dispensary and Feroza Bagh Graveyard, Karachi.

Address—Drigh Road, (Sind).

Fernandes, Mrs. Leonissa Marceline. Honorary Magistrate, Udipl, District South Canara. Born on 16th January, 1900. Educated at St Anne's High School, Mangalore. Married on 26th April, 1921, to Roque Fernandes, B.A.L.T., Headmaster, Board High School, Udipl. Is a Member of Advisory Committee of Civil Hospital, Udipl, since 1930; took active part in Baby and Health Movements; was Secretary, Ladies' Club at Udipl. Appointed an Honorary Magistrate on 5th May, 1927.

Address—Doris Resthaven, Brahmagiri, Udipl, District South Canara.

Fernandes, P. F. X., General Merchant, Landlord, Vice-President, Taluka Local Board and Chairman, Urban Co-operative Bank Ltd., Sirsi, District North Kanara. Born on 21st November, 1884, at Honavar. Educated at St. Aloysius College, Mangalore. Married on 23rd April, 1914, to Miss Gertie Fernandes. (Two sons and two daughters.) A member, Sirsi Municipality for the last twenty-three years; Honorary Magistrate, 1912-1923; Chairman and Vice-President, Sirsi Municipality for nine years; a member, Taluka Local Board for six years; Chairman, Veterinary Dispensary Committee, Sirsi; Vice-President, Taluka Local Board since 1934; Chairman, Urban Co-operative Bank Ltd., for the last eight years; President, Loyalty League, since 1933; a Director of the Kanara Central Co-operative Bank Ltd., for the last three years.

Address—Sirsi, District North Kanara.

Fernando, Very Rev. Monsignor V.H., Private Chamberlain to His Holiness the Pope; Visar Forane St. Mary's Cathedral, Galle; Councillor, Diocese of Galle; Chancellor of Episcopal Curia; and Manager, St. Vincent's Nursery and Home, Halpatota.

Address—Post Baddegama, Ceylon.

Ferozdin, Miss Khadija, M.A., Principal, New College for Women, Amritsar; was Professor Government College for Women, Lahore.

Address—Amritsar.

Field, Lt.-Col. Donald Moyle, C.I.E. (1935); Chief Minister of Jodhpur State, from 1935. Born in November, 1881. Educated at Tonbridge School, and Sandhurst. Married in 1910, to Gertrude Muriel Hay. Entered service, 1900; Assistant Political Agent in the Kelat Agency, 1914; Under Secretary to Government of India, Foreign and Political Department, 1918; Resident at Udaipur, 1928. Club: Army and Navy.

Address—Jodhpur, Rajputana.

G. Raghunathmull, Banker, Hyderabad Deccan. Born on 9th September, 1898. Educated at Hyderabad Deccan. In 1918 he started exchange business on his own responsibility. Developed banking business on a larger scale in 1918 and purchased in 1932 a big building now occupied by the Imperial Post Office. In 1933 he built his own Bank building. The Raghunathmull Bank transact all kinds of business and are now the agents to Thos. Cook & Son (Bankers) Ltd., American Express Co. Inc., and the Bank of India, Ltd. Though a private bank, it is one of the leading business houses in H.E.I., the Nizam's Dominions. He is Treasurer to the Local S.P.C.A. and Sahookars' Committee. He has built a Dharmasala in memory of his late father at Sojat in Rajputana (native place of his father).

Address—Hyderabad, Deccan.

Gandhi, Dr. Kaikhooshro Ardesheer. M. B. B. S., (Bom) D. P. H. & D. T. M. & H.



(Lond.), Director, Vaccine Institute, Belgaum. Born at Surat on 3rd April, 1892. Educated at Sarvajani High School, Surat, St. Xavier's and Grand Medical Colleges, Bombay. Married in 1925, to Miss Tehmina, daughter of Gwasjee Morwanjee of Poona. (One son and one daughter.) Joined Government Ser-

vice in 1915, as Personal Assistant to Sanitary Commissioner for the Government of Bombay. Aoted twice as Officer in charge, Public Health Laboratory, Poona, 1921-1922; Officer-in-charge, Plague Prevention Inquiry in 1921; promoted as Assistant Director of Public Health, Southern Division, 1924; Assistant D.P.H., Guzerat Division in 1929; again transferred to Belgaum as Assistant D.P.H., 1929-1935.

His services in connection with Guzerat Flood Relief were appreciated by Government in 1927. Awarded the King's Silver Jubilee Medal for approved services. Appointed Director, Vaccine Institute, Belgaum, in 1935.

Address—Vaccine Institute, Thalakhadi, Belgaum.

Gandhi, Mrs. Kasturba, Wife of Mahatma Gandhi, (married at the age of twelve). Took active part in the South African Satyagraha and suffered imprisonment; took active part in the Non-Cooperation Movement, and C.D. Movement, 1930-32; suffered imprisonment several times; has been the Head of the Women's Section of Satyagrahashram.

Address—Satyagrahashram, Wardha, C.P.

Gawsane, Dagadocappa Gurupadappa

B.A., LL.B., Advocate, Sub-Government Pleader and President, Barsi Municipality, Barsi, District Sholapur. Born on 27th August, 1905. Educated at Barsi and Poona in Fergusson and Deccan Colleges. Married in 1921, with Parwalibai, daughter of Mr. Narhari Manu Gangawane of Barsi in 1928. Elected to Barsi Municipality in 1931. Chairman of Managing, Law, Schools Committees, etc. Appointed Sub-Government Pleader in June, 1934. Elected President of Barsi Municipality, September, 1934.

Address—Barsi, District Sholapur.

George, K., Land Revenue and Income tax Commissioner, Travancore State. Born in 1883. Educated at Kottayam and Madras; B.A., first in the Presidency in the First Class, 1903; won the Gunn Gold Medal, The Elizabeth Miller Medal, the Miller Medal and the Ripon Medal, the Christian College Medal and the Jubilee Medal; was Assistant Superintendent in the Madras Accountant-General's Office, 1906; joined Travancore State Service, 1910; Chief Secretary to the Government, 1925.

Address—Trivandrum, Travancore.

Ghezzi, Rev. Fr. C. S. J., Parish Priest, Church of the Holy Name, Wodehouse Road, Bombay; and Administrator of the Archdiocese of Bombay. Born in 1857; educated at Dublin University; was Principal, St. Aloysius College, Mangalore; Principal, St. Vincent's High School Poona; and Prof. of Latin, St. Xavier's College, Bombay.

Address—Wodehouse Road, Bombay.

Ghulamally, Khan Bahadur, N. A.

Education Inspector in Sind. He started life as an assistant teacher in the Government High School in 1905 and three years later he was appointed Headmaster of the State High School, Khairpur. In 1911 he was appointed Assistant Deputy Educational Inspector and later on as Headmaster of the Victoria High School, Khairagarh State. He was again recalled by the Government of Bombay in 1914 and assigned to his former post. He was Principal for the Training College for Men, Hyderabad, for thirteen years and was appointed to his present post in January, 1936. He is a Member of the School Board of the Hyderabad Municipality, and District Scout Commissioner for Hyderabad. He was Secretary and Member of the Mulla Schools Committee appointed by the Government of Bombay to report on Mulla Schools.

Address—Hyderabad, Sind.

Ginde, Gundo Ramchandra, I.C.P.S.,

Landlord, Commission Agent and Cotton Merchant, Bailhongal, Dist. Belgaum. Born in 1878. Educated at Saundatti, Dharwar High School, London Mission School, Belgaum, and B. J. Medical School, Poona. First marriage in 1894. Second marriage in 1908 with Radhabai, daughter of Ganapatrao Kerkar of Kalghatgi, Dist. Dharwar (six sons and three daughters). Started practice as a Medical Practitioner at Bailhongal in 1902. In 1921, he started the Commission Agency and the cotton business. Was a Member of the Bailhongal Municipality for six years and Chairman of its Managing Committee for a year and a half. During his Chairmanship, the Bailhongal Cotton Market Building, a public well, and two other wells for the depressed classes were built. Was a Bench Hon. Magistrate for about two years.

Address—Post Bailhongal, Dist. Belgaum.

Giri, V. V., is one of the foremost labour leaders of India and President of the All-India Railwaymen's Federation. He represented Indian employees at the International Labour Conference at Geneva. In 1931 he was invited to the first Round Table Conference to represent labour interests, but declined to go to London, owing to the Con-

gress decision not to participate in the R.T.C. Educated at Borhampur and Dublin, he became an advocate of the Madras High Court in 1916, and practised for a few years in Ganjam, but most of his time was devoted to a study of labour problems. In 1934, he was elected to the Central Assembly. When the Congress decided to contest the provincial elections he resigned his seat in the Assembly and successfully fought the provincial election against the Justice leader, the Raja of Bobbili, in the latter's own home constituency.

Address—Madras.

Godbole, Ganesh Kondo, B. A., LL. B.,

Pleader, Satara, Sangli, Budhagaon and Jamkhandi. Born on the 1st August, 1889, educated in Sangli, Kolhapur, and Deccan College, Poona. He started legal practice in January, 1921. As a Municipal Councillor of the Sangli Municipality he was its Chairman twice. He represented the Sangli Municipality in the Ryot Sabha for sometime and was also nominated as a member of the Representative Assembly in 1930. He was elected to the Ryot Assembly in 1932 as a sole representative of the Sangli town, and during this period he was the leader of the Opposition in the Assembly. He is the founder of "Vijaya," the first weekly paper in Sangli.

Address—Sangli, S. M. C.

Girme, Ramchandar B h a g w a n t,

M. L. A., Merchant, Sugar-cane planter and Pioneer Irrigator and President, Merchant's Association, Kopergaon District, Ahmednagar. Born in 1907. Educated at Maharashtra Education Society, Poona. Married in 1925. Girmo is Secretary, All-India Mali Education Conference; Ex-President Saswad Mali Sabha and Ex-President, Kopergaon Village Panchayat. He is one of the promoters of the Saswad Mali Sugar Factory, Ltd., Akluj, District Sholapur; elected to the Bombay Legislative Assembly in 1937.

Address—Kopergaon, District Ahmednagar.

Gokal, Khan Bahadur, T. N.,

Retired Judicial Officer, Neemuch Cantonment, and Municipal Councillor, Indore City, (C. I.). Born on 4th November, 1877, at Indore and educated at the St. Xavier and Fort High Schools, Bombay, and the Canadian Mission College, Indore. Served for thirty-two years in the Political and Judicial services of the Central India Administration, including the last fifteen years as Cantt. Magistrate of Sohore and Judicial Officer of Neemuch Cantonment. After retirement, from 4th November, 1932, has re-settled in Indore, where he has been nominated as a Municipal Councillor by the Holkar Government, and as a Member of the

Revising Board of the Central India Agency Jail by the Central India Administration. He is also the Vice-President of the Indore Parsee Anjuman. Awarded a Civil Medal of the Order of the British Empire on 2nd March, 1920, and created Khan Bahadur on 3rd June, 1926.

Address—Sanyogita Ganj, Indore (C. I.)

Gokarn, Vinayak Shankar, B.A., LL.B., Pleader, Karwar. Born in July, 1890. Educated at Karwar High School, and Wilson College, Bombay. Started practice at Karwar in 1914. A member of the Managing Committee of Shamrao Vithal Co-operative Bank Ltd. (Local Branch) for many years; Manager of the Saraswat Rameshwar Temple, Karwar, and also a Member, Managing Committee of Saraswat Poor Boys' Education Fund, Karwar.

Address—Karwar, North Kanara.

Gokhale, Rao Bahadur, Ganesh Hari, B. A., LL.B., Officiating Legal Remembrancer, Legal and Judicial Secretary to C. P. Government and Secretary, C.P. Legislative Council (from August 1934). Born in July 1881, he was educated at Baroda High School and Baroda College. Passed B.A., 1902. Fellow in English in Baroda College, 1903. Married in 1907 with Miss Durgabai, daughter of V. N. Sathaye, B. A., Deputy Collector, Bombay Presidency. Appointed to the Central Provinces Judicial Service, 1906. After working in various capacities Assistant Legal Remembrancer to C. P. Government, 1924. Appointed District and Sessions Judge, Chhindwara, 1933. Created Rao Bahadur in June, 1933.

Address—Nagpur, C. P.

Gole, P. B. M. L. A., was born in 1887, took a degree in law in 1910 and joined the Bar in Akola in 1912. He was Swarajist member of the C. P. Council from 1927 to 1930; was Chairman of the Akola Municipal Committee and of the Central Bank and Bar Association. He was jailed twice during the Civil Disobedience movement. Elected to the C.P. Legislative Assembly in 1937.

Address—Akola, Berar.

Goncalves, Rev. T. S. J., B. A., D. D., Principal, St. Aloysius' College, Mangalore, since 1932. Born in 1880 at Mangalore. Educated at Madras and Mangalore. Prof. of Physics, since 1916.

Address—Mangalore, S. India.

Goncalves Pereira, Carlos Renato Bar-at-law (Lisbon). Judge, Bardez Court



Mapuca (Goa). Born on 2nd May, 1898, at Pangim. Educated at Faculdade de Direito (Lisbon University). Married on 24th September, 1928, with Miss Emma Jacinta de Barreto Colaco (one son and one daughter). Called to the Bar at Lisbon University in 1920. Stood first in the examination of Public Prosecutors, and

was appointed Public Prosecutor at the Court of Bicholim (Goa) 9th November, 1921; promoted to the first class Court as Public Prosecutor at the Court of Pangim on 18th November, 1923; stood first in the Judges' examination, and appointed Judge at Bicholim on 11th May, 1929; transferred to the Court of Quepem (Goa) on 25th May, 1932. Transferred to Bardez Court at Mapuca on 11th May, 1933.

Address—Mapuca (Goa).

Gopala Menon, A., Principal, Maharaja's College of Arts, Trivandrum, Travancore, from July, 1933. Was for many years, Examiner to the Madras University.

Address—Trivandrum, Travancore.

Gopala Reddi, B. Being under thirty years of age, Mr. Gopala Reddi is the youngest member of the Madras Assembly. He was educated at the Shantiniketan of Dr. Rabindranath Tagore, and received a message of congratulation from the poet on his election to Assembly in 1937. He has been described as a man of "deep culture, skilled in the fine arts, and a profound scholar in Telugu." His election to the Assembly was one of the greatest triumphs of the Congress Party; he defeated his kinsman, Mr. B. Ramachandra Reddi, a former President of the Madras Legislature, from the Kavail rural constituency. Three times he was sentenced to imprisonment in connection with the Civil Disobedience Movement.

Address—Madras.

Gopi, Mahableshwar Ganpati, Landlord and Vice President, Gokarn Municipality, Gokarn, Taluka Kumta, District, North Kanara. Born in 1892. Educated at Kumta and Karwar High Schools and Forgysson College, Poona. A member, Gokarn Municipality

for the last eleven years, Vice-President for six years; nominated to Temple Committee for Kunta and Ankola Talukas since 1924; President of the Mahableshwar Temple Building Committee since 1930; a member, District Local Board, 1923-33; elected President, District Local Board, 1926-33; was Chairman Gokarn Co-operative Credit Society for a short time; was an Ex-Officio Member, District Forest Advisory Committee for three years as President D.L.B.

Address—Gokarn, Dist. North Kanara.

Gorey, D. K., Medical Practitioner and House Surgeon, Wadia Hospital, Poona. Born in Bombay in 1884. Educated at Government High School, Sholapur and Miraj Medical School. In 1910 he married Miss Harriet, daughter of Dr. Lazarus of Thana. Joined the London Mission Society, Cuddappa, as Assistant Doctor in 1903; was in charge of the Lepor Asylum, Sholapur, from 1904-05; joined the present appointment in 1906. He has been Hon. Magistrate, since 1926; nominated Member Poona City Municipality since 1920; Member District Local Board since 1930; Member of the Municipal School Board and also on various committees of the Municipality.

Address—Wadia Hospital, Poona City.

Gregorius, The Most Rev. Mar., Metropolitan of the Kottayam Archdiocese, Travancore. Belongs to an old and respectable Jacobite Family—Ezhamattom. Born in 1060 M.E. at Pampady, near Kottayam. Educated at Kottayam. He had his religious studies under the late Mar Dionysius, the Metropolitan of Malankara. Ordained Priest in 1906; consecrated as the Metropolitan in 1104 M.E.; he has under him not less than forty churches; his Diara in memory of His Grace Mar Kuriakose is situated on a hill at Pampady.

Address—Pampadi, Kottayam P.O., Travancore.

Guha, Praphulla Chandra, M.Sc., F.R.S., D.Sc., F.C.S., F.N.I.; Professor of Organic Chemistry, Indian Institute of Science Bangalore. Born in 1891; educated at Calcutta; married in 1911, to Nalini Bala; was Lecturer-Demonstrator in University College of Science, Calcutta, 1920-21; Lecturer in Chemistry, Decca University, 1921-24 and as reader, 1925-28; joined Indian Institute of Science, Bangalore, 1928; President, Chemistry Section, Indian Science Congress, Indore, 1936; is Fellow, National Institute of Science, India.

Address—Bangalore.

Gupte, Yeshvant Shankar, B.A., LL.B., Pleader and Sub-Government Pleader, Am-



alner, District East Khandesh. Born on 3rd June, 1890, at Bassoin in Thana District. Educated at B.J. High School, Thana, and Deccan College, Poona. (A College Scholar and Mahajani Prizeman for Sanskrit at the Deccan College.) Second marriage in 1922 with Anandibai, daughter of Ramchandra Ganesh

Dighe, Postmaster, Nasik (two sons and four daughters). His father, late Shankar alias Kodarnath Gupte, came to Amalner from Bassoin in Thana District and practised as a pleader for twenty-three years. A prominent lawyer, Mr. Kodarnath was Chairman, Municipal School Board for three years and a Member of the Managing Committee of the Khandesh Education Society. He died in 1926, leaving behind him four sons.—(1) Y. S. Gupte, subject of this sketch; (2) Captain P. S. Gupte, Medical Practitioner at Nasik; (3) D. S. Gupte, Pleader, Jalgaon; and (4) G. S. Gupte, Advocate, High Court, Bombay. Mr. Y. S. Gupte passed Matric in 1908; B.A. 1912; LL.B. 1916; commenced practice at Thana in 1916; at Amalner under his father, 1916; Sub-Government Pleader, 1926; also a fellow of Khandesh Education Society.

Address—Post Amalner, Dist. East Khandesh.

Guha-Thakurta, Suresh Chandra, M.A., B.C.S.; Additional Deputy Director of Public Information, Government of India, since May, 1936. Born on 8th October, 1901; educated at Brojomohan College, Barisal and Presidency College, Calcutta; entered Bengal Civil Service, 1925; was First Class Magistrate, District Census Officer, Barga, 1921; Special Officer, Finance, Commerce and Marine Department, Government of Bengal, 1932-33; Assistant Press Officer, Government of Bengal, 1934-36.

Address—Simla and New Delhi.

Guyomar, Rt. Rev. John Alfred, D.D., O.M.I.; Bishop of Jafna since 1924. Born on 14th October, 1884; son of John Guyomar and Marie Coupe. Educated at St. Martin, Rennes; and Grand Seminaire, St. Briac. Scholasticate of Liege; Cambridge University, 1910, B.A. Sent to Ceylon, 1914; Professor of Classics, St. Patrick's College till 1921; Rector, St. Patrick's, 1921-24.

Address—Bishop's House, Jafna, Ceylon.

Haji Mahomed Jooma Janmahomed, B.A., President, Ismailia Co-operative Bank, Landlord, Corporator, and Certified share-broker, Bombay, and Proprietor, Eastern Commercial Agency, Bombay. Born on 20th November, 1894. Educated at Esplanade High School, Elphinstone and Deccan Colleges, Bombay and Poona. Married on 4th February, 1921; to Miss Khairunnisa, daughter of Randeally Jaffer and granddaughter of Kamadia Virji of Bombay. (Three sons and two daughters.) Organized and started the Ismailia Co-operative Credit Society in 1930; (which was later developed into a Bank) of which he has been the President since its inception; Vice-president, Girgaon Co-operative Institute; appointed an Arbitrator for Co-operative Societies by the Govt. in 1934, being the first Muslim to be appointed in this capacity; also an Agent for the Eagle, Star, and British Dominions Insurance Co. Ltd., the National Mutual Life Association of Australasia Ltd., and the Vulcan Insurance Co. Ltd; started Eastern Commercial Agency in 1925. Elected to the Bombay Corporation from "B" ward in 1935.

Home Address—Villa Susama, 81, (B) Hill Road, Bandra.

Office Address—5 A, Hamam St., Fort, Bombay.

Haldipurkar, Subrao Ramchandra, M.L.C. Forest Contractor and President, District Congress Committee, Karwar. Born on 26th, January, 1887. Educated at Karwar High School, took an active part in the Non-Co-operation Movement and was Vice-President, Taluka Congress Committee, 1920-1924; President, Taluka Congress Committee for several years. In 1930, he was sentenced to one year's rigorous imprisonment during the C. D. movement and was released as a result of Gandhi-Irwin Pact; an elected member, District Local Board, in 1926; Chairman, Supervising Council of Karwar Urban Co-operative Bank and a member, Taluka Development Association; a Director of Kanara Industrial and Banking Syndicate, Udupi; a Vice-President, Karnatak Provincial Congress Committee; Secretary, Kanara Farmer's Relief Committee; was a member, All-India Congress Committee; elected to the Bombay Legislative Council in 1937.

Address—Karwar, North Kanara.

Hampannavar, Raosaheb Basaprabhappa Shivalingappa, Landlord, Merchant and President, Saundatti-Yellama Municipality, Saundatti, District Belgaum. Born on 28th August, 1884. Educated at Saundatti. Has six sons and three daughters. A nominated member of the Taluka Local Board and of the Municipality, 1916-1919;

first non-official elected President of the Saundatti-Yellama Municipality for the last fourteen years; Vice-President of the Boy Scouts' Association, Taluka Parasagad and Chairman Taluka Safety Committee; and also Chairman of the Pilgrim Committee of Shri Yellama since 1933; President Taluka Development Association, Parasagad; Director of Belgaum Central Co-operative Bank, Ltd. Saundatti Branch; member of the Belgaum District Executive Committee for Village Improvement and of the After Care Society, Dist. Belgaum. Raosaheb Hampannavar was presented with congratulatory addresses by the Board of Co-operative Societies at Yekundi and by the public of Parasagad Taluka when he was created Raosaheb on 3rd January, 1931.

Address—Post Saundatti, Taluka Parasagad, Dist. Belgaum.

Harihar Shivlingappa, B.A., LL.B., Pleader and Vice-President Sagar Municipality, Dist. Shimoga (Mysore State). Born on 24th November, 1908, at Shikarpur (Mysore State). Educated at Shimoga High School, Central College, Bangalore, and Law College, Poona. Married in June, 1926; with Miss Halamma, daughter of Solabanna Shetti of Sagar, (three daughters). Commenced practice at Sagar in 1930; Vice-President, Sagar Municipality since July, 1934; a Director of Sagar Town Ganapati Co-operative Society Ltd., for the last two years, and a Director of Mysore State Land Mortgage Bank at Sagar.

Address—Sagar, Dist. Shimoga, Mysore State.

Haval, Shripad Balvant, B.A., LL.B., Pleader, and also Member of the Kolhapur Municipality. Born in 1906 and educated at Rajaram High School, Rajaram College, Kolhapur, and Law College, Poona. Married, in 1922, Miss Sonubai, daughter of Dhondshet Krishna Dhekne of Malkapur, Vishalgad Jahagir, and has two sons. Started practice at Kolhapur since 1932; he was elected to the Kolhapur Municipality in 1932 and was Chairman of its Managing Committee in 1934. He is the President of the Shri Krishna Co-operative Society and is a member of the Board of the Namdeo Samaj Unnati Parishad.

Address—Shukrawar Peth, Kolhapur City.

Hegde, Mahabal Shankar, M.A., LL.B., Born on 27th May, 1906. Educated at St. Thomas High School, Honavar, Wilson College, Bombay, and Karnatak College, Dharwar. Married in 1932, with Miss Mahadevi, daughter of Davarbhatt of Navilgon, Taluka Honavar. Was a Daxina Fellow, Karnatak College, Dharwar, in 1926. Commenced practice at Honavar in March, 1929; an elected Chair.

man, Havik Co-operative Bank Ltd., Honavar, since 1931; Chairman, Honavar Municipality since 1934; a member of managing Committee, District Co-operative Institute, Kumta and Taluka Supervising Union, Honavar. Appointed Sub-Judge, in 1937.

Address—Satana, Dist. Nasik.

Hoskote, Raosaheb Ganapat

Annappaya, Retired Superintendent of Accounts Locomotive Department M. & S. M. Railway and President Co-operative Town Bank Ltd., Coondapur, Dist. South Canara. Born on 15th September, 1868. Educated at Kumta and Karwar Government High School. Married on 21st April, 1891, with Miss Annabai, daughter of Nagesh Rao Shirali, Sub-Registrar, and has three sons and four daughters. Started life as a clerk in the W. I. P. Railway and later on was appointed Head Clerk in charge of Workshop Accounts in M. & S. M. Railway. His promotions were rapid and officers after officers so appreciated his skill and ability that in 1898 he was raised to the position of Assistant Accountant. In 1911, he was appointed Chief Accountant of the Loco Department. In 1921 he was promoted as Superintendent of Accounts, a post specially created for him, and was made Rao Sahab on 1st January, 1923. When he retired from service on 16th September, 1923, he was presented with a souvenir by the European officers, and a silver watch and golden chain by the office staff.

Address—Coondapur, South Canara.

Hulkund, Gangappa Golappa, B. A., L.L. B., Sub-Government Pleader, Athni, Dist.



Belgaum. Born on 1st July, 1899. Educated at Rabbkavi, A. V. School, Athni Lamington High School, Hubli, Karnatak College, Dharwar, and Willingdon College, Sangli. Married Gurava, daughter of Sangappa Kuchnur of Rabbkavi (one son). A son of a rich sari merchant of Rabbkavi, Mr.

Hulkund is a great sport and was a champion in running races during college days. Commenced practice at Athni in December, 1925; appointed Sub-Government Pleader in 1931; was a Director of Urban Co-operative Bank Ltd. Athni, 1932-34; a member of Shree Murgendra Swami Faro Committee, 1929-34;

also a life-member of K. L. E. Association, Dharwar, and Secretary, Belgaum Dist. Karnatak Sahitya Sammelan in 1934.

Address—Athni, Dist. Belgaum.

Huilgol, Raosaheb Chayappa

Santamappa, Landlord, Ex-ice Contractor and Hon. Magistrate, Belgaum. Born in 1890, educated at Sardar's High School, Belgaum. Married, in 1906, Miss Kamalabai, daughter of Fakirappa Narendra of Dharwar and has six sons and two daughters. After finishing his educational career, Raosaheb joined his father's business. He has been an Hon. Magistrate for the last eighteen years; nominated Member, Taluka Local Board, for six years. Chairman, Silver Jubilee Luckey bag committee, Belgaum. Received two Afirnamas for good services rendered to the Government. He was made Raosaheb in 1935.

Address—Belgaum.

Huq, A. Fazlul, M.L.A., Premier, Bengal Government since 1937; is one of the Leaders of the Praja Party in Bengal. He was a Delegate to Round Table Conference; a prominent Member of the Indian National Congress, and All-India Muslim League; elected to Bengal Legislative Assembly, 1937.

Address—Calcutta.

Husain, Syed Abid, M.A., Ph. D. (Berlin); Professor, National Muslim University, Dohli. Born in July, 1899; educated at Allahabad and Berlin; appointed as Prof. National Muslim Univ. 1925; elected Secretary, Urdu Academy, Delhi, 1927; Editor, "The Jamia," Urdu Journal, 1929; Member, Muslim Univ. Court, since 1933.

Publications: "Pardai-Ghaslat," 1926; a translation of Spranger's "Psychology of Youth," 1928; translation of "Nation's Voice," 1933; etc.

Address—National Muslim University, (Karolbagh, New Delhi.)

Hensman, Mrs. H. S., M.A., Principal of the Maharani's College, Mysore; for some time Principal, the Women's Intermediate College, Bangalore.

Address—Mysore.

Ibrahim, Hafiz Mohammed, M. L. A., comes of a respected family at Nagina, Bijnor Dist., U.P. He had been in the U.P. Legislative Council for twelve years, where he was an Independent, but generally voted with the opposition on important matters. He is a

member of the Court of the Muslim University, Aligarh. He is about fifty years of age and universally regarded as a man of progressive views. Elected to the U.P. Assembly in 1937.

Address—Lucknow, U.P.

Jadhav, Laxman Ramchandra,
Jeweller, Landlord and Municipal Councillor,



Belgaum. Born in 1898. Educated at Kirlskarwadi. He has three sons and five daughters. A son of a mason, Mr. Laxmanrao started life in the humble capacity in Kirlskar Bros., Ltd., as an apprentice at Rs. 4 per month and later was promoted to Rs. 10 per month. Subsequently he was appointed as foreman, on Rs. 45 per month. He then came to Belgaum and worked as a moulder and fitter in Khanapur Distillery, in 1922. He joined Cooper's Engineering Works at Satara Road, when it was started. Later joined Belapur Sugar Co., Ltd., for two years as a fitter and general mechanic. "God helps those who help themselves" is a great proverb in which he believed fully, and as a result of which he obtained a prize of Rs. 80,000 from Goa Lottery. He then started a jewellery shop at Belgaum on 1st January, 1934. He gained confidence in public, and began taking interest in public activities. He was elected to Belgaum Municipality in October, 1935, and became a member, standing Committee and Sanitary Committee. He is a man of many

interests and has extended his help to many charitable appeals. He has also donated a sum of Rs. 200 to Belapur School.

Address—Ganapat Galli, Belgaum.

Jachak, Raosaheb Sopanrao Tuka-
ram, Landlord and President, Baramati Taluka Local Board, Baramati, District Poona. Born in 1882. Educated at Rajgaon. (Three sons and three daughters.) His various public activities are: Vice-President, Taluka Development Association for the last ten years; President, Taluka Local Board since 1933 and President, Baramati Municipality, 1930-32; nominated Member, Baramati Municipality and Taluka Local Board for the last six years; a Member, District Local Board, for seven years; President, Baramati Branch of the Central Co-operative Bank, for the last six years and of the Co-operative Sales Society for the last six years. Vice-President, Co-operative Union, and a Director of the Land Mortgage Bank, Poona, since 1935; created Raosaheb on first January, 1935; also awarded a Silver Jubilee Afrinama; President of the Development Association, Taluka Indapur, January, 1936; Member of the District Committee of Village Uplift and was instrumental in the opening of the cotton market at Baramati; Member of Seva Sadan Baramati branch.

Address—Baramati, Dist. Poona.

Jakati, Prabhu Channbassappa,
Landlord, Member of Provincial Congress Committee, District Congress Committee and District Harijan Seva Sangh. Born in April, 1903, he received his education at Sardar High School, Belgaum, Karnatak College, Dharwar, and Rajaram College, Kolhapur. He belongs to a historic family of Sardars.

Address—Sampagon, District Belgaum.

Jansz, G. E. W., I. S. O., J. P., F. R. E. S.,
Member, Institute of Public Administration, Ceylon; Hon. Treasurer, F. I. N. S. and Secretary, Sri Chandrasakere Trust.

Address—"Rosclou," DeSaram Place, Colombo.

Johnson, Sir John Nesbitt Gordon;
C. S. I. (1926), C. I. F. (1928), I. C. S., Chief Commissioner, Delhi, 1932-36. Born on 25th February, 1885. Educated at Rossall School and Queen's College, Oxford (Senior Scholar). Entered I. C. S. 1909; Under Secretary to Government, United Provinces, 1915-16; Indian Army Reserve of officers, attached 1/3 Gurkhas, 1918-19; Registrar, Allahabad High Court, 1919-24, Deputy Commissioner, Delhi, 1924; offg. Deputy Secretary to the Govern-

ment of India, Industries and Labour Department, 1925; again Deputy Commissioner, Delhi, 1925; officiated as Chief Commissioner, Delhi, March-September, 1928, and April-October, 1930; Knighted in 1937.

Club: East India United Service.

Jethmal, Manmal Lalvani, Landlord and Cotton merchant, Mandal, Taluka



Amalner, Dist. East Khandesh. Born in 1908. Educated at Mandal. Married in 1922, with Pyaribai, daughter of Doulttram Surana of Rahuri, Ahmednagar. Their ancestors have come from Badalu, District Jodhapur to Mandal about one hundred years ago. His father, Manmal Chhotmal Lalvani, died on 7th January, 1927, leaving behind him three sons—(1) Prithwiraj Manmal (2) Mr. Jethmal (3) Chandamal. After education, Jethmal, subject of this life-sketch, entered the family business at the age of twenty-two. Has been a nominated Member, Amalner Borough Municipality, for the last nine years; Vice-President, Amalner Municipality, 1935; nominated Member, Amalner Taluka Local Board, 1931-34; Member, Taluka Development Agricultural Association, for two years. Among his charities in memory of his mother, Kesharbai Lalvani, are Rs. 5000 to Municipal Girls' School at Amalner; Rs. 351 to Victoria Jubilee Library, Amalner; Rs. 1,201 to Silver Jubilee Maternity Home, Amalner (operation theatre); Rs. 1,000 to Civil

Hospital, Jalgaon; Rs. 1,000 to Indian Nurses' quarters, Jalgaon; Rs. 1,500 to Kamalabai Girls' High School, Dhulia, and Rs. 200 to Harijan's Boarding House, Chalisgaon; Rs. 501 to Jain Dharmshala at Shirpur in District West Khandesh.

Address—Post Mandal, Taluka Amalner, District East Khandesh.

Jones, Charles Evan William, C. I. E., 1924; Registrar of the Indian Institute of Science, Bangalore, since July, 1937. Born in 1879; son of David Jones Whitehurst, Glamorganshire. Educated at Elandover; Brasenose College, Oxford (Scholar). Entered Indian Educational service, in 1906; Principal Morris College, Nagpur, 1906-18; Director of Public Instruction, N. W. Frontier Province, 1913, 1915, 1917-21; Director of Public Instruction and Secretary for Education to Government of the Central Provinces 1922-34.

Address—Indian Institute of Science, Bangalore.

Joseph, George, M.A., (1908), L.L.B., (Middle Temple); Advocate, Madras. Joined Satyagraha Movement, 1919; Editor, "Young India" and "Independent," 1920-21; Member, All-India Congress Committee; President All-Travancore Political Conference, 1935.

Address—Madras, S. India.

Joshi, Trimbak Waman, L. M. & S., Private Medical Practitioner Amraoti, Borar. Born on 4th September, 1876, he was educated at Amraoti High School and Grant Medical College, Bombay. Married on 6th February, 1893, with Miss Satyabhamabai, daughter of Ganapatrao Subedar of Paturnandapur, (one son). Commenced practice at Amraoti, 1899; has been a Member, Amraoti Municipality for twelve years; Chairman, Public Health Committee for two years. President Local Medical Association for three years, A Member, Lady Dufferin Hospital Committee, for the last ten years; Member, C. P. and Berar Sanitation Board for three years.

Address—Amraoti, (Borar).

Kaikhusras Sorabjee, Merchant and Railway Contractor, Lahore and Calcutta. Born in June, 1872. Educated at Government College, Lahore. In 1907, he joined Jamsetjee's Sons as a partner, of which he is now the sole proprietor. This is the oldest firm in Punjab established at Ferozepur in 1835. They have branches at Lahore, Sialkot and other places in the Punjab. K. Sorabjee and Sons was started at Lahore in 1909 and at

Calcutta in 1922. Was also Registrar of Parsee marriage in the Punjab, and Delegate of the Parsee Matrimonial Court in the Punjab.

Address—40, Ballygunj, Circular Road, Calcutta.

Kaji, Rao Bahadur Manilal Kashidas B.A., LL.B., Assistant Secretary to the Agent to the Governor-General, Western India States Agency, Rajkot. Born in December, 1881. Educated at Alfred High School, Rajkot and Gujarat College, Ahmedabad. Married in 1899 with Miss Naudgouri, daughter of Tribhuvandas R. Parokh of Ahmedabad. Joined Government service in 1907, as Thandar (Mamlatdar) at Lodhika in Kathiawar; promoted Deputy Political Agent, 1917, and served in Sonagad, 1917-1923, and at Rajkot, 1923-1924; appointed Assistant Secretary to the A.G.G. Western India States since April, 1924; created Rao-sahab 1926, Rao Bahadur 1930; was a nominated Member, Rajkot Civil Station Committee; held temporarily the post of Under-Secretary to the A.G.G., Rajkot, in 1929-1932.

Address—Civil Station, Rajkot, Kathiawar.

Kalkar, Rao Sahab Kashinath Krishna, B.A. (1909); Retired Deputy Collector



and Chief Officer, Borough Municipality, Amalner. Born on 15th August, 1880. Educated at Erandol, Akola High School, and Fergusson College, Poona. First marriage in 1896, and second marriage in 1906, with Laxmibai, daughter of Martand Vinayak Dani of Dhulia. (Five sons—oldest,

Vishvanath, is serving in Praptap Mills, others are taking education). Joined the Revenue Dept. in 1904, at Chandor as a clerk; acted as Mamlatdar at Bhusawal, 1917-18, when he collected War Loan of more than one lakh of rupees; acted as Mamlatdar in Sangola Taluka in Sholapur District, 1918, and at Akola, 1918-1920. Those days were the most difficult for a Mamlatdar owing to the murder of the then Mamlatdar, Peornade, by the infuriated villagers of the Taluka, and the tragedy was unparalleled. Thanks to the tact and sagacity of Rao Sahab Kalkar, normal conditions were soon restored in the Taluka. Was invested with First Class powers; transferred to Rahuri in Ahmednagar District. While at Akola and Rahuri made Cactus-as-fodder,

propaganda successful. After serving at Wai, Sholapur, Nandubor and Dhulia, acted as District Deputy Collector twice and retired in August, 1935. Awarded the King's Silver Jubilee Medal. Created Rao Sahab in June, 1935. Appointed Chief Officer, Amalner Municipality in December, 1935.

Address—Post Amalner, District East Khandesh.

Kaka, Khan Sahab Ardeshir Fakirji, Honorary Magistrate and Manager, Hotel Connemara and Hotel Spencer, Madras. Born in 1870. Educated at New High School, Bombay, and Elphinstone College, Bombay. (One daughter.) Joined the Spencer & Co., Madras, became Manager after thirty-five years service; created Khan Sahab on King's Birthday in 1935; has been a Presidency Honorary Magistrate in the city of Madras from 1928; was a Municipal Councillor at Coonoor, 1920-24; he owns a tea plantation and a fruit garden at Coonoor.

Address—Mount Road, Madras.

Kalle, Ramrao Annappa, M.C.P.S., M. B. B. S., F. R. C. S. (Edin.), Civil Surgeon, Ahmednagar. Born on 12th December, 1889, at Karkal, South Kanara. Educated at Karkal, Kundapur, B. J. Medical School, Poona Decan College, Poona, and Grant Medical College, Bombay. Married in November, 1914, with Miss Sundaribai, daughter of Rao Sahab Bantwal Subrao, retired Customs Superintendent of Kasagod (one son and three daughters). In 1911, passed the Final Sub-Assistant Surgeon's Examination; appointed a tutor, B. J. Medical School, Poona; served at Bagalkot as Sub-Assistant Surgeon; December, 1919, he took temporary Commission in the I. M. S. and served in Egyptian Expeditionary Forces in Palestine till December, 1920; admitted to the Provincial Service as an Assistant Surgeon in April, 1921; served as Medical Officer, Hindalge Central Prison till July, 1924; was in charge of Irrigation Dispensary at Malsiras and Pandit Dispensary at Sirsi till September 1928; passed F.R.C.S. of Royal College of Surgeons, Edinburgh, in June, 1930; after serving at Bassein, Sirsi, Karwar, Malogaon and Bhiwandi, and Satara, he is posted to the present appointment in 1937.

Address—Ahmednagar.

Kali Raja, A.R., F.B.E.E., Ramnad District. Born in 1904; son of Al. Ar. Arunachalam Chottiar, Zamindar of Dovakottai. Educated in Madras. Attended Wombly Exhibition in 1924; Fellow of the British Empire Exhibition, 1924.

Address—"The Palace," Dovakottai, Ramnad District.

Kamat, Shankar Vaman Naik, Commission Agent and Cotton Merchant, and Proprietor of the Saraswati Ginning and Pressing Factory at Bailhongal and of Gawahir Ginning Factory at Gokak. Born in 1900. Educated at Samarth Vidyalaya, Talegaon-Dabhade, and Baroda High School. Married in 1918 with Sushilabai, daughter of Vishram Shankar Ghurya, of Vengurli (two sons and two daughters). He has rendered very valuable services in providing an open market for the cotton growers at Gokak town where the business was conducted on conditions detrimental to the poor cultivators for nearly sixty years. He has also built the Jawahir Ginning Factory, Gokak, in 1932; was President, Taluka Congress Committee at Bailhongal for two years, and was arrested in connection with the C.D. Movement. He was also the captain of Volunteers at the Indian National Congress held at Belgaum in 1924.

Address—Post Bailhongal, Dist. Belgaum.

Kamat, Yeshwant Mahadeo, (Kaiser-i-Hind, third class), B. A., I.L. B., Landlord, Alibag. Born on 11th February, 1884, he was educated at John Elphinstone High School, Alibag, and Wilson College, and Law College, Bombay. He has been Honorary Secretary, Kolaba Maternity and Infant Welfare Association; was a patron of Konkan Education Society; awarded Silver Jubilee Medal in 1935; Kaiser-i-Hind Medal, third class, in 1935. He was an elected member, Bombay Legislative Council for one session in 1930. He is a nominated member of the Alibag Municipality and is also a member of Lady Wilson Maternity Village Association.

Address—Alibag, Kolaba District.

Kantawala, Mohan Hargovinddas, M.A. (Cantab), C.C.S., Bar-at-Law (Gray's Inn); Born on 3rd December, 1890; Ceylon's first Trade Commissioner in India.

Address—Bombay.

Kanungo, Nityananda, was born in 1900 and was educated in the Ravenshaw College, Cuttack, and the Law College in Calcutta. After practising for a short time at Cuttack he joined the Civil Disobedience Movement and was sentenced to six months' jail. His *sanad* was not renewed because he did not comply with the conditions of the High Court after his release. He has been actively connected with the Congress Movement and is the Secretary of the Orissa Congress Parliamentary Party and President of the Cuttack District Congress Committee. Elected to the Orissa Legislative Assembly in 1937.

Address—Cuttack.

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Karale, Rao Saheb Chanbasappa Malappa, Landlord and Merchant, and ex-President, Chickodi Taluka Local Board Eksambe, Taluka Chickodi, District Belgaum. Born in 1886. Primary education at Eksambe. (Two sons—one Malappa, adopted to his late younger brother, Satappa, and second, Bhalchandra). Was a Member, Chickodi Taluka Local Board for fifteen years; President, Taluka Local Board for twelve years till its abolition; a Member, District Local Board and District School Board for the last ten years; Chairman, Sanitary Committee, Eksambe, for twelve years; and at present Sarpanch Grampanchayat of Eksambe; President, Taluka Development Association, for ten years. He is very liberal in views and charitable in disposition.

Address—Post Eksambe, Taluka Chickodi, District Belgaum.

Karki, Parameshwar Ganesh, M. A., LL.B., Pleader and President, Honavar Municipality, Honavar, District North Kanara. Born on 16th October, 1900. Educated at Basel Mission High School, Honavar, Wilson High School and Wilson College, Bombay. Married in 1929 with Miss Ansuyabai, daughter of Mr. M. D. Karki, Ex-M.J.C. of Honavar. (Two sons and one daughter.) Commenced practice at Honavar in February, 1925; has been a Member, Honavar Municipality since 1934; Chairman, Municipality, 1928-29; Chairman, Honavar Havik Co-operative Bank Ltd., 1925-1926; Legal Advisor to St. Anthony's Charitable Institutions; also a Director, Havik Co-operative Bank, Honavar.

Address—Honavar, District North Kanara.

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Indian Industries and Commerce.

Katju, Dr. Kailash Nath, M.L.A., Advocate and Ex-Chairman, Municipal Board, Allahabad. His debut in active politics has been comparatively recent, but he has always been a staunch Nationalist. He has helped several Congress organisations. Has a constructive mind. Elected to the U. P. Assembly as a congress candidate in 1937.

Address—Lucknow, U. P.

Kedari, Raosaheb Vithal Narayan Shet, Toll and Excise contractor, City Municipal Councillor, and Vice-President of the Camp Education Society and Raja Dhanarajgirji High School, Poona. Born in 1889. Educated at Free Church. First marriage in 1905; second marriage in 1920 (three sons and five daughters—oldest son, Narayan is assisting his father in his business). In 1911 he started independently the excise contract business in Poona District, which was later extended to the Districts of Kolaba, Satara and Ahmednagar. He added the toll business in 1923.

A leader of the Hindu Toli Community, Raosaheb Kedari is the permanent President of the Shri Santaji Maharaj Sauntha of Sudumbre, Maval Taluka in Poona District; elected to the Poona City Municipality in 1935; was Secretary and Treasurer, Viceroy's Bihar Fund; a member of the Assessment Committee of the Poona Cantonment Board; and President of the Poona Cantonment Hindu Gymkhana Committee since its inception; also a Member of the local Excise Committee.

His various charities in the cause of education and human suffering have been well appreciated by His Majesty's Government, by the conferment of the title of "Raosaheb" on the New Year's Day in 1936.

Address—Kodari Building, Centre Street, Camp Poona.

Kelu Nedungadi, T. M., M.A., Principal, Brennen College, Tellicherry, from 1926; Member of the Senate, Madras University, and elected Member of the Academic Council.

Address—Tellicherry, N. Malabar.

Keshwain, Sheshgiri Narayan, Managing Director, Urban Co-operative Credit Bank Ltd., Sirsi, District North Kanara. Born on 22nd March, 1889. Educated at Sirsi and Karwar. He is the Senior partner of Messrs. Keshwain and Sons; District Hon. Organizer for Co-operative Societies, 1920-1927; is connected with Sirsi Urban Co-operative Bank Ltd., since its inception in 1913; was its Chairman and now the Managing Director of

the Bank; was President, Sirsi Municipality for a long time; a Director on the Bombay Provincial Co-operative Bank Ltd., on behalf of the Urban Banks; President, Ryot's Association for the up-ghat Talukas in Kanara District for the last five years; Chairman, Sirsi-Siddapur Relief Committee; is one of the trustees of Marikamba Temple at Sirsi; is the Chairman of the District Harijan Board.

Address—Sirsi, District North Kanara.

Kenjale, Haribhau Ramchandra. Born in 1912. Educated at Nutan Marathi Vidyalaya, Poona, and Hindu High School, Panchgani. Was elected to the Poona City Municipality in February 1935; elected President, City Municipality, on third May, 1935; an ex-Officio Trustee of Roay Industrial Museum; and a Trustee of Tarachand Ramnath Ayurvedic Hospital, Poona; presided over the Berar and C. P. Kshatriya Mali Vidyarthi Conference at Amraoti in October, 1935.

Address—Kenjale Building, Laxmi Road, Poona City.

Khadilkar, Shanker Vishnu, Medical Practitioner, and President, Shahpur Municipality (Sangli State). Born in February, 1895. Educated at Beynon Smith High School, Belgaum. Married in 1913 (first marriage) and in 1920 (second marriage), and has one son. Joined the B. J. Medical School for a short time to study medicine; studied Ayurvedic and started independent business in 1916; elected to Shahpur Municipality in 1933, and became its President in the same year. He was a lecturer in the Belgaum Ayurvedic School for some time.

Address—Shahpur, Belgaum.

Khalap, Balkrishna Shambhoo, Merchant and Landlord, Mapuca (Goa). Born on 14th December, 1878. Educated privately at Mapuca. First marriage in 1894; second marriage in 1902 (one son and one daughter). Elected President, Dnyanprasad Mandal since 1933, and Dahajan Association since 1932.

Address—Mapuca (Goa).

Khasgiwale, Sardar Hariharrao Kashinath, Inamdar and Chairman, Bench of Honorary Magistrates (Second Class), Pandharpur, District Sholapur. Born on 16th August, 1881. Educated at the Poona Native Institution. Married in 1896 with Miss Parvatibai, daughter of Bhaskar Vitthal Joshi, Inamdar of Mulgaon, in Kalyan Taluka (one son and four daughters). Was a Member, District Local Board for eight years; Presi-

dout, Taluka Local Board, for five years; now a Member of the Devasthan Committee, Pandharpur and Village Improvement Committee, Sholapur; has been an Hon. Magistrate and Chairman of the Bench of Magistrates, Pandharpur, for twelve years; also President, Chitpavan Saugh, Pandharpur, and Sharada Mahavidyalaya, Pandharpur.

Address—Pandharpur, District Sholapur.

Khan, Fazil Mohammad, M.A., Director of Public Instruction, H.E.H. The Nizam's Government. Born in 1882, he received his education in the Punjab and in England. He went to England as a Government scholar and took his B.A. from Cambridge in 1907; Senior Wrangler; on his return joined the Punjab Educational Department; services lent to the Hyderabad State where he was appointed as the Principal of the City High School. He became Deputy Director of Public Instruction in 1923, and Director in 1928.

Address—Hyderabad, (Deccan)

Khatavkar, Martand Ganesh, Inamdar of Chikhli, District Satara; Pleader and President, Wai Municipality, Wai, District Satara. Born on 17th January, 1880. Educated at Dravid High School, Wai, and New English School, Poona. (One son and four daughters.) Commenced practice at Wai in October, 1907. In 1910 was nominated to Wai Municipality and has been its Member for the last twenty-five years; Vice-President, Taluka Local Board, for some time; a Member, District Local Board, for three years, and of the Governing Body of Dravid High School, Wai; was Chairman, Municipal Managing Committee for nine years and Vice-President, Municipality, for three years; elected President of the Municipality on 2nd April, 1935.

Address—Wai, District Satara.

Khatu, Bhikaji Govind, B.A., LL.B., Pleader. Born in December, 1899. Educated at U. B. School, Chiplun, Wilson High School, and Elphinstone College, Bombay. Second marriage in April, 1933, with Miss Sundarbai, daughter of Govind Kolvankar (two sons and two daughters). Commenced practice at Chiplun; elected to Chiplun Municipality in 1925 and has been its President since then; Chairman, Chiplun Urban Co-operative Bank, Ltd.; a member on the Bombay Provincial Council of Local Self-Government Institute elected by the Konkani group of Municipalities since March, 1935.

Address—Chiplun, District Ratnagiri.

Khumboskar, Anant Bal Krishna, Khargi Karbhari to H. H. the Chhatrapati Maharaja Saheb of Kolhapur, comes of a

very respectable Maharashtra family whose members were always loyal to the Kolhapur Government and hold appointments hereditary. He was educated at Rajaram High School, Kolhapur. He married Miss Laxmibai, daughter of Rao Sahab Jankar, Mamlatdar of Sangli State, and has two daughters. After School career he joined the Kolhapur State Service as Chief Revenue Officer from 1900-10. By intelligence and perseverance he received better recognition of his merits from His Highness and was appointed to the present post in 1918, which he holds till now.

Address—Shahupuri, Kolhapur.

Kidwai, Rafi Ahmed, M.L.A., Zamindar of the Bara Banki District, is one of the staunchest Congress Muslims in the United Province. He was a member of the Central Legislative Assembly, where he was the Whip of the Party and also Secretary to Pandit Motilal Nehru; has actively participated in all the three Congress movements since 1921, and was the President of U. P. Provincial Congress Committee; he is the President of the H. P. Congress Parliamentary Board; elected to the U. P. Assembly in 1937.

Address—Lucknow, U. P.

Kodolikar, Ramkrishna Balwant, District Pleader, Kolhapur. Born in 1888 at Kolhapur. Educated at the private English School, and Rajaram High School, Kolhapur. Started private practice in 1918. He takes much interest in education and is always willing to help its cause. He has three sons of whom the eldest, D. B. Kodolikar, has passed his LL.B. recently.

Address—Mangalwar Peth, Kolhapur.

Kothari, Manilal V., Pleader, Ahmedabad. A staunch disciple of Mahatma Gandhi, gave up practice and joined the Non-Cooperation Movement. His work in connection with Gujarat Vidyapit and the B.B. & C.I. Railway Employers' Association elected praise from all quarters. A man of suave manners, he is liked by all.

Address—Baroda.

Kulkarni, Dhondo Ramchandra alias Bapusaheb, Landlord, Chikodi, District Bolgaun. Born on 18th August, 1907. Educated at Ramchandra Dhondo High School, Chikodi, and Sangli High School. Married in 1924 with Miss Sonubai, granddaughter of late Rao Bahadur Balaji Martand Konjale of Karanji, District Poona (one daughter). Is

a Member of Chikodi Grampanchayat Co-operative Society and Managing Committee, R. D. High School at Chikodi.

Address—Chikodi, District Belgaum.

Kunzru, Pandit Haridayanath, M.C.S. President, Servants of India Society. Joined the Servants of India Society, founded by late G. K. Gokhale, in 1905; was its Vice-President for several years and became its President in 1935. A staunch Liberal, he presided over the All-India Liberal Federation held at Poona, and several provincial Federation Sessions; connected with the U. P. Sevassamiti and was a Member of U. P. Legislative Council for several years.

Address—Servants of India Society, Allahabad.

Ladden, W. W. O.B.E., Mayor of Madras for 1934 and Managing Director, Simpson & Co., Ltd., Madras; Trustee, Madras Port Trust, 1932-34; M.L.C., Madras, 1933.

Address—291, Mount Road, Madras.

Lakshmikutty Amma, V. K., Consort of H. H. the Elaya Raja of Cochin. Born in 1881; educated under Mrs. Regal.

Address—Trippunithura, Cochin.

Lanktree, Charles Joseph Dane, E.D., Bar-at-Law (King's Inn, Ireland), O. C. S., J. P., Captain, Regular Army Reserve of Officers, Ceylon. Born in Nov. 1895.

Address—C/o C.S.O., Colombo.

Latimer, Sir Courtenay, Kt., K.C.I.E. (1935), O. S. I. (1931), C. I. E. (1920), I. C. S.; Agent to the Governor-General in the States of Western India since 1932. Born on 22nd Sept., 1890; son of late Alfred Latimer, Plymouth. Educated at St. Paul's School and Christ Church, Oxford. Married in 1910 to Primrose, daughter of late Sir Robert Aikman, and has two sons. Entered I. C. S., 1908; transferred to Political Dept., 1908; Asst. to A. G. G., Central India, 1908; Census Supt., N. W. F. Province, 1910; Asst. Secretary to Chief Commissioner, N. W. F. P., 1913-17; Deputy Commissioner, Dera Ismail Khan, 1918-21; Deputy-Secretary to the Govt. of India, Foreign and Political Dept., 1923-24; Political Agent, Malakand, 1927; Revenue Commissioner, N. W. F. P., 1929; Resident in Kashmir, 1931.

Address—The Residency, Rajkot, India.

Leech, Arthur John, O. I. E.; M. B. E.; Managing Director of Messrs. T. A. Taylor & Co., Ltd., Madras; Sheriff of Madras, 1931-32.

Address—The "Palms," College Road, Nungambakam, Madras.

Limaye, Krishnaji Ganesh, M.A., I.L.B., Member, Servants of India Society and Editor "Dnyanprakash," Poona. Born on 15th August, 1892. Educated at Pandharpur, Poona, and Bombay. Married in May, 1916, to Miss Subhadra, daughter of late Mr. A. N. Ukidwe of Poona, an author of Marathi books on drama, etc. Joined Servants of India Society 1918; Secretary, Poona District Famine Relief Committee, 1919; Secretary, Deccan Liberal Party, 1920; appointed Editor, "Dnyanprakash" (daily) 1921; a Member, Council of Deccan Sabha, Poona; a Member, Executive Committee, Widow Remarriage Association and Poona Sanitary Association; a member, Governing Body, Vidyaprasarini Sabha and Students' Brotherhood, Poona.

Address—940, Bhamburda, Poona 4.

Limaye, Pandurang Bapooji, B.A., (Tilak University), Dental Surgeon, Sangli. Born on 27th March, 1898. Educated at Sangli High School, Willingdon College, Sangli, and Tilak Mahavidyalaya, Poona. Married in 1923 with Miss Rukminibai, daughter of D. Karlekar of Shahapur, Sangli State; opened independent business as a dentist in 1924; he started a special line in pearls and jewellery under the name and style, "Limaye Moti Bhandar" in 1932.

Address—Sangli, S. M. C.

Longhurst, A.H., Archaeological Commissioner, Archaeological Survey Department, Colombo.

Address—Archaeological Survey Dept., Colombo.

Madhavan, C. O., B.A., B.L., Exercise Commissioner, Travancore. Born in 1909, M. E.; Entered Service, 1936 M. E.; was Commissioner of Devicolum Division.

Address—Trivandrum.

Mammen Mappillai, K. M., Manager, M.G.M. High School, Tiruvalla; Ex-Municipal President, Tiruvalla; was a Member of the Sri Mulani Popular Assembly for several years.

Address—Tiruvalla, Travancore.

Martin, Reginald Victor, Lt.-Col., I. M. S., M. R. C. S. D., M. S. (Lond.); Inspector-General of Prisons, Bombay Presidency. Born on 20th March, 1889. Joined I. M. S. in July, 1913; Col., 1933.

Address—Central Office, Poona.

Manikrao, Prof. Rajratna, Founder, Jumnadada Vyayam Shala (Physical Culture



Institute), Baroda. Born: 21st December, 1878; Celebrated his Golden Jubilee 29th and 30th, December, 1928. In starting and conducting the Jumnadada Vyayam Mandir, in devoting himself at great self-sacrifice to the cause of physical development of young men, in doing public service by his abilities as a reputed bonsetter, Professor Manikrao has made a name for himself not only in Baroda but in the whole of Maharashtra, if not even outside those limits. H. H. the Maharaja Gaekwar of Baroda has presented him with Silver and Gold medals of Raj Ratna for his everlasting work in the field of physical culture and splendid rescue work during floods in 1928. No visitor to Baroda—even royal—fails to visit the institution which is as well the centre of public activities in Baroda. He possesses a very wide and widening circle of disciples who always love and revere him as their Guru. He has inspired hundreds of young boys to the building up of the body and left such a mark on their minds by his spotless character, profound sincerity and nobility of mind that it is not likely to be easily effaced.

Address—Baroda, B. B. & C. I. Railway.

Mason, Lawrence, C. I. E. (1930); O. B. N., M. C.; Conservator of Forests, United Provinces; selected for appointment as Inspector-General of Forests and President of the Forest Research Institute and College at Dohra Dun to succeed Sir Gerald Trevor. Born on 27th August, 1886; son of Herbert W. Mason, J. P. Educated at Charterhouse and Christ Church, Oxford. Married to Margaret Menella, and has one son. Entered I.F.S., 1907; joined in India, 1910, as Asst. Conservator of Forests; Deputy Conservator, 1915; Served European War, 1914-18. Club Liphook Golf.

Address—Naini Tal: Lucknow, U.P.

Mavlankar, Ganesh Vasudeo, B. A., LL.B., President, Ahmedabad Municipality. Born in 1888, he was educated at Ahmedabad. A leading lawyer, he took active part in the N. C. O. Movement; was also Secretary, Gujarat Sabha, 1916; interned at Ratnagiri, for two years during the C. D. Movement of 1932. Elected to the Bombay Legislative Assembly from Ahmedabad city in 1937 and the prospective Speaker of the Bombay Legislative Assembly.

Address—Bhadra, Ahmedabad.

Mehta, Durgashankar Kripashankar was born in 1887; graduated in law in 1908; and joined the Congress in 1921. He was jailed in the "Flag Satyagraha" and the "Forest Satyagraha" movements. He was Chairman of the Seoni Municipality Committee and Chairman of the Seoni District Council for several years. He was Swarajist member of the C. P. Council from 1927 to 1930; was a munsiff for a brief period; he has been a member of the A. I. C. C.; elected to the C. P. Legislative Assembly in 1937.

Address—Nagpur.

Mengusi, Burjorjee Nusserwanjee, retired Contractor, Billimora, (B. B. & C. I. Railway). Born 23rd November, 1866. Educated at Chandanwadi High School, Bombay. Married in 1870 with Manokbai, daughter of Rustumji Limjibhai of Billimora. (Three sons and two daughters). Joined his father's business. The business fell through later on and he became a partner with his uncle, Jamshedjee Hormusjee Mengusi, in the Abkari distillation contract of Navsari District; elected the first non-official Vice-President, Billimora Municipality for nine years; acted as a Conciliator for deciding civil suits up to Rs. 100/- for nine years; President, J. B. Petit Library, Billimora, for the last thirty years; Senior Trustee, Billimora Parsee Anjuman, since 16th July, 1903; a theosophist and a Free Mason of Lodge Hamilton Surat; President of the Billimora Vepari, Mahajan, (Merchants' Association).

Address—Billimora, Baroda State, (B. B. & C. I. Railway.)

Menon, K. Raman, is one of the youngest members of the Cabinet, being only thirty-three. A lawyer by profession, he gave up his practice at Calicut to join the civil disobedience movements and was twice sent to jail. He is the President of the Kerala Provincial Congress Committee and represents the Ponnani rural constituency in the Madras Legislative Assembly. He is known to be a fiery congressman, displaying the zest of youth in every branch of public life; elected to the Madras Legislative Assembly in 1937.

Address—Madras.

Mian Abdul Rab, B.A., 1930, and LL.B., 1932; Pleader, Fazilka. Born 18th July, 1908.



Educated at Government High School, Fazilka, Government College, Ludhiana, Islamia College, Lahore, and Law College, Lahore; married in 1929 and has one son and two daughters; started legal practice at Fazilka in Ferozapore district in 1932. He takes keen interest in the welfare of his community and is manager of the local high school. His father, M. Pir Mohamed, has spent the major portion of his income in the cause of education in backward area.

Address—Nangal Ambia, Via Shahkot, District Jullunder, Punjab.

Mohammed Ali, Khan Bahadur, (1937); B.A., (1930); M.L.A., (1936); Zamindar



(Proprietor of Bogra Nawab Estate). Born on 19th October, 1909. Educated at Hastings House, Calcutta Madrasa, Islamia and Presidency Colleges; Graduated with distinction in 1930. Married on 30th March, 1934, to Hamida, daughter of Lt. S. M. Hossain. He was Vice-Chairman, Bogra Municipality, in 1933-1934; Honorary Magistrate 1933; Member, District Board, 1933-1937; Deputy Chairman, Padmapara Central Co-operative Bank, 1933-1936; Chairman, Bogra Central Co-operative Bank, 1935-36; Member, Bengal Silk Committee, 1933; Bengal Waqf Board, 1937; elected to the Bengal Legislative Assembly, 1936; Member, E. B. Ry. Advisory Committee, 1937; contributed several funds to different institutions and has made several endowments for scholarship and stipends, endowments for female hospital, etc.

Address—The Palace, Bogra, or 68, Amoor Ali Avenue, Calcutta.

Mundargi, Raoji Hari, High Court Pleader, Chickodi, District Belgaum. Born on 1st June, 1896. Educated at the City High School and Private High School, Kolhapur,

and Rajaram College, Kolhapur. Married in 1917, with Miss Maibai, daughter of late Koshavrao Subhedar, Forest Officer, Sangli State (two sons and six daughters). Commenced practice at Chickodi in January, 1924. A leading criminal practitioner, he takes a keen interest in the Harijan Movement and public activities.

Address—Chickodi, District Belgaum.

Mookerji, Radha Kumud, M.A., Ph.D., Itihās Shiromani, (Baroda), Professor of Indian



History, Lucknow University. Born in January, 1884. Educated at Berhampore (Bengal), Presidency College, Calcutta; Fremch and Roychand's Scholarship for Rs. 7,000; Sayajirao Gaekwar prize for Rs. 7,000; B.A. Hons. 1901; M.A. in History in 1901; M.A. in English 1902. Married in 1910, Shrimati An-

suya Devi, and has one son. Manindar Professor of Ancient Indian History at Benares Hindu University, 1916-1917; Professor of History at Mysore University, 1917-1921; Professor of Indian History at the Lucknow University; Vice-President, All India Hindu Mahasabha; elected Member, Bengal Legislative Council, Upper House; endowed Gopal Chandra Mukarji Gold Medal at the Lucknow University; donated sums to Hindu Mahasabha House at New Delhi and to Jubilee Girls' High School at Lucknow. Publications: "A History of Indian Shipping" (Longman's London); "The Fundamental Unity of India," with an introduction by the Rt. Hon. Mr. J. Ramsay MacDonald; "Hindu Civilization;" "Local Government in Ancient India" (Oxford); "Harsha" (Rulers of India series, Oxford); "Men and Thought in Ancient India" (MacMillan's London); "Ashoka" (Gaekwar lectures); "Nationalism in Hindu Culture" (Asian Library series).

Address—University, Lucknow; or Berhampore, Bengal.

Mundargi, Venkatesh Gurunath, M.B.B.S. (Eye Specialist), Medical Practitioner, Chickodi, District Belgaum. Born on 17th January, 1890. Educated at Private High School and City High School, Rajaram College, Kolhapur, and Grant Medical College, Bombay. (First marriage in 1916; second marriage in May, 1920, with Miss Gangubai, daughter of Ganpatrao Purushotamrao Inamdar of Norli.) (Four daughters.) Commenced

practice at Chickodi in April, 1925; an elected Member, Grampanchayat from 1934 having topped the polls; was President, Taluka Congress Committee, 1930-31; is taking a keen interest in Baby Week and Child Welfare Movement; has started a Depressed Class Boarding for Harijan boys.

Address—Chickodi, District Belgaum.

Muniswami Pillai, V. I., is a prominent member of the Depressed Classes. He has had varied experience in public life during the last ten or twelve years. He was nominated a member of the old Madras Council where he represented the Harijans. He took a leading part in several anti-untouchability organisations, was a member of the Nilgiris District Board and of the Madras and Annamalai Universities. He is also a trustee of the Lawley Institute, Ootacamund; elected to the Madras Legislative Assembly in 1937.

Address—Madras.

Munnalal Omkarmull, Banker, Hyderabad (Duccan). Born in 1904, he was educated



at Hyderabad (Duccan) and Calcutta. Married in 1917, and has one daughter. He was an ordinary general merchant for some time back and increased the business by his own efforts. He opened a bank styled as Munnalal Omkarmull in 1935,

and is having an extensive banking business in and around Hyderabad. He takes much interest in the welfare of his community.

Address—Station Road, Hyderabad, (Duccan).

Nadkarni, Vishvanath Martobrao, Merchant and Landlord and President, Urban Co-operative Bank, Limited, Ankola, District North Kanara. Born in 1896. Educated at Ankola A. V. School and Karwar High School. Married in 1918 with Miss Hirubai, daughter of late Rao Bahadur Y. B. Borker, Dewan of Janjira State. (Three sons and one daughter.) Started the Shanta Durga Vastra Bhandar at Ankola; is a trustee of Shri Shanta Durga at Ankola; a member, Taluka Local Board, since 1932; a Director of the Ankola Urban Co-operative Bank, Limited, for the last four years; an elected President of the Urban Co-operative Bank, Limited, Ankola, from 1932.

Address—Shanta Durga Vastra Bhandar, Ankola, Dist. North Kanara.

Naidu, B. V. Narayanswami, M.A., B.Com., Ph.D., Bar-at-Law; University Pro-



fessor of Economics, Annamalai University. Born on 11th March, 1901. Educated in England; joined Middle Temple, 1926; called to Bar, 1929; joined Annamalai University, 1930; University, Professor of Economics, Dean, Faculty of Arts; Member, Syndicate Senate and Academic Council; Chairman, Board

of Studies in Economics; Member, Board of Studies in Economics, Andhra University, Mysore University; Editor, Annamalai University Research Journal; Associate Editor, Indian Journal of Economics and Indian Library Journal; Vice-President, South Indian Library Association; Member, Economic Council Sub-Committee, the Government of Madras; Member, G. S. L. C. Board, Madras; Hon. Secretary and Treasurer, Indian Economic Association; President, Paddy Loans and Sale Society, Chidambaram.

Publications—"Tandava Lakshanaam," "Rural Indebtedness in India."

Clubs—Cosmopolitan Club; S. I. A. A., National Indian and Overseas League, Madras.

Address—Annamalai University, Annamalai Nagar.

Narielwalla, Ardesir Shapurjee, F.R.S.A. (London) and Fellow of International Faculty of Science (London); Mill-store merchant and Khot-Inamdar of Anik and Derenur Villages (Salsette). Born on 31st May, 1856. Educated at a Mehtaji's School, Fort High School, and Elphinstone High School, Bombay. First marriage in 1871 (two daughters); second marriage in May, 1898 with Miss Beherojibai, daughter of Dhunjibhoj Cursetjee Shroff of Bombay (four sons and two daughters.) In 1895 started independent business; visited London twice, once in 1907 and second time in 1922; made F.R.S.A. in 1923, and F.F.S.C. in 1932.

Address—Rose Lea, Altamont Road, Cumballa Hill, Bombay.

Narayan Veerapuram, Partner Messrs. N. R. Sarode and Company, a reputed firm dealing in dyes and chemicals and also Mill Agents, Bangalore City. Born in 1905. Educated at Anantapur and Bangalore. In 1929

he married Miss Parvatamma, daughter of Mr. Anantappa of Veerappuram, a landlord and merchant. In 1932 he opened his own business in the name and style "N. R. Sarode and Company."

Address—N. R. Sarode & Co.,
Bangalore City.

Nelson, Albert Edwin, born the 24th February, 1895, at New York, N. Y., U.S.A.



Educated at Atlantic Union College, South Lancaster, Massachusetts, U. S. A. Engaged in Secretarial work in America; South Bend, Indiana; Indianapolis, Indiana; and Madison, Wisconsin, 1916-1924; Mission Secretary-Treasurer Natal and Transvaal Provinces, South Africa, 1924-1927; General Secretary-Treasurer of Mission Activities for the Seventh-day Adventist Church in South and Central Africa, 1927-36; General Secretary-Treasurer of Mission Activities for the Seventh-day Adventist Church in India, Burma, and Ceylon 1936—.

Address—Salisbury Park, Poona.

Nene, Narayan Yeshwant, salt merchant and Vice-President, Pon Municipality. Born on 30th May, 1904, at Revadanda. Educated at Private High School, Pon. Married in 1930 to Miss Manoramabai, daughter of Parshuram Laxman Karve of Alibag (one son). He started commission agency in partnership with Mr. V. N. Manohar, in 1926. In 1931, he started a salt business and commission

agency; entered Pon Municipality in 1927; elected Vice-President, Municipality, in 1934; Treasurer, Taluka Congress Committee, and Secretary, Pon Taluka Landowners Association.

Address—Pon, Dist. Kolaba.

Nazim-ud-din, the Hon'ble Sir Khawaja, M.A. (Cantab), K.C.I.E., Bar-at-Law, M.L.A.; Educational Minister, Bengal Government, till 1937. Born in July, 1894; educated at Aligarh and Cambridge; was Commissioner, Municipal Committee, Dacca, 1922-29; Member, Executive Council, Dacca University, 1924-29; M.L.C. since 1923; elected to the Bengal Legislative Assembly, 1937.

Address—Pari Bagh, Ramna, Dacca, and 25, Ballygunge Circular Road, Calcutta.

Nulkar, Vaman Lakshman, I.M.&S., Private Medical Practitioner, Jalgaon, Dist. East Khandesh. Born on 22nd December, 1886, at Poona. Educated at Gocaldas Tojpal High School, Bombay, Deccan College, Poona, and Grant Medical College, Bombay. Married in 1910 with Miss Kamalabai, daughter of D. V. Tembe of Kundgol (three sons and two daughters.) Passed Matric, 1903, L.M. & S., 1909. Commenced practice at Jalgaon from 1910. He has been conducting the Khandesh General Hospital; also Hon. Obstetric Civil Hospital, Jalgaon, for seven years; is a Member of the Board of Sarvajank High School and several other institutions.

Address—Jalgaon, Dist. East Khandesh.

Nurie, M. Y., Bar-at-Law, is a leading Muslim lawyer of Ahmedabad. He was educated at the M.A.O. College, Aligarh, and took part in the Khilafat Movement. Later he practised at Ajmer and became a member of the Municipal Committee in 1921. He was the Vice-President of the Committee from 1923-26.

Since 1927, Mr. Nurie has been practising in Ahmedabad. He was responsible for the starting of the Muslim Youth League there. He presided at the first All-India Muslim Youth Conference held in Bombay in 1930. He was Chairman of the Reception Committee of the Gujarat Muslim Political Conference. He contested the seat to the Legislative Assembly from Ahmedabad City as an Independent; elected to the Bombay Legislative Assembly in 1937.

Address—Ahmedabad.

Oak, V. V., B.A., LL.B., Bar-at-Law; Officiating Judge of the Court of Small Causes, Bombay; Belongs to a respectable Deccani Brahmin family; graduated from the Fergusson College, Poona; joined the Small Causes Court Bar in 1918, and practised for eight years, during which he commanded a fairly large practice; called to the Bar in 1926; returned to Bombay in 1927, and enrolled as a Barrister; practised on the original side of the High Court and also in the Small Causes Court. He is an artist of considerable repute and is an Honorary Secretary of the Bombay Art Society; Chairman of the Board of Directors of the Art Society for India; President, Gunagar Education Society.

Address—Bombay.

Oka, Parsharom Ramkrishna alias Baburao, B.A., LL.B., Landlord and Pleader, Mahad, District Kolaba. Born in June, 1898. Educated at Mahad Anglo-Vernacular School, N.M. Vidyalaya, Poona, the New Poona College, Poona, and the Law College, Bombay. Married in 1918 with Miss Kamalabai, daughter of Mr. Naraharpant Dharap of Mahad (two daughters). Passed LL.B. 1926; commenced practice at Mahad, 1926. He is one of the founders of the Mahad Krida-Bhuvan, of which he has been the General Secretary for the last six years. He is the only life-member of Krida Bhuvan for which he secured from Government a plot free of N.A. assessment and gave a substantial donation towards its building fund.

Address—Mahad, Dist Kolaba.

Onkar, Bhaskarrao Dhundiraj alias Kakasaheb, Inamdar and Hon. Magistrate, Poona, Born on 3rd May, 1876. Educated at Nutan Marathi Vidyalaya, Now English School, and Native Institution, Poona. First marriage 14th March, 1894; second marriage on 24th April, 1904, with Savitribai, daughter of Shridhar Vinayak Athavale of Someshwar District Ratnagiri. (One son, Bhayasaheb, and two daughters.) Appointed Chief Sanitary Inspector at Mahabaleshwar 1910-12; served as Municipal Secretary at Thana and Manager of an Insurance Co., in Bombay, 1914-16; Hon. Magistrate since 1931. He is a Vaidya Bhushan (native physician). Awarded First Class Sanad for census work, 1912.

Address—165, Shandivar Peth, Poona City.

Pai, Annappa Ramchandra, Landlord, Chairman, Kumta Urban Co-operative Bank, Ltd., Vice-President, Kanara Education Society and ex-President, Municipality, Kumta,

Dist. N. Kanara. Born on the 11th. February, 1888. Educated at the Municipal A.V. School, Kumta. He has three sons and two daughters. A member, Kumta Municipality, for eight years, (1925-33) and its President for six years from 1925-1931. He is the Chairman of the Governing Body of the Gibb High School, Kumta; a member, Taluka Local Board for the last three years; Manager of three Hindu temples at Kumta, and President of the Dist. Co-operative Institute, Kanara.

Address—Kumta, Dist. North Kanara.

Pai, T. Madhava, M.B. & B.S., Medical Practitioner and Chairman, Kanara Industrial & Banking Syndicate, Ltd., Udipi, South Kanara. Born in 1898; started his private hospital in 1925, a very useful and popular Nursing Home; takes keen interest in banking and founded the Kanara Industrial and Banking Syndicate, Ltd., in 1925, of which he is the Chairman since then; floated the Kanara Land Investment, Ltd., in 1932; floated the Kanara Mutual Assurance Company, Ltd., which will commence working shortly.

Address—Udipi, Dist. South Kanara.

Pai, U. Sundar Ram, M.B. & B.S., Medical Practitioner and Hon. Asst. Surgeon, Udipi Government Hospital and President, The Canara Banking Corporation Udipi Ltd., Udipi, South Canara. Born on 17th October, Educated at Christian High School, Udipi and St. Aloysius College, and Government College, Mangalore, and Madras Medical College. First marriage in 1917; second marriage in 1932 with Miss Saraswati Bai, daughter of late M. Venkatesh Prabhu, Pleader, Udipi. Commenced Practice at Udipi in December 1922; elected a Director of Canara Banking Corporation in 1929; elected a Vice-President of the Banking Corporation in 1929 and President in 1935.

Address—Udipi, South Canara.

Pandit, Mrs Vijayalakshmi, M. L.A., is the sister of Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru. She took an active part in the Congress Movements of 1930 and 32 and was twice convicted in the Salt Satyagraha Movement; organised women volunteers in Allahabad; elected to the U. P. Assembly, 1937.

Address—Lucknow, U. P.

Pakvasa, M.M., M. L. C., is a lawyer and a partner in a firm of solicitors in Bombay. He was born in 1882 and graduated from Elphinstone College. In 1930, he joined the Civil Disobedience Movement and was sentenced to one year's imprisonment. After his

release from jail he became legal adviser to the All-India Village Industries Association. He is an ardent social worker and is responsible for the running of an ashram at Maroli. He was elected to the Upper House from Broach — Panch-Mahal — Surat constituency.

Address—Surat.

Parasharami, Gopal Madhav, B. A., LL. B., Advocate, Sangamner, District Ahmednagar. Born on 21st July, 1886. Educated at Petit High School, Sangamner, Ahmednagar Education Society's High School, New English School, Poona, Fergusson College and Deccan College, Poona. Commenced practice at Sangamner 1913; was Chairman, Sangamner Municipality, 1922; Member, District Local Board, 1923; Chairman, Works Committee, Taluka Local Board, Sangamner, 1923; Vice-President, Sangamner Municipality, 1928; Chairman, Municipal Sanitary Board and Chairman of Urban and Municipal Servants' Co-operative Society; President, King Edward Gymkhana at Sangamner, 1926-1932; Secretary, Vadgaon Co-operative Corn Society, 1914; President, Sangamner Municipality, 1930-1931; nominated Member, Taluka Local Board and Municipality, 1931; has been Chairman, Sangamner High School Board since 1931; a Member, Taluka Development Association, and an elected Member, District Rural Uplift Committee.

Address—Sangamner, District Ahmednagar.

Paricharak, Rao Bahadur Govind Balkrishna, Landlord and Chairman of Hon. Bench Magistrates, Pandharpur, and Chairman, District School Board of Sholapur, Pandharpur, District Sholapur. Born on 5th Pausa Shaka, 1814. Educated at Pandharpur High School. Married in 1913 with Rukminibai, daughter of D. V. Chafalkar of Sholapur (one son and one daughter); has been a Member, Pandharpur Municipal Borough, continuously for the last fifteen years; was Chairman of several Committees in Municipality; was President, Municipality, 1925-33; was Chairman, Municipal School Board, for seven years; also Chairman of the Agricultural Show held at Pandharpur in 1932; created Raosahab in 1929 and Rao Bahadur, 1933.

Address—Pandharpur, Dist. Sholapur.

Parkhe, Hari Ganesh, B. A., (Hons.), LL. B., Pleader and Chairman, Municipal School Board, Ahmednagar. Born on 26th August, 1891. Educated at Ahmednagar Education Society's High School and Fergusson College, Poona. Married in 1910 with Miss Satyabhamabai, daughter of Vishnupant of

Bhambosivra (two sons and two daughters). Commenced practice at Ahmednagar, 1920; Organizer and Secretary of the Bombay Provincial Conference held at Ahmednagar, 1924; started the Local Non-Brahmin League, 1925; nominated to the District Local Board, 1925, and was Chairman of the Works Committee for three years; Chairman, District School Board, 1928; elected Member and Chairman, Municipal School Board, in May, 1934; President of the Advanced India League; presided over the Sessions of the Vishwabrahmin Conference at Hubli, Poona, Arvi and Mehkar in C. P.; President of Asprusho-ddharak Mandal, Ahmednagar; Author of "Nagar District."

Address—King Gate, Ahmednagar.

Pattabhirama Reddy, Reba la, Zamindar and Landlord, Nellore, is the son of Rebala Sundara Rama Reddy. Born in 1911. His various activities include: President, Progressive Union, Nellore; Secretary, J. P. Hall; Member, Lawley Institute, Ootry. Donates yearly over Rs. 1,500 for the educational purposes.

Club: Cosmopolitan, Madras.

Address—Stonehousepot, Nellore.

Partapsingh Jagatsingh Sethi (Sardar), Born 3rd November, 1880, at Rawalpindi (Punjab). 1st Class Honorary Magistrate; Municipal Corporator; Non-official Jail Visitor since 1927; Member, North Western Railway Advisory Committee since 1929; President of the Jamshed Quarter Housing Society; Member of the Managing and Working Committee of the Malir Co-operative Societies; promoter of the Dhan Pothohar Bradri; Member of the Managing Committees of—the Buyers' and Shippers' Chamber, the Karachi Indian Merchants' Association, the Karachi Health Association, the Punjabi Society, Sri Guru Singh Sabha, the Khalsa School Board and Female Education Society; recognized by Government as leader of the Sikh Community; was President of the Khalsa School Board for several years; Chairman, (elected unanimously) the Municipal Roads, Lighting and Street Watering Committee for three years. Club: Karachi Club.

Address—86, Jamshed Quarters, Karachi.

Patankar, Keshav Sakharām, B.A., LL. B., Pleader, Bhusawal, District East Khandesh. Born on 19th August, 1887. Educated at Garud High School, Dhulia, and Fergusson College, Poona. Second marriage 1913 (three sons and three daughters). Commenced practice at Bhusawal, 1910; elected to Bhusawal Municipality, 1911, and was there for fourteen years; Vice-President, Muni-

cipality for two years; was the first elected non-official Indian President of Bhusawal Municipality, 1927; a Member, District Local Board, for three years; Vice-President, Taluka Local Board, for two years; President of the District Branch of the Democratic Swaraj Party, East Khandesh, and a staunch disciple of late Lokmanya Tilak; Chairman, Reception Committee of Khandesh District Conference at Bhusawal, 1919. Recreations: Tennis and Cricket.

Address—Bhusawal, Dist., East Khandesh.

Parmar, Dr. V.L., Professor of Surgery, Grant Medical College, and Honorary Surgeon, Sir J.J. Hospital, Bombay. Educated at Bombay; took Medical Degree in 1919; was house surgeon in the J.J. Hospital, Bombay, 1919-20; Fellow of the Royal College of Surgeons, London, 1924; associate Professor of Surgery, Grant Medical College, 1926; introduced electro-surgery in the Sir J.J. Hospital, 1930. Dr. Parmar has represented the Bombay Branch of the British Medical Association at conferences of the Association in England.

Address—Grant Medical College, Bombay.

Patil, Diwan Bahadur Dongarsing Ramji, Pleader and Ex. M.L.C., Born in 1880.



Educated at Akola and Amraoti High Schools. Married in 1894 (three daughters). Passed District Pleaders' examination; commenced practice at Bhusawal, 1911; has been Sub-Government Pleader at Bhusawal from 1925; elected to the Bhusawal Municipality, 1926; and was Chairman, Standing Committee and a Member, School Board of the same; elected President, Bhusawal Municipality thrice since 1928-1934, with a break of one year; President Taluka Agricultural Development Association for three years; Chairman, People's Bank, Bhusawal, 1925; a Member of the Hindu Law

Research and Reform Committee; President, First Non-Brahmin Provincial Conference held in Bombay, 1926; Presided over the Non-Brahmin Conference at Satara; elected to the Bombay Legislative Council, 1923; and has been re-elected thrice without a break; elected by the Bombay Legislative Council as a Member of the Provincial Committee to Co-operate with the Simon Commission; a Member, Retrenchment Committee appointed by the Government; worked on the Finance Committee, Public Accounts Committee, Land Assessment Committee, and on various committees; was elected a Member on the G.I.P. Railway Advisory Board; an elected Member, Legislative Assembly, 1929; created Rao Sahab, 1927; Rao Bahadur, 1929; Dewan Bahadur, 1932.

Address—Bhusawal, Dist. East, Khandesh.

Patil, L. M., B. A., LL. B., is a member of the Assembly elected from Ahmednagar North. He is a lawyer practising at Ahmednagar. He was appointed President of the District Congress Committee of Ahmednagar six months ago. He was imprisoned for two years in the last Non-cooperation Movement. He is a non-Brahmin and takes keen interest in agricultural schemes. He is thirty years old.

Address—Ahmednagar.

Patil, Ramdas Lahanu, Landlord, Municipal Councillor and Hon. Magistrate, Jalgaon, District East Khandesh. Born on 16th September, 1895, he was educated at A. V. School, Jalgaon. Married in 1906 Miss Saraswatibai, daughter of Bhoju Shrawan, Police Patil, Kadgaon, East Khandesh. (Two sons and three daughters.) His varied public activities can be summed up thus:—President, Taluka Local Board, 1925-1931; Vice-President, Municipality, 1932-1934; appointed Hon. Magistrate, 1928; elected to Bombay Legislative Council, 1930; Chairman, Standing Committee of Municipality, 1928-1932. He takes keen interest in social and educational activities and is Vice-President, Lewa Boarding, Jalgaon; a member, District Local Board, from 1931. He is also a member of District School Board, and Chairman, Municipal School Board, Jalgaon; Member, Nursing Association, Civil Hospital, Jalgaon, from 1931; Chairman, Veterinary Committee, and a Member, Excise Advisory Committee from 1930.

Address—Rampeth, Jalgaon, District East Khandesh.

Patil, Shankargowda Timmangowda, B. A., LL. B., Pleader and Chairman, District School Board, Bijapur. Born on 8th July,

1899. Educated at Government High School, Bijapur and Deccan College, Poona. Married in 1925 with Miss Shankaravva, daughter of Hadigoppe (Houda, of Konnur (Dharwar Dist.)). Commenced practice at Bijapur, 1925; elected to the District Local Board, 1925, and was the first non-official elected President, District Local Board, Bijapur, 1925-1938; has been Chairman, District School Board, from 1933; was Chairman, District Co-operative Bank, for two years; has been President of Bijapur District Harijan Conference; started Karnatak People's Party of which he is the President; a Member of the Advisory Committee of M. S. M. Railway elected by the District Local Boards; has been President of the British Karnatak Association and a Member of the Executive Committee of Karnatak Unification Sabha.

Address—Tashavdi, Bijapur.

Patne, Atmaram Laxman, Landlord, Merchant and Member, Notified Area Committee, Khed, District Ratnagiri. Born in 1885. Educated at Primary School, Khed. (Three sons and two daughters) Owns a rice-mill and is the local agent, Burma Shell Oil Co.; was a Member, Taluka Local Board for twelve years and its President for three years; has been a Member, Notified Area Committee, Khed, for the last seventeen years; is President of the Viyapuri Dhamnadav Nidhi. He has also donated a sum of Rs. 2,500 for the "Laxman Ganshet English School" at Khed.

Address—Khed, Dist. Ratnagiri.

Pavri, Minocher Merwanji, B.A., LL.B., Public Prosecutor and Government Pleader, District Court, Navsari (Baroda State). Born on 12th March, 1892, he was educated at Sir Cowasji Jehangir Madressa, Navsari, and Elphinstone College, Bombay. Married on 16th December, 1920, with Miss Tehmina, daughter of Merwanji Nowroji Gobhai, of Messrs. Gobhai Karanjia, Ltd., Bombay. Commenced practice in Baroda Courts and Surat District Courts; appointed Government Pleader and Public Prosecutor of Navsari District Court from 1st January, 1931; elected to Local Municipality since 1929; worked as Municipal Chairman, 1929; elected (unanimously) President, Navsari Municipality, 1932-33; nominated Member, Navsari District Local Board, 1928-36.

Address—Pavri Street, Navsari, B. B. & C. I. Railway.

Pawar, Namdevrao Khanderao, B. A., LL. B., Sub-Judge, Karvir, Kolhapur State. Born on 4th December, 1899. He was educated at Akalkot High School, Rajaram

College, Kolhapur, and Law College, Bombay. Married in 1928, Miss Shantibai, daughter of Bhan Sahob More of Shirol, and has two daughters. He started life as a probationer in the P. W. D. Secretariat, Bombay, for two years, 1925-26; joined the Kolhapur State Service as a District Nazir in 1926, and was subsequently appointed as a Sub-Judge in 1929.

Address—Karvir, Kolhapur.

Pryce, Lieutenant-General Sir Henry Edward Ap Rhys, K.C.B., C.M.G., D.Sc., P.S.C., Indian Army. Born on 30th Nov. 1874. Married Alice Louisa Pughe, daughter of R.F. H. Pughe and has two sons. Educated at Trinity College, Gloucestern and R. M. C. Sandhurst. Was second Lieut. Indian Army 1896; Captain 1904; Major 1913; Major-General, 1925; Lieut. General, 1931; G. S. O. I. Home Forces and France, 1915-17; Brig. Commander, France, 1917-18; served Tibet, 1903-04 (Medal) Commandant, Senior Officers' School, India (Temp) Col. Commandant, 1921; D. of S. & T. India, 1925-29; G. O. C., Deccan District, 1930-32; Offg. G. O. C. in-Chief, Southern Command, India, 1931-32; appointed Master-General of the Ordnance in India, 1934.

Address—Army Headquarters, India, New Delhi and Simla.

Pendse, Moro Sakharan, Landlord, Ayurvedic doctor, and President, Khed Taluka Local Board. Born in 1880. Educated at Mission High School, Dapoli. (Three sons and one daughter—eldest son, Sakharan Moropant, is an Ayurvedic doctor.) After education he served as a teacher at Khed for some years; left service and took up the study of Ayurvedic medicine; commenced practice at Khed in 1912; elected to Khed Taluka Local Board in 1929, and since then he is its member; was its Vice-President for some time and was elected President, Taluka Local Board, in May, 1935; also a Member, Marathi School Committee and Patne English School Committee, Khed.

Address—Khed, District Ratnagiri.

Poonawala, Dady Burjorjee, Advocate, High Court, (Bombay). Born 26th November, 1906, at Bombay; was educated at St. Helena's High School, and Dastoor High School, Poona, and has passed both the Senior Cambridge and Bombay Matriculation; afterwards joined the Deccan College, and Law College, Poona, and was enrolled as an Advocate of the Bombay High Court on 26th April, 1932, and commenced practice in Poona the same year.

Address—8, Elphinstone Road, Poona.

Potdar, Bhimaji Bajaji, B.A., LL.B., Pleader and Chairman, Pioneer Urban Co-operative Bank, Ltd., Belgaum. Born on 6th January, 1887. Was President, Belgaum Municipality; has been Member, District Local Board, for fourteen years and of School Board from 1926; also President of the Governing Body of Mission High School and Vanita Vidyalaya, Belgaum; elected to the Bombay Legislative Council in 1937.

Address—Anant Shayan Gully, Belgaum.

Prabhu, Sirooker Mukund Narayan, Landlord, Banker and President, Taluka Local Board, Ankola, District North Kanara. Born in 1892. Educated at Gibb High School, Kuma, Karwar Government High School, and Wilson College, Bombay; is an Agent of the Standard Oil Co., of New York since 1931; has been a Member, Taluka Local Board, for the last seven years; an elected President, Taluka Local Board, since 1929; also a Director, the Kanara Industrial and Banking Syndicate, Ltd., Udipi, since 1929.

Address—Ankola, District North Kanara.

Prabhudesai Deshprabhu Raoraje Vasudeo Atmaram alias Kakasaheb, Landlord and Ex-member, Goa Legislative Council, Podne, Goa. Born on 2nd November, 1900. Educated at Podne, Mapusa and Pangim. Married in May, 1920, with Miss Jayabai, daughter of Hari Jivaji Prabhu Parsekar Desai, of Parsem, Goa (two sons and four daughters). His ancestors who occupied important positions in the Portuguese army acted as the chief intermediates between the Savantwadi State and the Portuguese Government when Podne district was handed over to Portuguese by the former in 1802. Mr. Kakasaheb, the present occupant of the Gadi, was twice elected to the Goa Legislative Council in 1928-1930. His Grandfather donated Rs. 50,000 for opening a canal at Tivim in Bardes district. His father, Viscount Babusaheb, had given Rs. 15,000 to Portuguese Government for an aeroplane during the Great War, and also Rs. 30,000 to the late Maharaja of Kolhapur for utilizing its interest for founding scholarships in the Rajaram College, Kolhapur. At Podne public temples, buildings, roads, dharmashalas and private schools have been built out of the charities made by late Viscount Babusaheb.

Address—Podne, Goa.

Prakasam, T., is one of the foremost Congress leaders of the Andhra country. He gave up his practice at the bar at the call of Mr. Gandhi in 1920. Six years later he was returned to the Central Assembly, but resigned his seat in 1930, when Mr. Gandhi started his

satyagraha movement. He was sentenced to imprisonment during the salt campaign. He also edited a daily newspaper of Madras the *Swarnja*, and was the Managing Director of the firm owning it; elected to the Madras Legislative Assembly in 1937.

Address—Madras.

Prataprao-Mukhya-Sardesai Shivaji Dulba alias Kakasaheb Naik, Inamdar, Bandora, Mahal Phonda (Goa). Born on 11th December, 1891. Educated at Phonda. Married in 1906 with Miss Ratnubai, daughter of Photu Kenkaro of Kumbharjuva (Goa). (Three sons and five daughters). Member, Goa Government Legislative Council, 1921-1924, and was President, Phonda Municipality, 1930-1932.

Address—Phonda, Goa.

Prayag, Raosaheb Subrao Hanmant-rao, M.A., Government Cotton Breeder of Agricultural Department in Khandesh, Jalgaon. Born on 22nd July, 1888, in Dharwar District, he was educated at Bijapur High School and Agricultural College, Poona. Married in 1910, with Miss Sitabai, daughter of Venkatarao Mundewadi of Bijapur (five sons and one daughter). He was one of the first recipients of the degree of M.A., in 1918, since its institution by the University of Bombay; joined Government Service as a research worker in horticulture in the office of the Economic Botanist to the Government of Bombay in June, 1910; posted to Khandesh as Cotton Breeder in Khandesh in Bombay Agricultural Service in June, 1921; created Raosaheb in June, 1934, in recognition of his services in connection with cotton-breeding and regulated Cotton Market at Dhulia. He was the first Chairman of the regulated Cotton Market, Dhulia, which was then the first of its kind in the Bombay Presidency. He is a Member, Khandesh Education Society and also Karnatak Education Society, Dharwar; awarded the King's Silver Jubilee Medal in May, 1935.

Publications:—1. "Studies in Khandesh Cotton," Part I. 2. "Book of the Mango" 3. "Ganeshkhind Botanical Garden and its Genesis," etc.

Address—Jalgaon, District East Khandesh (C.I.P. Ry.).

Pundole, Nowroji Dadabhoy, (Diploma Holder in Florology, Switzerland and England), Sole Proprietor of the firms of D. B. Pundole & Sons and Sincera Watch Co., Watch Manufacturers and Jewellers, Bombay. Born in 1881. Educated at Proprietary High

School, Bombay; joined his father's business in 1900; in 1907, he proceeded to Europe to further his studies in Horology (Watch and Clock Making) and obtained diplomas of Fellowship in Switzerland and England; "Diplom De Bienne;" returned to India on 6th February, 1910, and took over the wholesale business of the late firm of Kanny & Co., and started the same under the name of SINCERA WATCH Co., and at the same time opened a Branch Office at CHAUX-DE-FONDS in Switzerland.

Address—D. R. Pundole & Sons, 369-371, Hornby Road, Fort, Bombay.

Pusalkar, Ramchandra Narayan, B.A., LL.B., Practising Pleader, Kolhapur State and Satara District. Born on 18th November, 1900, he received his education at Nasik High School, Garud High School, Dhulia, Private English High School, Kolhapur, Rajaram College, Kolhapur, Fergusson College, Poona, and Law College, Bombay. He married in 1921, Miss Ambutai, daughter of Diwan Bahadur G. R. Khandekar of Ajmer. He joined the Accountant General's Office, Bombay, from 1921-1924. Passing his LL.B., he started practice from 1927. He is the Honorary Organiser of Commonwealth Assurance Co., Ltd., Poona. He is Legal Advisor to Vidyavith Society, the Kolhapur Wood Distillation Co., Ltd., and the Urban Co-operative Society, Ltd., etc., etc.

Address—Kolhapur City, S.M.C.

Ragavenda Rao, Diwan Bahadur Rajamantrapraveena, B.A., B.L., retired Member, Mysore State Executive Council. Born in March, 1869. Was educated at Maharaja's College, Mysore, Central College, Bangalore, and Presidency College, Madras. Married to Srinathi Kamala Bai (one daughter and one son). Joined Mysore Service as Home Tutor to H. H. the First Prince, 1890; Offg. Private Secretary to H. H. the Maharaja of Mysore, 1910; Excise Commissioner, 1914-1918, and Member of Council, 1918-24.

Address—Sheshadri Road, Bangalore.

Raghina, Khan Bahadur Manchershah B., Hon. Magistrate, (First Class), Indore and Indore Residency. Born in 1863, he received his education at Maharaja High School, Indore. He married in 1881 Miss Goolbai, daughter of Dinshaw Nanabhoy Masalevala of Mhow, and has two daughters. He carried out the census of 1881 in Central India; was in charge of C. I. Court of the Calcutta International Exhibition, 1883-84; was again deputed on census duty, 1891; services lent to Devas State (J.B.) as tutor to H. H. the young Maharaja and subsequently was His Highness' Private Secretary till 1898; did Famine Relief

Work under the Political Agent, Malwa; recipient of Delhi Durbar Medal; was conferred the title of Khan' Sahab in 1920 and Khan Bahadur in 1926; appointed Hon. Magistrate, First Class, in 1918. He was granted cash award of Rs. 1500 by H. H. the Maharaja Holkar at the Birthday Durbar held in 1934. He was also honoured with Kaisar-i-Hind Silver Medal on 1st January, 1935.

Address—Sanyogita Ganj, Indore, C. I.

Rais, Sardar Khan Bahadur Haji Amirsahab, M.L.A., Landlord, Merchant



Inamdar and Hon. Magistrate, Manor, Taluka Palghar, District Thana. Born in 1882. Educated at Manor. He has five sons and seven daughters—oldest son, Haji Mohamed Amir, and second son, Mohamed Usuf, are helping their father in his business. A self-made man, Sardar Khan Bahadur, who is a man of simple habits, has built a good fortune as well as a great reputation in the Thana District. He is dealing in salt, timber, and charcoal and owns a rice-mill at Manor. His various public activities are:—A Member, Palghar Taluka Local Board, for twenty-five years; a Conciliator for four years; a member, District Local Board, for twenty-four years, and of District School Board for ten years; Chairman, Konkani Muslim Education Society for nine years; has been an Hon. Magistrate at Palghar since 1927. In recognition of his services the Government honoured him by confirming the title of Khan Bahadur in 1928 and second

class Sardar in 1929. Though a Muslim, he commands the respect and confidence of the other communities. He has contributed big amounts to different charitable institutions among which the following are worth mentioning: Has donated a building for Amin Hostel at Bordi at a cost of Rs. 10,000, and Rs. 5,000 towards Manor Mosque; Rs. 5,000 towards Palghar Mosque in memory of his brother, Mohamed Miya; constructed a chawl at a cost of Rs. 3,000 for the benefit of Palghar Mosque in memory of his father; has given several donations to War Loan, Gujarat Flood Relief Fund and other charities; obtained a certificate of merit for census work and also a Silver Jubilee Medal; elected to the Bombay Legislative Assembly in 1937.

Address—Post Manor, Taluka Palghar, District Thana.

Rajan, Dr. T. S. S., is a well known surgeon of South India. After completing his general and medical education in Madras he studied at Middlesex Hospital, London, and was a prizeman in surgery. During the last seventeen years he took an active part in Congress activities and was sentenced to imprisonment in connection with the salt satyagraha. He was secretary of the Indian National Congress for a short period in 1923, and of the Tamil Naidu Provincial Congress Committee for seven years from 1923. Until his resignation a few months ago, in connection with the dispute between him and Mr. C. Rajagopalachari over the Trichinopoly municipal affairs, he was a member of the Central Assembly to which he was elected in 1934.

Address—Trichinopoly.

Ramanathan, S., represents the Shiyali-Mayavaram rural constituency in the Assembly. He started practice at the bar in 1919 but abandoned it the next year when the non-co-operation movement began. He was sentenced to a term of imprisonment for participation in the campaign. After serving the Tamil Naidu Provincial Congress Committee for some time as its secretary, he joined the Self-Respect Movement and edited the *Revolt*, but soon returned to the orthodox Congress fold. He has travelled widely; elected to the Madras Legislative Assembly in 1937.

Address—Madras.

Ramjanally Ebrahim, J. P., Soap and General Merchant, Member of Poona Suburban Municipality and Sole Agent, Mysore Government Soap Factory (for Bombay Presidency). Born in 1877. Appointed in 1923 Sole Agent for Mysore Government Soap Factory; created a J. P. in 1934; nominated to the Poona Suburban Municipality in 1934, and has been elected to the Municipal Standing

Committee. He has a son and four daughters all married in commercially influential families of the Khoja community.

Address—27, Nepoan Sea Road, Bombay 6, "Ramzan Cottage," 12 Wellesley Road, Poona 1.

Ramaswamy Setty, G., Proprietor, Swastik Warehouse and Sole Agents for Swastik Oil Mills of Bombay for Shimoga, Kadur and Chittaldurg districts, and Hony. Magistrate and Vice-President, Shimoga, Town Municipality, Shimoga, Mysore State. Born in 1900. Educated at Government High School, Bangalore. (Two sons and one daughter). Started cloth business at Shimoga in 1922; appointed Sole Agents for Swastik Oil Mills of Bombay on 17th February, 1935. In 1930, he was elected to Municipality of Shimoga and the same year made its Vice-President; Chairman of Hony. Magistrate's Bench Court for three years; President, Malnad Scholarship Committee; Secretary, Lady Mirza Malik Centre; President, Poor Boys Fund; a Member, Adhoc Scholarship Committee (for backward classes); a Member, District School Board, and a Director, Land Mortgage Bank and Arya Vaisya Co-operative Society, Ltd.

Address—Shimoga, Mysore State.

Rashivdekar, Dadaji Gangadhar Kulkarni, District Pleader and President, Taluka Congress Committee, Chikodi, District Belgaum. Born on 20th May, 1872. Educated at Rajaram High School and Rajaram College, Kolhapur. Married in 1898 with late Sitabai, daughter of Ramchandraro Thanedar of Kini, District Satara. Practised at Kolhapur, May, 1902-1908; shifted to Chikodi and has been practising there from 1st July, 1908; has been President, Chikodi Taluka Congress Committee, for the last ten years; a Member, Taluka Local Board, for three years.

Address—Chikodi, District Belgaum.

Rowjee, Mahomedbhoy I. M., J. P., Landlord, Banker, Municipal Corporator, Vizir of H. H. the Aga Khan and Adviser-General to All-India Ismaili Khoja Councils. Born on 28th September, 1900. Educated at the Proprietary High School and St. Mary's High School, Bombay. Married on 21st March, 1921, with Miss Shirinbai, eldest daughter of Alhaj Qassimally Jairaabhoy, J. P., of Bombay (two daughters). A Member of Ismaili Khoja Council, Bombay 1921; Secretary, Khoja Council, 1923-25; Vice-President, Khoja Council, 1925-1934; acting President of the Khoja Council, 1931-1934; promoted to the post of Vizir and Adviser-General to H. H. the Aga Khan, 1934; elected to the Bombay Corporation, 1932; re-elected to the Corporation, 1935.

Address—Pleasant Palace, 16, Narayan Dabholkar Road, Malabar Hill, Bombay.

Rodgers, Albert George. Born 15th December, 1904, at Ilkeston, Derbyshire,



England. Educated at Stanborough College, Hertfordshire. For five years on the Staff of "The Daily Telegraph," Derby. From 1931-36, member of the Executive of The Stanborough Press Limited, Publishers, Watford, Herts. In 1937 connected as General Manager of The Oriental Watchman Publishing House, Salisbury Park, Poona.

Address—Post Box 35, Salisbury Park, Poona.

Rodgers, Rosa May, born 16th November, 1906, at Newport, Monmouthshire, England.



Licentiate of The Royal Academy of Music; Associate of The London College of Music; Member of The Royal Society of Teachers. Educated at Stanborough College, Hertfordshire, and studied music at The Howard-Jones School of Music, London. Commenced teaching profession in 1924, and from 1928-30. Headmistress of Stamford Brook School, Chiswick, London; from 1931-34, Headmistress of Stanborough Park School, Watford, Herts.

Address—Post Box 35, Salisbury Park, Poona.

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Sahni, Dr. Birbal, F. R. S., Dean of the Faculty of Science, Lucknow University; India's delegate to the 3rd Centenary Celebrations of the Natural History Museum in Paris, 1935; representative of the Lucknow Univ. at the International Botanical Congress, Amsterdam, 1935. Born in 1891; educated in Lahore and Cambridge.

Address—Lucknow University, Lucknow, U.P.

Saiyidain, K. G., B.A., T.D., M.Ed., Principal, Training College, Aligarh. Born in Oct., 1903; educated at Aligarh Muslim Univ.; and Univ. of Leeds, England; married in 1930.

Address—Training College, Aligarh.

Saksena, Mohan Lal, B.Sc., LL.B., Lucknow. Born in Oct., 1896; educated at Lucknow and Allahabad; joined Bar at Lucknow, 1919; suspended practice, 1921; joined N. C. O., Movement; imprisoned eight times; M. L. C., U. P., 1924-26, and M. L. A., 1934.

Address—Ammiddaula Park, Lucknow.

Saksena, Ram Bahadur, M. L. C., (U. P.) and Chairman, Education Committee, Dist. Board, Pilibhit. Born in 1894; educated at Shahjahanpur. Married in 1912; Dist. Scout Commissioner, Allahabad, for about ten years.

Address—Ram Kuti, Pilibhit.

Saksena, Shitla Prasad, M.A., B.Com., Lecturer in Economics, Lucknow Univ., from 1933. Born in July, 1906; educated in Lucknow University. Married in 1925 to Kamla Devi.

Address—Tirmini Ganj, Lucknow.

Sambamurti, B., Leading Congressman in Andhra. Gave up practice at the bar; joined N. C. O., movement, 1921; General Secretary, Reception Committee, Cooanada Congress, 1925. Address—Cooanada.

Santanam, K. Pandit, Managing Agent, Lakshmi Insurance Co., Ltd., Lahore. Born in 1885; graduated from the Presidency College, Madras (1904); appeared in I. C. S.; called to the Bar from Inner Temple, 1910; Municipal Commissioner, Lahore, 1921-23; President, Insurance Society of Lahore.

Address—7, Race Course Road, Lahore.

Saptarshi, Chintaman Mohniraj, M.A., LL.B., Advocate, Ahmednagar. Born on 24th January, 1886. Educated at Ahmednagar Education Society's High School, and Deccan College, Poona. Second marriage on 24th

December, 1929, with Miss Malatibai (Mrs. Sushilabai) B.A., daughter of K. Deolalikar, of Indore (two sons and two daughters). Commenced practice at Ahmednagar, 1911; was a Member of the Ahmednagar Municipality, 1927-1929; a Member, District Local Board, for nine years; has been President, Kopergaon Taluka Local Board, since 1919; elected to the Bombay Legislative Council as a Swarajist Member from Ahmednagar, 1924; President of the Democratic Swarajya Party, Ahmednagar District, and Secretary of the Vidyarthibigriha, Ahmednagar, from 1915.

Address—Ghumade Galli, Ahmednagar.

Sardesai, Sardar Govindrao Janrao, Inamdar of Manikori and other four villages in Bagalkot Paragana, and Chairman of the Bench of the Hon. Magistrates, Bagalkot, District Bijapur. Born in 1861. Married in 1881 with Miss Anubai, daughter of Shrinivasrao Patil of Manikori (one son and four daughters). Created 3rd Class Sardar on 30th July, 1907; has been a Chairman of Hon. Bench Magistrates at Bagalkot from 1932; a Member of the Taluka and District Local Board for nine years; a Member, Bombay Provincial Advisory Committee for Indian students for Bijapur District. He was awarded a certificate of merit for service in connection with recruitment during the Great War.

Address—Bagalkot, District Bijapur.

Sardesai, Govind Sakharam, Rao Saheb; well-known Historian, Poona. Born on 17th May, 1865; educated at Ratnagiri, Poona and Bombay; passed B. A., 1888; joined Baroda State Service as Tutor to Princes, 1889-1925; now Editor the Poona Residency Records (in English). Publications: Has written a complete History of the Mahrattas in Marathi; "Main Currents of Maratha History" (in English); edited the forty-five "Selections from the Peshwas' Daftar" at Poona.

Address—Kamshot, Poona Dist.

Sarker, Nalini Ranjan, General Manager of the Hindustan Co-operative Insurance Society, Ltd., Calcutta; President, Bengal National Chamber of Commerce; was Mayor, Calcutta Corporation, 1934-35; Member, Bengal Legislative Council for several years.

Address—237, Lower Circular Road, Calcutta.

Savarkar, Vinayak Damodar, Bar-at-Law; Poet and Orator. Born in 1883. Started the famous 'Mitravala' Political society in Nasik in 1900; took a leading part in the Boycott Movement and organised foreign cloth bonfire in Poona; conducted 'Vihari', news-

paper and founded 'Abhinav Bharat Society,' 1906; founded "Free India Society" in London; arrested under section 121A, I. P. O., and escaped from the ship when brought to India; was re-arrested and sentenced to two terms of transportation for life; released conditionally after great agitation in the press and interned at Ratnagiri in 1924; released in 1937; joined Democratic Swaraj Party, 1st August, 1937. Publications: "Joseph Mazzini" (proscribed); "War of Independence, 1857" (proscribed); "History of the Sikhs" (proscribed); "Wild Flowers," etc. etc.

Address—Dadar, Bombay.

Savant, R. P., B.A., LL.B., Bar-at-Law,
Chief Justice, Kolhapur High Court, Kolhapur.



Born in 1897, at Karul, Gagan Bavda Jahagir, Kolhapur State. He was educated at Rajaram High School and Rajaram College, Kolhapur, Government Law College, Bombay, and Law College, Poona. He joined Kolhapur State service in 1925. He was called to the Bar in 1929. He acted as Union Minister of the State for some time. He was made the first Puisne Judge of the Kolhapur High Court when it was constituted in 1931. He has been working as the Chief Justice since July, 1933.

Address—Camp Kolhapur.

Setna, Ardesir Bomanji, B.A., LL.B.,
Pleader and Member, Poona Cantonment Board, and Chairman, Camp Education Society, Poona. Born in 1870. Educated at St. Vincent's High School, Poona, and St. Xavier's College, Bombay. Commenced practice as a lawyer at Poona in 1901; has been connected with the Camp Education Society, Poona, for the last twenty years; and its Chairman for the last six years; elected to the Poona Cantonment Board in August, 1935. He is the President of Sir Dinshaw M. Petit Parsi Gymkhana, Poona, and a delegate

of the Parsi Matrimonial Court at Poona. He is President and Chairman of the St. Vincent's High School Old Boys' Association; he is Honorary Treasurer of the Mahabaleshwar Parsi Cemetery Fund.

Address—Convent Street, Poona.

Sawkar, Rao Bahadur Bodhrao Shrinivasrao, B.A., LL.B., Dist. Government



Pleader and Public Prosecutor, Dharwar. Born on 21st January, 1892. Educated at Government High School, Dharwar, and Deccan College, Poona. Married in 1923 to Miss Kamalabai, daughter of Keshavrao Patil (six sons and one daughter). Passed Matric 1908; B.A., 1912; LL.B., 1915.

Appointed Government Pleader in 1928; created Rao Bahadur on 23rd June, 1936. He is a Member of the Scout Council and Visitor, Borstal School, Dharwar; Chairman, United Karnatak Insurance Co., Ltd., and Karnatak Education Society, Dharwar. He took an important part in the Silver Jubilee Celebrations and was awarded Silver Jubilee Medal in 1935.

Address—Dharwar.

Sen, Gupta, Atul Chandra, M.A., I.E.S.,
Principal, Morris College, Nagpur. Born in Feb. 1887; educated at Bengal and Edinburgh, married in 1913. Joined Indian Educational Service, 1917; professor, Pry. College, Calcutta; 1917-20; Principal, Morris College, since 1931.

Address—Morris College, Nagpur, C. P.

Shadilal, Sir, M. A., B.A. (Hons. Oxford), B.C.L., LL.D., Ex-Chief Justice, Punjab High Court (1920-34). Born in May, 1874; educated at Lahore and Oxford; practised at the Bar, 1899-1918; M.L.C., 1910-18.

Address—London.

Sharma, Prof. Diwan Chand, M. A.,
Head of the Department of English, Dayanand Anglo Vedic College, Lahore. Born in March, 1896. Educated at Lahore and Calcutta. Married in 1910 to Durga Devi. Author of many books.

Address—1-A, Court Street, Lahore.

Shanbhag, Venkatraman Vithal, Landlord, General Merchant, Director, The Canara Industrial & Banking Syndicate Ltd., Udipi, and Partner, Messrs. V. V. Shanbhag & Co., Honavar, District North Kanara, was born on 25th September, 1895. Educated at Hibb High School, Kunta, and married in 1915. (Two sons and three daughters). In 1926, he, with Mr. C. S. Pai, his brother-in-law, started Messrs V. V. Shanbhag & Co., who are the Agents for Messrs. Burmah Shell Co. He has been elected as a member of the Honavar Municipality since 1934. Since 1929, he is the Director of the Canara Industrial & Banking Syndicate Ltd., Udipi.

Address—Honavar, N. Canara.

Sharma, Harish Chandra, M. F. P. (London); B. F. M. P. (C. M.); Superintendent, Printing and Stationery, Holkar Government, Indore. Son of late Pandit Shanbhulal Sharma, Prof. Daly College, Indore. He was born in 1901. Was educated at Ajmer High School and at P. M. V. College, Brindaban. Entered life as a clerk, learnt the art of printing as a profession, and joined the "Indian Daily Telegraph," an English popular daily of United Provinces, as a storekeeper, and within a few years' time by his managing capacity and intelligence in the printing line, rose to the high position of the Superintendent. During his stay there, he held large printing contracts of the Bengal North Western Railway and Rughul Khand Kumaon Railway; he organized the press, having better efficiency, at a lesser cost; also worked as a Manager of "The Independence," an English Daily having largest circulation in the United Provinces. He was also Partner and Manager of "The Indian Prince," an English Daily; appointed Supt., Govt. Printing & Stationery Department, Indore, since 1924. He is a student of the I. C. Schools of London, in the Press Superintendent's Course; a few years back became M.F.P. (London). Very recently he has been taken as a member of the B.F.M.P. of Great Britain and Ireland. He has been associating with the various public institutions and societies and holding high offices.

Address—Indore, Central India.

Shastri, Prabhu Dutt, Ph. D., B. Sc. (Oxon), M. A., B. T., Vidyasagar, I. C. S.; Principal, Rajshahi College. Born in June, 1885. Offg. Principal, Hoogly Govt. College, 1927.

Address—Bharati Bhawan, 3, Multan Road, Lahore.

Shastri, Shivrao Shivram, B.A., LL.B., Pleader and Congress leader, Honavar Dist., North Kanara. Born in June, 1896. Educated

at Karwar Government High School, Ferguson College, Poona, and Wilson College, Bombay. Married in 1906 with Miss Bhavanibai, daughter of Ramchandra Bhatt of Murdoshwar (two sons and three daughters). In 1920 he joined the Non-cooperation Movement and suspended his practice for two years; was President, Taluka Congress Committee, for many years; was sentenced to one year's rigorous imprisonment and a fine of Rs. 200 for breach of notice under the Emergency Ordinances in February, 1932.

Address—Honavar, Dist. North Kanara.

Shetti, Rao Saheb Mahableshwar Timappa, B.A., LL.B., Government Pleader and Public Prosecutor, Karwar. Born on 4th July, 1889, at Baad in Karwar Taluka. Educated at Karwar High School and Wilson College, Bombay. Married on 28th April, 1912, with Miss Manjamma, daughter of Subrao Seshagiri Shetti of Ankola. Commenced practice at Karwar in September, 1914; appointed District Government Pleader and Public Prosecutor, Karwar, in February, 1929; a member, Municipality, since 1916; President, Taluka Local Board, and Vice-President, District Local Board, for one triennium from 1926; Chairman, District (Local Board) School Board for six months; a member, Temple Committee, since 1925; President, Taluka Development Association, for three years; Chairman, Loyalty League, since 1932; holder of a medal awarded on the occasion of their Majesties' Silver Jubilee, 6th May, 1935; Rao Sahab on 1st January, 1936.

Address—Karwar, North Kanara.

Shinde, Ramchandraro Bapurao, B.A., LL.B., Pleader and 1st Assistant Public Prosecutor and Vice-President, District Local Board, Satara. Born in 1894. Educated at Rajaram High School, Kolhapur, Baroda College and Fergusson College, Poona. Married in 1924 with Kamalabai daughter of A. D. Kule of Baroda. Passed B. A., 1919; LL. B., 1923; Commenced practice at Satara in 1924. Since 1929, an elected Member, District Local Board and Vice-President, District Local Board since 1930. Elected to the Bombay Legislative Council from Satara District in 1930. Appointed 1st Assistant Public Prosecutor in 1936.

Address—242, Sonwar, Satara City.

Shiralkar, Pandurang Keshav alias Annasahab, Banker and a Nationalist Leader, Karad, District Satara. Born on 13th May, 1876, at Umbraj, Taluka Karad; educated at Karad and New English School, Poona. First marriage, 1888; second marriage, 1895 (two daughters and one son, deceased). Was an elected Member, Karad

Municipality, 1915-21; Vice-President, Karad Municipality, 1918-20; Chairman, School Board, 1918-20; Vice-President, Maharashtra Provincial Congress Committee, 1927-30; was a Member, Home Rule League and also a Member, All-India Congress Committee, 1927-29; President, Satara District Conference at Limb, 1928; a Director of Maharashtra Kosha Mandal; was President, Karad Urban Co-operative Bank, 1918-24, of which he has been Director, 1917-24; has been a Member of the Working Committee of Sarvajanik Sabha, Poona; was convicted for six months under the criminal Law Amendment Act in 1930 but was acquitted by the High Court.

Address—Guruvar Peth, Karad,
District Satara.

Shirolkar, Digambar Krishna

Kulkarni, L. M. P. (C.P.), Special Doctor, Ilakha Panchayat, Kolhapur. Born on 20th June, 1907. He was educated at Shirol and Raibag A.V. Schools and Maharaja Shivajirao High School and King Edward Hospital, Indore, (C.I.). Married on 25th June, 1934, a daughter of S. B. Deshpande of Lhond. He became an Hon. House Surgeon at Thomson Hospital, Agra, for four months; was appointed Medical Examiner for Swadeshi Insurance Company, Agra, in 1932; he was also Chairman of the D. Ward Arogya Mandal for three years.

Address—3599 Kosalpur Peth, Kolhapur.

Shujaiddin, Dr. Khalifa, M.A. (Punjab), B.A., LL.B., (Cambridge), J.L.D. (Dublin), Bar-at-law (Lincoln's Inn). Born on 27th September, 1887. Educated at Central Model School, Lahore, Islamia and Government Colleges, Lahore; and Jesus College and Fitzwilliam Hall, Cambridge, and Trinity College, Dublin. Was Hon. Prof. of English Literature, Islamia College, Lahore, 1906-08; called to the Bar, Lincoln's Inn, 1912; Lecturer, University Law College, Lahore, 1917-19; Member, Punjab Text Book Committee, 1919-25; Fellow, Punjab University since 1917; Member of the Syndicate of the University since 1921; Member, Academic Council since 1923; Hon. Secretary, Islamia College, Lahore, 1921-36; Hon. Secretary, Punjab Muslim League, 1919-26; Member of Council, All-India Muslim League; Member, Executive Board, All-India Muslim Conference; Municipal Commissioner, Lahore, 1927-31; Member, N. W. Rly. Advisory Committee, 1929-30; Hon. General Secretary, Anjuman-i-Itimayat-i-Islam, Lahore; President, N. W. Rly. Muslim Employees' Association, President, Punjab Postal Union; Member of Court, Muslim University, Aligarh; Member, Bar Council, High Court, Lahore; President, District Muslim Educational Conference, Amritsar, 1932; appeared before the Parliament Jt. Select Committee, in London, on behalf

of the All-India Muslim Conference, 1933; Chairman, Reception Committee, All-India Muslim Educational Conference (Forty-fifth Session, Lahore), 1933; Chairman, Reception Committee, All-India Posts and Telegraphs Union, 1934; Chairman, Reception Committee, All-India Muslim Railway Employers' Association (Fifth Session); Member, Enquiry Committee appointed by the Punjab Government to enquire into Shahidganj Casualties, 1935; appeared before Delimitation Committee on behalf of Punjab Muslims, 1935; awarded Jubilee Medal, 1935; Member of Council of Law Reporting, High Court, Lahore.

Address—3, Begun Road, Lahore.

Sidhwa, R. K., Karachi, Member, All-India Congress Committee; President, Karachi Dist. Congress Committee; Municipal Councillor, Karachi; Member, N. W. Railway Advisory Board.

Address—Victoria Road, Karachi.

Sinha, Sri Krishna, M.L.A. Was born in 1888 in the village of Maur, in the Monghyr District. He began to practise at the Monghyr Bar in 1916 and soon occupied a position in the front rank.

In 1920 Mr. Sinha joined the Non-co-operation Movement and since then he has been serving the Congress in various capacities. In 1921 he was sent to jail for being a member of the Congress Volunteer Corps, which had been declared unlawful. In 1926 he was elected to the Bihar Legislative Council and became the leader of the Swaraj Party in the House. He resigned membership of the Council in March, 1930. He was arrested and convicted for the second time in April, 1930, for manufacturing contraband salt in violation of the Salt Law. He was again imprisoned in November, 1930, for participating in the Jawahar Day celebration. When the civil disobedience movement re-started in 1932, he was convicted for the fourth time.

Mr. Sinha rendered great help to the earthquake sufferers when he was in charge of the Monghyr branch of the Bihar Central Relief Committee. He was Vice-Chairman of the Monghyr District Board from 1926-31, and Chairman from 1934 to July 19, 1937. Elected to Bihar Legislative Assembly, 1937.

Address—Patna, Bihar.

Subba Rao, N. S., M.A. (Cantab), Bar-at-Law; Director of Public Institution, Mysore. Born in March, 1885. Joined Mysore Service in 1910; acted as Principal, Maharaja's College, Bangalore, 1914; Secretary, Mysore University Committee, 1916; he be-

came Inspector-General of Education in 1927; deputed to University Conference at Delhi, Round Table Conference in London (1931), and various other conferences.

Address—Mysore.

Smith, J.M.: Managing Director, P. Orr & Sons, Ltd., Madras. Born in Dumfries (Scotland). Joined Messrs. P. Orr & Sons, Ltd., as an assistant manager; was Chairman of the Madras Trades Association; Sheriff of Madras, 1934-35; Member, Madras Legislative Council, 1926-28.

Clubs: Madras Club, Gymkhana, M.C.C.

Address—Strentley, Chetput, Madras.

Sokhey, Sahib Singh, Lt.-Col., I. M. S., M.A., Ch.B., D.T.M., F.N.C.: Director, Haffkine Institute, Bombay. Born in December, 1887. Joined I.M.S., 1918; joined the Haffkine Institute, 1925.

Address—Haffkine Institute, Bombay, 12.

Sola, The Rev. Marcial, S. J., Ph.D., M.A.: Professor of Philosophy, St. Xavier's College, Bombay. Born in November, 1872; ordained Priest, 1906; was Professor and Principal, Ateneo de Manila, Philippines, 1916-20.

Address—Cruickshank Road, Bombay.

Suhrawardy, Sir Hassan, Kt. (1932), Lt.-Col., I.T.F., O.B.E., (1927), K.I.H. (1930), F.R.C.S.L., M.D., D.P.H.: Vice-Chancellor, Calcutta University and Chief Medical Officer, E. B. Railway. Born in 1884; educated at Calcutta, Dublin, Edinburgh and London; was M.L.C., Bengal, 1921-24.

Address—2, Belvedere Park, Alipore,

Syed, Mahmud, Dr. M.L.A., was born in 1889 in the village of Saidpur Bhatri, Ghazipur District, United Provinces. He was educated at Benares and Aligarh.

While at Aligarh Dr. Mahmud tried to inculcate the idea of Hindu-Muslim unity among the students and during the Minto Reform controversy he was a staunch advocate of joint electorates.

He took his Ph.D. degree in 1912 and the same year he was called to the Bar. In 1918 he went to Patna, at the request of the late Sir Ali Imam, to start practice there.

As General Secretary of the Central Khilafat Committee he was arrested in Bombay in 1922 and convicted; he was General-Secretary

of the A.L.C.C. in 1928 and again from 1930 to 1936. During this period he was imprisoned twice; elected to Bihar Legislative Assembly, 1937.

Address—Patna, Bihar.

Syed Mohammad Ismail Haji Ibrahim, B.A., General Merchant, Contractor, and Chairman, Municipal Standing Committee, and Hon. Magistrate, Ahmednagar. Born on 12th February, 1898. Educated at Ahmednagar Education Society's High School and Deccan College, Poona. Married in May, 1915, with Miss Mariambai, daughter of Jansahib, (two sons and two daughters). Entered Ahmednagar Municipality, 1924; elected Chairman, Municipal Standing Committee, in October, 1933; has been Chairman of Anjuman-Isalahul Muslimin, Ahmednagar, and President of Islamiya Library; has been elected Member, Ahmednagar Cantonment Board, and Chairman of the Building and Schools' Committee of the same.

Address—Haji Ibrahim Estate, Ahmednagar.

Talgeri, Mangeshrao Subrao, B.A. (Madras), Pleader, Sagar, District Shimoga (Mysore State). Born on 12th April, 1888. Educated at Sagar Middle School, Coondapur, and Karwar High Schools, Christian College, Madras, and Central College, Bangalore. Passed Matric (Bombay) in 1904, F.A. 1906 (Christian College, Madras), B.A. 1908 (Central College, Bangalore). Served in Mysore State as Police Inspector, 1910-1918; commenced practice as first grade Pleader at Sagar since 1st January, 1919, after passing the Pleadership Examination, Mysore; was an elected Member of The Mysore State Representative Assembly from Sagar for three years, 1926-1929; was the first nominated Secretary of the Municipal High School, Sagar, for five years; has been a Member, Sagar Municipality, for several years; is President, Sagar Town Ganapati Co-operative Society, for the last three years; a Member, District Educational Board for some years.

Address—Sagar, District Shimoga, (Mysore State).

Tannu, Vasudeo Hari, B.A., L.L.B. M.P.R.C., Pleader and President, Junnar Municipality. Born on 4th December, 1906. Educated at P. B. High School, Junnar, and Sir P.B. College, Poona. Married in 1930 with Miss Kalawati, daughter of M. A. Akadkar of Wai. Commenced practice at Junnar, 1932; elected to Junnar Municipality 1932, and unanimously elected President of the Municipality the same year; also elected Vice-President

dent, Taluka Agricultural Development Association, 1932; has been President, Poona Swakul Sali Yuvak Sangh. He is one of the brilliant lawyers practising this side.

Address—Jnnnar, District Poona.

Thurber, Robert Bruce; Born January, 9th, 1882, at Auburn, New York, U.S. America.



Educated at Mt. Vernon (Ohio) and Emmanuel Missionary (Michigan) Colleges, and received B.A. degree. Served in educational capacities, and Principal of Adelpian Academy (Mich.), 1903-9; Founder and Principal, Meiktila Technical School, Meiktila, Burma, 1909-15; instructor, Emmanuel Missionary College, 1916-1918; Principal, Adelpian Academy, 1919; Editor, "Watchman Magazine," Nashville, Tenn., U.S.A., 1920-35; Editor, "Oriental Watchman and Herald of Health" Poona, India, from 1935. Author of the following books: "In the Land of the Pagodas," "Min Din," "Beautiful Gold," "The Wings of the Morning," "Master Men," "The Growing Friendship," "Mr. Ingle Comes Through," "Socialism in the Test Tube," "Mammon and Mars," "Wealth and Prosperity," "God Speaks," "From the Ant to the Elephant," etc.

Address—Salisbury Park, Poona.

Tergundi Hanmant, Ramrao, L.C.P.S., Electro Therapeutist, Private Medical Practitioner, Family Clinic, Belgaum. Born on 18th October, 1903, he received his education at Sardar's High School, Belgaum; Byramjee Josjebhoy Medical School, Poona. He then opened his own dispensary "Family Clinic" with all the modern appliances in up-to-date building including electric apparatus, the first of its kind in Belgaum. He was elected unopposed to the Belgaum Municipality in 1932, and again re-elected in June, 1935; a member of the School Board; Chairman of the Sanitary Committee, Belgaum Municipality; a lecturer in Zoology in the Ayurvedic Medical School, Belgaum; Member on the Advisory Board of "Sanynet Karnatak," a Kanarese daily paper, and was its editor for some time.

Address—Family Clinic, Belgaum.

Valabhdas Tejpal, spices and colour merchant, Bombay. Born in 1927, Samvat. Educated in Bombay. (Two sons—Khatau and Chaturbhuj—and two daughters.) At the age of fifteen, Mr. Vallabhdas Tejpal joined the family concern of Cama Ramji. After the dissolution of the above firm, he started the "Vallabhdas & Co." for spices, cloves and asafetida, and the "Khatau Vallabhdas & Co." for colours.

Address—271, Samuel Street, Vadgadi, Bombay No. 3.

Valiulla, Haji Abdulkader Nahaniya, J.P. Merchant and Commission Agent at Ahmedabad and Bombay. He married at the age of eighteen, the daughter of late Sheth Haji Abdul Latif Satri. Nominated member of the Ahmedabad Municipality from 1908-10; trustee of the Muse-Suhak-Dargah and its properties in 1903; a Member Ahmedabad Municipality. 1914-27; Member of the Sunni Muslim Wakaf Committee, Ahmedabad, since 1919; Vice-President, Anjuman-i-Islam and Gujarat Kathiawar Education Society since 1927; President, Sunnath Jamath-Kome-Bavabir since 1928; Vice-President, Pir Mohmed Shah Rosa since 1927; nominated Member, Mental Hospital and Notified Area Committee. He was made a J.P. in 1930. He has visited Mecca, Medina and other places of pilgrimage in 1890 and 1930.

Address—I, Panclipatti, Ahmedabad. II, 206, Nagdevi Street, Bombay.

Vasunia, Pirojshaw Jeejeebhoy, Merchant, Billimoria. Born in 1865. Educated at Billimoria and Elphinstone High School, Bombay. Married in 1876, with Rutombai, daughter of Bomanji Rustumjee

Unwalla of Gandevi (four sons). Joined father's business in Canton and worked in China as a silk-merchant, 1894-1916; in 1914 he opened his offices, Vasunia & Co., at Kobe and Yokohama and Shanghai. He has retired from the business in 1932, and he is now residing at Billimoria.

Address—Billimoria.

Vasunia, Rustomji Pirosha, Partner of E. F. Kavarana & Co., Bombay. Born on 31st December, 1885, at Gandevi. Educated at Billimoria, New High School, and Wilson College, Bombay. Rustomji entered Silk business in 1905; went to China 1908; worked for four years at Shanghai, two years at Canton, and ten years at Kobe; in 1924, returned to India and took up the work of the Bombay Branch of E. F. Kavarana & Co.

Address—234-36-38, Masjid Bundor Road, Bombay.

Vittal Pai, Ammembal, I.C.S. Agent, to the Government of India, in Ceylon. Born on 11th October, 1901; son of Srinivasa Pai of Mangalore. He was educated at Mangalore, Madras, and Wadham College, Oxford. Married to the only daughter of Dr. M. Kesava Pai, Madras. Passed I.C.S., 1925; called to the Bar by the Middle Temple, 1926; appointed as Assistant Collector at Vellore and as Sub-Collector at Palghat and Kumbakonam; Under Secretary to the Government of Madras, for some time; Additional District Magistrate, Tanjore, 1935.

Address—Colombo, Ceylon.

Wadekar, Gangadhar Mahadeo alias Baburao, of Lonavla, was born in Poona on 26th January, 1896. Educated in Poona. He is the largest land-holder at Lonavla. He was appointed by Government as Honorary Magistrate with 2nd class powers and acted as such from 1921 to 1927. He has been elected Councillor of Lonavla Municipal Borough since about last twenty years, and has worked during this period in various capacities as Vice-President, Chairman, Standing Committee, Chairman, School Board, etc. In November, 1933, he was elected as President to act for three years.

Address—Lonavla.

Wadia, Vicaji Ruttonjee, Chairman, Schools Committee, Umbargaon, Dist. Thana. Born in 1892 at Nargol. Educated at Umbargaon, Bordi and Nargol. Second marriage in 1922 with Miss Bhikai, daughter of Cawasjee Rustomjee Wankadia, of Nargol (two sons and seven daughters). In 1909, started independent business on his own responsibility; elected to Village Panchayat

in 1926 and since then he is a member of the same body; was Sarpanch in 1934; Deputy Sarpanch in 1935; Member, Taluka Local Board, 1935; Member, Managing Committee, Umbargaon Co-operative Credit Society. He is a member of Umbargaon Taluka Excise Advisory Committee.

Address—Umbargaon, Dist. Thana, B. B. & C. I. Railway.

Wilson, Lt.-Gen. Roger Cochrane, C. B. (1930), D.O.S. (1918), M. C.; Secretary, Military Dept., India Office, since 1936. Born on 26th December, 1882; son of Col. F. A. Wilson. Educated at Wellington College and R. M. C., Sandhurst. Married in 1905 to Marion Blanche Florence Holloway, and has two sons and two daughters. Joined the Cheshire Regiment in 1901; 114 Mahrattas, Indian Army, 1904; served Mesopotamia, 1914-18; Major, 1916; Colonel, 1920; Maj.-Gen., 1929; Commandant, Indian Staff College, 1931-34; G. O. C., Rawalpindi Dist., 1934-36.

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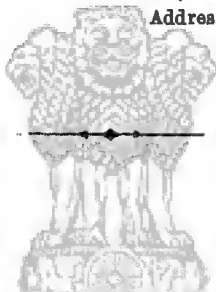
Watve, Pandurang Balvant alias Anna, B. A., LL. B., Pleader and President, Jamkhandi Municipality and an elected Member of the Legislative Assembly of Jamkhandi State, Jamkhandi. Born on 16th January, 1899. Educated at P. B. High School, Jamkhandi and Fergusson College, Poona. Married in 1928 with Miss Kamulabai, daughter of late Govind Balvant Joshi, of Poona; retired Controller of Military Accounts, Quetta. (Five sons and one daughter) Commenced practice at Jamkhandi and Terdal, 5th June, 1928; was Secretary, Prajaparisad at Jamkhandi and Banhatti; has been an elected Member, Jamkhandi Municipality, from 5th June, 1926, and Chairman of its Managing Committee for five and a half years; an elected Member of the Jamkhandi State Legislative Assembly for the last three years; has been the elected President of the Jamkhandi Municipality for the last four and a half years.

Address—Jamkhandi, S. M. C.

Young, The Hon'ble Sir John Douglas, Kt. (1935); Chief Justice, High Court of Judicature, Lahore, since 1934. Born on 7th April, 1883; son of James Young, Calcutta. Married in 1913, Joyce Macowon, daughter of William Alexander Smith, Glasgow and has two sons. Educated at Morchiston Castle School, Edinburgh, and Pembroke College, Cambridge; B. A., 1905; called to Bar, 1907. Was Hon. Counsel to Earl Haig's Officers' Association; served European War, 1915-19; Contested (L.) London, 1922; Southend, 1923-24; and West Lothian, 1928; Judge of the High Court, Allahabad, 1929-34.

Yusuf, Nawab Sir Muhammad, Kt. (1933); Ex-Minister for Local Self-Government, U.P. Born in Juno, 1890; son of Nawab Muhammad Abdul Majid, C.I.E. Educated at Muir Central College and Christian College, Allahabad. Married in 1910. Called to Bar, Lincoln's Inn, 1914; is Chairman, Agra Province, Zamindars' Association.

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BENGAL

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THE PUNJAB.

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„ Mr. Manohar Lal	...	Minister of Finance.	(See life-sketch vide page 387)
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„ Mian Abdul Haye	...	Minister of Education	
Diwan Ramlal, Barrister-at-Law	...	Advocate-General.	
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SIND.

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BIHAR.

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„ Mr. Jagalal Choudhary	... Minister Excise and Public Health.
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UNITED PROVINCES.

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„ Mr. Rafi Ahmed Kidwai	...	Revenue Minister. (See life-sketch vide page 587)
„ Dr. Kailashnath Katju	...	Minister of Justice. (See life-sketch vide page 586)
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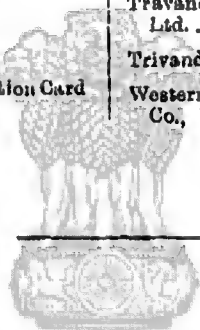
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